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INTRODUCTION

THIS ANNUAL ABSTRACT OF STATISTICS for the United Kingdom has been prepared by the Central Statistical Office in collaboration with the Statistics Divisions of Government Departments.

2. The name of the Department or organisation providing the statistics is shown under each table. Some of the statistics provided by Departments are actually collected by other organisations such as nationalised boards and trade associations. The assistance provided by these organisations, too numerous to mention individually, is gratefully acknowledged.

3. In addition, an Index of Sources is given on pages 310 to 314, which sets out the official publications or other sources from which the statistics are taken or to which further reference can be made. The tables in the *Abstract* contain the latest statistics available, even though they may not yet have appeared in departmental publications.

4. Most of the tables in this *Abstract of Statistics* give annual figures, so far as they are available, for each of the years 1951 to 1961. Some of the tables include figures for the early months of 1962. Current data for many of the series appearing in the *Abstract* are contained in the *Monthly Digest of Statistics* and in *Financial Statistics*, both prepared by the Central Statistical Office and published by H.M. Stationery Office.

Definitions

5. *Area covered.* Except where otherwise stated all statistics relate to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

6. *Time series.* So far as possible annual totals are given throughout, but quarterly or monthly figures are given where these are more suitable to the type of series. Except where it is stated to the contrary all statistics are for calendar years ended 31st December.

For some series, weekly data are collected and not figures for calendar years. In such cases the figures appearing in the columns for particular years are cumulative totals for 52 or 53 weeks and, where this is so, attention is drawn to the footnotes to the tables. Since the series have not been adjusted to make them equivalent to a calendar year, care must be taken in making comparisons between figures for periods of different numbers of weeks.

7. *Explanatory notes.* Several sections of the *Abstract* are preceded by pages of explanatory notes which should be read in conjunction with the tables. In addition, definitions of many of the terms occurring in both the *Abstract* and the *Monthly Digest of Statistics* are given in detail in the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes to the Monthly Digest of Statistics* published annually by H.M. Stationery Office. Detailed notes on items which appear in both the *Abstract* and *Financial Statistics* are given in a section called 'Notes and definitions' at the end of each month's issue of *Financial Statistics.* The original sources listed in the Index of Sources may also be consulted.

8. *Consumption and stocks.* Statistics of consumption and stocks should be used with care. The terms "consumption," "disposals" and "stocks" are normally defined in detail in the *Supplement* to the *Monthly Digest of Statistics.* The stocks figures given may often relate to only part of the total stocks in the country.

Revisions and changes in content

9. *Revisions.* The scope of the *Abstract* is revised from time to time to include new statistical information as it becomes available. Some of the figures included in this *Abstract* are regarded by Departments as provisional only and may be revised subsequently.

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12. *Extended series and revisions.* Other changes in the contents of this issue as compared with the previous issue involve the addition of new series to existing tables and some substantial revisions. The following are the tables principally affected by these alterations:

Table	
131–2	Distribution of total manpower (United Kingdom and Great Britain) Tables previously published have been amalgamated to give a link between the S.I.C. 1948 and the S.I.C. 1958.
133	Estimated number of employees The table now gives analyses of the number of male and female employees in Great Britain by age groups.
137	Industrial staff in the Civil Service The totals have been broken down to show separately whole-time and part-time male and female staff.
172	Electricity: Production This table has been considerably expanded to show electricity generated and fuel used by individual authorities.
227	Retail trade: Index numbers of value and volume This table now contains index numbers of the volume of retail trade of all kinds of business and of food shops and non-food shops.
269–277	Balance of payments of the United Kingdom These tables have been amended and rearranged to correspond with the October 1962 balance of payments white paper (Cmnd.1837).
297, 301 and 304	Home finance These tables have been modified to agree with the new form used for the *Financial Statement* and *Finance Accounts of the United Kingdom.*

Symbols and conventions used

13. *Change of basis.* Where consecutive figures have been compiled on different bases and are not strictly comparable, a footnote is added indicating the nature of the difference.

14. *Units of measurement.* A table showing the various units of measurement used in this *Abstract* and, where appropriate, their metric equivalents, is given on page xi.

15. *Rounding of figures.* In tables where figures have been rounded to the nearest final digit, there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the sum of the constituent items and the total as shown.

16. *Symbols.* The following symbols have been used throughout the *Abstract:*

.. = not available.

— = nil or negligible (less than half the final digit shown).

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UNITS OF MEASUREMENT

I. Units of measurement and their metric equivalents (¹)

		Metric equivalents	
Length			
1 inch (in.)		25·400	millimetres
1 foot (ft.)	= 12 inches	0·30480	metres
1 yard (yd.)	= 3 feet	0·914399	metres
1 mile	= 1,760 yards	1·6093	kilometres
Surface			
1 square foot (sq. ft.)		9·2903	square decimetres
1 square yard (sq. yd.)	= 9 square feet	0·836126	square metres
1 acre	= 4,840 square yards	0·40468	hectares
1 square mile (sq. mile)	= 640 acres	259·00	hectares
Capacity			
1 gallon (gal.)	= 4 quarts	4·5459631	litres
1 bulk barrel	= 36 gallons	1·63656	hectolitres
1 cubic foot (cu. ft.)		0·028317	cubic metres
1 cubic yard (cu. yd.)	= 27 cubic feet	0·764563	cubic metres
Weight			
1 ounce avoirdupois (oz.)		28·350	grammes
1 pound avoirdupois (lb.)	= 16 ounces	0·45359243	kilogrammes
1 hundredweight (cwt.)	= 112 pounds	50·80	kilogrammes
1 short ton	= 2,000 pounds	0·90718	metric tons
1 long ton	= 2,240 pounds	1·0160	metric tons
1 ounce troy	= 480 grains	31·1035	grammes

(¹) Except for bulk barrel and short ton the conversion factors are taken from the Order in Council, No. 411 (1898).

II. Other units used in the *Annual Abstract*

Fuel and power:	British thermal unit (B.Th.U.)	The amount of heat required to raise 1 lb. of water through 1 degree Fahrenheit at or near 39·1 degrees Fahrenheit	
	Therm	100,000 British thermal units	
Timber:	Softwood	1 standard	= 165 cubic feet
	Pitwood	1 standard	= 180 piled cubic feet
	Pit props	1 piled cubic fathom	= 216 piled cubic feet
	Pulpwood	1 piled cubic fathom	= 1·8 tons (air dry weight)
Building materials:	Slates and tiles	1 square	= 100 square feet
Food and drink:	Butter	5,620 gallons milk	= 1 ton butter (average
	Cheese	2,300 gallons milk	= 1 ton cheese
	Condensed milk	600 gallons milk	= 1 ton full cream condensed milk
		660 gallons skimmed milk	= 1 ton skimmed condensed milk
	Dried egg	81,000 eggs	= 1 ton dried egg
	Eggs	17,400 eggs	= 1 ton (approximate)
	Milk	1 million gallons	= 4,600 tons
	Milk powder	1,800 gallons milk	= 1 ton full cream milk powder
		2,400 gallons skimmed milk	= 1 ton skimmed milk powder
	Barley	1 bushel	= 50 lb.
	Wheat	1 bushel	= 60 lb.
	Sugar	100 tons raw sugar	= 95 tons refined sugar
	Beer	1 bulk barrel	= 36 gallons irrespective of gravity
Shipping:	Gross tonnage	The total volume of all the enclosed spaces of a vessel, the unit of measurement being a ton of 100 cubic feet	
	Net tonnage	The gross tonnage *less* certain deductions on account of crew space, engine room, water ballast and other spaces not used for passengers or cargo	

1. AREA AND CLIMATE

Area of the United Kingdom(¹)

TABLE 1

	Total	Land	Inland water(²)	Total	Land	Inland water(²)
	Thousand acres			Square miles		
United Kingdom	60,294	59,535	759	94,210	93,024	1,186
Great Britain	56,805	56,203	602	88,758	87,818	941
England and Wales	37,342	37,135	208	58,347	58,023	325
England	32,212	32,036	177	50,332	50,056	276
Wales	5,130	5,099	31	8,016	7,967	49
Scotland	19,463	19,069	394	30,411	29,795	616
Northern Ireland	3,489(³)	3,332	157	5,452	5,206	246

(¹) Figures relate mainly to 1939. Those for Scotland were revised in 1948 and those for Northern Ireland in 1961.
(²) Excluding tidal water.
(³) Not including 6,461 acres (10 square miles) of tidal waters which are parts of statutory areas in Northern Ireland.

Source: Ordnance Survey Department

Daily mean air temperature at sea-level

TABLE 2

Degrees Fahrenheit

	Average 1921-50	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
England and Wales												
Annual mean	50·1	49·5	50·7	49·6	49·7	48·9	51·0	49·8	51·7	50·4	50·9	
January	40·4	38·2	39·4	38·6	38·1	39·8	42·9	39·5	36·7	40·5	39·9	41·2
February	40·6	39·1	40·7	37·6	35·7	32·6	42·5	41·8	41·0	40·3	45·5	41·2
March	43·6	44·8	43·2	43·5	38·8	43·9	49·2	39·6	46·0	44·1	47·7	37·9
April	47·5	49·7	46·1	46·2	49·3	44·7	48·4	46·0	49·7	48·8	50·4	46·4
May	52·8	56·5	55·4	52·9	50·2	54·2	51·7	52·9	54·9	55·5	52·5	51·1
June	58·2	58·8	57·8	56·8	57·2	56·2	59·8	57·1	59·6	60·9	59·0	57·0
July	61·6	62·6	60·5	58·1	63·5	60·8	62·1	60·9	63·4	59·7	59·9	58·8
August	61·3	61·9	61·9	59·0	64·8	57·4	60·6	61·3	63·9	59·9	60·8	
September	57·6	53·1	57·9	56·1	58·7	58·7	55·8	59·8	60·1	56·7	60·1	
October	51·4	49·5	51·0	54·7	50·1	50·5	52·8	52·7	55·6	51·7	52·7	
November	45·0	41·0	48·3	46·0	46·3	44·4	45·0	45·1	46·0	46·3	44·6	
December	41·6	39·0	46·2	45·3	43·9	43·9	41·6	42·0	44·1	40·7	38·1	

Source: Air Ministry (Meteorological Office)

Daily mean air temperature at sea-level

TABLE 2 (*continued*)

Degrees Fahrenheit

	Average 1921-50	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Scotland												
Annual mean	47·5	46·5	49·0	47·0	47·4	47·0	48·2	47·3	49·1	48·1	47·8	
January	39·1	34·6	40·9	39·0	36·0	37·2	41·0	37·4	34·4	38·6	38·1	39·4
February	39·5	38·9	41·2	36·8	33·6	36·0	39·0	37·7	40·6	37·4	42·8	40·3
March	41·8	42·5	43·7	40·8	38·8	42·3	46·3	37·4	44·2	42·3	46·2	36·9
April	44·9	47·4	43·1	45·4	47·7	43·4	46·9	44·7	46·7	47·7	46·6	44·2
May	49·7	52·7	52·3	50·9	47·8	51·7	49·3	48·4	52·6	53·1	50·2	49·1
June	54·7	53·6	56·1	54·1	54·4	53·5	55·7	54·4	56·3	57·9	54·7	54·7
July	58·1	58·4	57·5	55·8	61·1	57·3	58·0	58·1	59·2	57·4	56·5	55·6
August	57·4	57·5	57·8	55·9	60·9	53·6	57·2	57·7	60·0	56·9	56·7	
September	53·7	49·9	55·7	51·5	55·8	54·7	51·7	57·1	56·1	53·5	55·8	
October	48·4	47·0	50·2	49·4	47·2	48·4	49·6	50·5	52·9	49·5	49·8	
November	42·8	38·9	46·1	42·7	45·6	44·0	43·9	44·2	44·7	43·0	41·7	
December	40·4	38·1	43·3	42·3	39·6	42·8	40·5	39·5	41·3	38·5	35·8	
Northern Ireland												
Annual mean	48·2	47·4	49·1	47·7	48·1	47·9	48·9	48·1	49·6	48·3	48·4	
January	39·7	35·9	39·8	39·4	36·7	37·6	40·6	38·6	35·2	39·2	38·1	39·0
February	40·3	38·9	41·9	38·2	34·2	35·7	40·2	40·3	42·4	37·4	44·2	41·2
March	42·7	43·8	41·8	42·5	38·8	44·2	48·0	38·7	45·2	43·4	47·5	37·2
April	45·8	48·2	43·6	45·7	48·6	45·1	46·9	45·5	46·9	47·9	47·5	45·3
May	50·6	53·0	53·9	51·1	49·1	52·4	50·2	49·1	53·5	54·3	50·5	49·5
June	55·7	55·1	55·9	54·4	54·7	54·2	56·6	54·8	57·4	58·6	55·8	54·5
July	58·5	59·7	57·6	55·8	60·8	58·3	58·2	58·7	59·8	57·9	56·5	56·5
August	57·9	58·0	58·2	56·0	62·0	54·4	57·9	58·0	60·3	56·9	57·0	
September	54·4	50·1	56·8	52·4	56·6	55·3	53·2	57·6	56·5	54·1	55·6	
October	49·0	47·8	49·5	50·9	48·1	49·1	49·6	50·8	53·3	49·2	49·1	
November	43·2	40·2	45·7	42·6	45·8	44·6	43·5	45·5	43·7	43·6	42·4	
December	40·7	38·0	44·3	43·9	41·7	43·2	41·2	39·5	41·1	36·9	36·1	

Source: Air Ministry
(Meteorological Office)

Number of days with frost(1) at selected stations

(i) Monthly and annual averages for standard period

TABLE 3

Days

	Aberdeen (Craibstone)	Renfrew	Cambridge	Birmingham	Kew Observatory	Stonyhurst	Falmouth	Armagh
	1914–40	1921–40	1914–40	1918–40	1914–40	1921–40	1914–40	1913–40
Annual total	43·6	64·3	70·4	41·2	46·4	51·9	12·8	49·0
January	9·0	11·0	13·3	9·4	10·1	11·1	2·9	9·4
February	7·2	9·3	12·6	9·1	9·0	10·2	2·8	8·2
March	8·0	10·2	12·2	7·3	7·5	8·8	2·7	9·1
April	3·1	6·8	6·2	2·6	2·2	3·6	0·4	4·9
May	0·5	2·4	1·3	0·1	0·1	0·5	—	0·6
June	—	0·3	0·1	—	—	—	—	—
July	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
August	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
September	—	1·6	0·3	—	0·1	—	—	—
October	1·4	4·4	3·8	0·7	1·4	1·7	—	2·2
November	5·7	8·7	8·3	4·4	6·7	6·4	1·1	5·9
December	8·7	9·6	12·3	7·6	9·3	9·6	2·9	8·7

(ii) Annual totals for each of the years 1945 to 1961

TABLE 3 *(continued)*

Days

	Aberdeen (Craibstone)	Renfrew	Cambridge	Birmingham	Kew Observatory	Stonyhurst	Falmouth	Armagh
1945	36	47	62	36	39	47	13	36
1946	38	61	66	46	50	56	17	44
1947	64	79	83	74	71	78	30	68
1948	59	47	56	26	27	39	6	43
1949	55	29	57	48	46	36	4	27
1950	74	70	63	44	42	56	9	52
1951	89	57	55	37	34	50	3	59
1952	77	72	72	56	55	72	13	74
1953	41	48	52	31	37	46	22	43
1954	46	41	57	32	40	48	15	40
1955	76	82	72	64	65	80	35	62
1956	65	65	81	57	46	65	22	56
1957	48	44	43	19	13	30	7	30
1958	74	69	65	45	31	73	13	47
1959	46	52	58	31	29	40	8	40
1960	53	63	55	27	20	55	16	55
1961	55	53	56	27	22	43	6	41

(1) Screen temperature (measured at 4 feet above ground level) 32°F. or below.

Source: Air Ministry (Meteorological Office)

Rainfall

TABLE 4

Inches

	Average 1916–1950	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
England and Wales												
Annual total	36·46	35·5	29·8	42·7	30·9	34·2	35·7	41·6	32·0	47·5	35·5	
January	3·69	3·4	1·4	2·6	3·4	5·1	2·9	3·6	4·1	5·2	4·7	4·2
February	2·67	1·1	2·1	3·4	2·6	1·1	3·9	4·8	0·4	3·2	2·8	1·4
March	2·30	3·1	1·1	3·1	2·2	1·2	2·7	1·9	2·6	2·0	0·6	1·8
April	2·42	2·3	2·9	0·6	1·4	1·6	0·4	1·2	3·1	1·8	3·9	2·8
May	2·56	2·6	2·5	3·0	4·0	0·9	1·9	3·4	1·1	1·8	1·6	2·7
June	2·23	2·1	2·4	3·5	3·5	2·7	1·9	4·5	1·8	2·0	1·5	0·7
July	3·20	1·3	3·8	3·5	1·0	4·0	4·1	3·7	2·7	4·5	2·7	2·5
August	3·25	4·1	3·3	4·6	1·2	6·1	4·1	4·0	1·4	4·5	3·3	
September	3·06	3·8	3·2	3·5	2·0	3·7	5·0	4·8	0·3	4·5	3·2	
October	3·71	4·1	2·9	4·8	3·0	2·3	3·0	3·3	3·4	7·5	4·7	
November	3·84	4·0	2·8	6·6	2·4	1·3	2·5	2·2	4·7	5·9	2·5	
December	3·53	3·6	1·4	3·5	4·2	4·2	3·3	4·2	6·4	4·6	4·0	
Scotland												
Annual total	52·37	47·1	48·7	64·0	41·0	51·4	53·6	50·7	48·0	51·0	54·0	
January	5·66	5·5	3·1	5·0	3·5	5·1	7·2	5·8	4·0	5·1	4·8	8·1
February	3·93	2·3	2·9	4·1	3·6	2·9	4·3	4·5	1·7	4·9	4·9	4·4
March	3·30	3·8	1·5	3·6	2·0	2·4	4·7	2·9	3·0	2·1	3·1	2·5
April	3·30	2·3	3·5	2·0	2·4	2·1	2·1	2·5	4·1	4·1	3·8	2·9
May	3·20	2·7	3·3	4·8	3·4	2·9	2·2	4·2	1·7	2·2	2·2	3·2
June	3·19	3·7	2·4	4·1	2·5	3·3	2·8	3·2	3·6	2·9	2·7	2·9
July	4·19	3·0	5·5	4·0	1·4	6·0	5·7	5·0	5·1	4·0	4·6	3·3
August	4·50	5·1	4·2	4·7	1·3	6·7	5·7	5·1	2·3	5·7	5·9	
September	4·71	3·9	5·6	6·3	4·6	5·2	4·0	4·4	1·7	3·5	5·7	
October	5·81	5·2	3·6	9·4	5·3	4·4	5·3	4·7	6·1	5·1	7·2	
November	5·29	4·1	7·5	7·9	2·6	3·3	2·9	2·1	7·4	5·9	4·3	
December	5·29	5·5	5·6	8·1	8·4	7·1	6·7	6·3	7·3	5·5	4·8	
Northern Ireland												
Annual total	41·90	36·0	33·5	49·6	36·8	38·9	43·0	44·3	36·6	45·4	41·2	
January	4·23	4·9	1·5	3·1	4·3	3·4	5·2	4·2	2·7	4·0	4·3	4·5
February	2·93	1·3	1·5	4·4	3·7	1·6	2·7	4·3	1·2	3·7	3·9	2·2
March	2·56	1·9	0·6	3·6	1·1	1·9	3·3	1·7	3·1	2·3	1·5	2·3
April	2·60	1·6	2·2	0·9	2·6	1·4	1·5	1·7	3·2	3·1	5·4	2·1
May	2·76	1·7	2·5	4·4	3·2	1·5	2·1	3·0	1·4	2·4	2·7	2·6
June	2·76	2·8	2·3	3·1	4·4	3·4	2·1	5·3	2·4	2·9	2·0	1·8
July	3·73	1·9	5·1	4·4	1·7	4·5	4·9	4·8	3·8	6·1	2·7	2·2
August	3·94	5·2	4·0	3·1	1·1	6·8	4·7	4·9	1·4	5·3	3·3	
September	3·73	2·2	3·5	4·8	4·2	3·6	5·1	4·2	1·8	3·3	4·4	
October	4·32	4·8	2·8	6·9	3·1	3·3	4·3	3·1	5·3	4·4	4·9	
November	4·02	3·2	3·7	5·7	2·5	2·6	1·5	2·2	4·4	4·1	2·7	
December	4·32	4·5	3·8	5·2	4·9	4·9	5·5	4·9	5·9	3·8	3·4	

Source: Air Ministry
(Meteorological Office)

Sunshine

TABLE 5

Mean hours per day

	Average 1921–50	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
England and Wales												
Annual mean	3·96	4·10	4·04	3·52	4·47	3·88	4·00	3·52	4·67	3·84	4·12	
January	1·51	2·31	1·28	1·77	1·16	1·77	1·54	1·63	2·58	1·18	1·36	2·04
February	2·31	2·75	2·24	2·03	2·82	2·47	2·73	1·99	2·10	2·73	2·30	2·54
March	3·76	2·89	4·40	3·27	5·04	4·47	3·08	3·57	3·12	2·22	4·81	3·95
April	5·02	5·49	5·72	6·07	5·57	5·47	5·22	5·02	4·92	5·32	3·31	5·02
May	6·09	6·58	6·88	4·99	6·64	7·80	6·70	5·79	7·37	5·91	6·76	6·09
June	6·70	6·41	4·96	4·69	5·43	5·09	9·58	4·69	7·71	8·58	7·30	6·70
July	5·82	5·74	6·05	4·36	8·50	5·06	4·54	5·65	7·68	4·95	5·35	5·82
August	5·47	5·43	6·29	3·99	6·35	4·87	4·65	4·05	6·67	5·20	5·63	
September	4·40	4·03	4·88	5·24	5·15	3·30	3·74	4·14	6·42	4·14	4·27	
October	3·18	3·30	2·89	2·67	3·85	3·59	2·73	3·02	4·42	2·16	3·66	
November	1·89	2·33	1·59	1·93	1·82	1·87	2·10	1·53	1·85	2·15	2·08	
December	1·34	1·68	1·03	1·45	1·41	0·66	1·66	1·01	1·01	1·63	1·78	
Scotland												
Annual mean	3·35	3·43	3·31	3·05	4·09	3·32	3·38	3·32	3·62	3·52	3·35	
January	1·18	1·53	1·26	1·32	1·36	1·31	1·40	1·30	2·07	1·37	1·39	1·45
February	2·16	2·42	2·35	1·81	3·07	2·03	2·70	1·81	2·20	3·22	2·25	2·42
March	3·27	3·24	4·25	3·17	3·79	3·73	2·03	3·24	3·01	2·65	2·88	3·50
April	4·59	5·41	5·27	5·83	5·69	5·69	5·46	4·59	4·41	4·36	3·76	4·59
May	5·68	5·25	5·57	4·95	7·10	5·79	6·13	6·13	6·48	6·13	6·02	5·68
June	5·80	4·66	4·99	4·52	5·97	5·92	7·77	4·41	6·32	6·73	4·93	5·80
July	4·54	5·50	3·45	3·63	7·81	4·54	3·36	5·22	4·40	4·54	3·36	4·54
August	4·36	3·88	4·45	3·36	5·36	4·01	3·79	3·84	4·45	4·58	4·53	
September	3·60	3·44	3·31	3·78	4·10	2·63	3·78	3·89	4·75	4·28	3·53	
October	2·54	2·99	2·34	2·26	2·57	2·74	2·08	2·69	3·25	1·60	2·67	
November	1·58	2·03	1·25	1·49	1·50	1·26	1·20	1·53	1·42	1·74	1·85	
December	0·93	0·98	1·19	0·72	1·12	0·57	1·29	0·99	0·62	1·31	1·08	
Northern Ireland												
Annual mean	3·52	3·38	3·45	2·99	4·05	3·45	3·66	3·20	4·05	3·84	3·38	
January	1·46	1·45	1·35	1·13	1·69	1·40	2·03	1·87	2·63	1·37	1·93	1·66
February	2·21	2·10	2·12	1·45	2·59	2·52	3·27	1·88	2·10	3·43	2·28	2·21
March	3·41	3·54	3·68	3·21	4·74	3·65	1·94	3·00	3·72	2·18	2·90	3·79
April	4·86	4·94	5·32	5·68	5·88	5·44	6·12	4·62	5·05	5·39	3·40	4·86
May	6·00	5·52	6·41	5·14	6·78	5·70	6·48	6·18	7·20	6·36	5·88	6·00
June	5·86	4·88	5·88	4·15	3·69	6·39	9·08	3·93	7·21	7·91	4·81	5·86
July	4·38	3·84	4·26	2·92	8·06	4·38	2·67	4·91	4·29	4·47	3·29	4·38
August	4·32	3·92	4·18	3·77	4·80	4·06	3·80	3·46	4·84	4·97	4·23	
September	3·73	3·70	3·00	4·19	4·59	2·57	3·36	3·21	4·85	4·03	4·36	
October	2·79	3·71	2·56	1·74	3·12	3·21	1·98	2·59	3·21	1·95	3·38	
November	2·00	1·74	1·71	1·77	1·46	1·32	1·96	1·50	2·30	2·08	1·86	
December	1·20	1·24	0·89	0·69	1·00	0·79	1·50	1·13	1·20	1·78	1·06	

Source: Air Ministry
(Meteorological Office)

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II. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

The tables on population and vital statistics included in this section cover a longer period of time than do the tables in other sections. In view of this there have inevitably been changes in the scope of the figures. Attention is drawn particularly to the figures for Northern Ireland which have been calculated for the years before 1921 by excluding from the figures for Ireland as a whole those for the 26 counties which are now known as the Irish Republic. The figures for Wales include Monmouthshire throughout.

Population. Figures of population are given on two bases, *de facto* or home population and total population. Up to and including 1939 and since 1951 they relate to the *de facto* or home population, that is, to the people actually in the country. Estimates are also given from 1951 for total population; that is, estimates of *de facto* or home population have been extended to include members of H.M. Forces serving overseas, while excluding Commonwealth and foreign forces in the United Kingdom.

Estimated future total population of the United Kingdom. These population projections are based on estimates by the Registrars General of the total population at mid-1961. The projections have been prepared by the Government Actuary's Department in consultation with the Registrars General on the basis of the following agreed assumptions :

> *Mortality.* Death rates at the outset are based on the experience in the five years 1956–60. At ages under 45, death rates decline steadily over the next 25 years until, at the end of that period, they are about one half of the rates now being experienced. At ages over 45, the assumed rates of decline become progressively smaller as the age advances. It has been assumed that after 25 years the death rates at all ages will remain at the levels then reached.
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> *Natality.* In view of the increased number of births registered in 1961 and of the allowance for inward migration now incorporated the assumptions made in the previous projection have been modified. The revised estimates give just over 950,000 births in the year mid-1961 to mid-1962, an average of about 940,000 a year in the next five years, and thereafter a gradual increase to 1,160,000 at the end of the century. The ratio of male to female births has been taken as 1·06 for Great Britain and 1·07 for Northern Ireland.
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> *Migration.* A net inward migration of 100,000 in the year mid-1961 to mid-1962 and of 50,000 a year subsequently up to and including the year mid-1975 to mid-1976; thereafter no net migration.

Births. The number of births shown in the tables are either those registered or those occurring in each year. For Scotland and Northern Ireland the figures throughout are those registered. For England and Wales the figures for 1938 and earlier years are for those registered and, from 1939 onwards, for those occurring in each year.

The number of births (registered or occurring) is expressed as a rate per 1,000 population. In calculating these rates the figures of population used for 1939 and earlier years and from 1950 onwards (1947 onwards in Scotland) are for the *de facto* or home population. From 1940 to 1949 inclusive (1940 to 1946 in Scotland) they are for the total population as defined above, except that Scottish rates take no account of Forces serving outside Scotland before the war.

Legitimate maternities: England and Wales. A maternity is a pregnancy which has terminated in the birth of one or more live or stillborn children. From 1945 onwards the figures are tabulated on an occurrence basis; for 1939 they are derived from birth registrations and have been adjusted to make them comparable with the figures for subsequent years.

From 1952, there is a break in the continuity of the series. The analyses by marriage duration and number of previous children are restricted to maternities of women married once only, and the number of previous children refers to liveborn children only, whereas for earlier years the analyses cover all legitimate maternities and the number of previous children includes stillborn children.

Before 1952 the duration of marriage was calculated as the difference between the calendar months of marriage and maternity, and was therefore on average half a month shorter than the duration intervals shown. Since 1952 the durations have been equivalent to those shown.

Legitimate live births: Scotland. The figures are tabulated on the basis of live births, twin-births being counted as two births. Surviving, stillborn and dead children are all included when births are classified by the number of previous children born to the mother.

Life tables. The Life Tables for 1950–52 are based on the population at the 1951 census and the average number of deaths registered in the three years 1950–52. The abridged life tables are constructed from the estimated *de facto* or home population in the three years covered and the total deaths registered in those years.

Deaths. The figures relate to the number of deaths registered during the calendar year, the normal time lag between occurrence and registration being a matter of days only. Infant mortality rates represent the ratio of deaths of infants under one year of age to live births *occurring* in the calendar year. (Figures for Northern Ireland are calculated from the number of live births *registered* during the year).

Passenger movement. The statistics of passenger movement relate to all passengers travelling to and from the United Kingdom (residents travelling abroad, visitors, migrants), except those crossing the land frontier between Northern Ireland and the Irish Republic or carried in aircraft chartered by United Kingdom government departments or (until 1956) travelling to and from the privately operated airports of Ferryfield and Southend. The statistics exclude H.M. and other armed forces as far as possible.

Visitors. The statistics of visitors arriving in the United Kingdom relate to tourists and business visitors who intend to stay in the United Kingdom for periods up to a year, excluding passengers in transit through the United Kingdom, visitors from the Channel Islands and visitors who are resident in the Irish Republic. The number of visitors is to be interpreted as the number of visits : each repeated visit by the same person is counted in the figures.

Immigrants and emigrants. The statistics of migration relate to persons travelling direct by sea between the United Kingdom and non-European countries. For the purposes of these statistics a migrant is defined as a person who intends to change his country of permanent residence, permanent residence being defined as residence for more than a year. Comparable information is not available about migration on the short sea routes to and from the Irish Republic or Continent of Europe, or on any air routes. For 1961, the statistics relate only to Commonwealth citizens.

De *facto* or home population

TABLE 6

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Wales	Scotland			Northern Ireland(¹)		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Census figures:													
1821	15,472	7,498	7,974	12,000	5,850	6,150	794	2,092	983	1,109	1,380	665	715
1831	17,835	8,647	9,188	13,897	6,771	7,126	904	2,364	1,114	1,250	1,574	762	812
1841	20,183	9,819	10,364	15,914	7,778	8,137	1,046	2,620	1,242	1,378	1,649	800	849
1851	22,259	10,855	11,404	17,928	8,781	9,146	1,163	2,889	1,375	1,513	1,443	698	745
1861	24,525	11,894	12,631	20,066	9,776	10,290	1,286	3,062	1,450	1,612	1,396	668	728
1871	27,431	13,309	14,122	22,712	11,059	11,653	1,413	3,360	1,603	1,757	1,359	647	712
1881	31,015	15,060	15,955	25,974	12,640	13,335	1,572	3,736	1,799	1,936	1,305	621	684
1891	34,264	16,593	17,671	29,003	14,060	14,942	1,771	4,026	1,943	2,083	1,236	590	646
1901	38,237	18,492	19,745	32,528	15,729	16,799	2,013	4,472	2,174	2,298	1,237	590	647
1911	42,082	20,357	21,725	36,070	17,446	18,625	2,421	4,761	2,309	2,452	1,251	603	648
1921	44,027	21,033	22,994	37,887	18,075	19,811	2,656	4,882	2,348	2,535	1,258(²)	610(²)	648(²)
1931	46,038	22,060	23,979	39,952	19,133	20,819	2,593	4,843	2,326	2,517	1,243(²)	601(²)	642(²)
1951	50,225	24,118	26,107	43,758	21,016	22,742	2,599	5,096	2,434	2,662	1,371	668	703
1961	52,676	25,478	27,198	46,072	22,299	23,773	2,641	5,178	2,484	2,694	1,425	695	731
Mid-year estimates:													
1935	46,869	22,504	24,364	40,645	19,500	21,145	2,538	4,953	2,385	2,567	1,271	619	652
1936	47,081	22,605	24,476	40,839	19,591	21,248	2,517	4,966	2,392	2,574	1,276	622	654
1937	47,289	22,726	24,563	41,031	19,705	21,326	2,479	4,977	2,397	2,580	1,281(³)	624(³)	657(³)
1938	47,494	22,822	24,672	41,215	19,792	21,423	2,466	4,993	2,405	2,588	1,286	625	661
1939(⁴)	47,762	22,962	24,799	41,460	19,920	21,540	2,465	5,007	2,412	2,594	1,295	630	665
1952	50,444	24,221	26,223	43,955	21,110	22,845	2,590	5,115	2,442	2,673	1,375	670	705
1953	50,611	24,325	26,285	44,109	21,206	22,903	2,596	5,118	2,444	2,673	1,384	675	709
1954	50,784	24,411	26,373	44,274	21,288	22,986	2,601	5,123	2,447	2,676	1,387	676	711
1955	50,968	24,523	26,445	44,441	21,389	23,052	2,603	5,133	2,455	2,678	1,394	679	715
1956	51,208	24,661	26,548	44,667	21,517	23,150	2,608	5,145	2,463	2,682	1,397	681	716
1957	51,456	24,795	26,661	44,907	21,648	23,259	2,611	5,150	2,465	2,685	1,398	681	717
1958	51,680	24,907	26,773	45,109	21,744	23,365	2,615	5,169	2,480	2,689	1,402	684	719
1959	51,985	25,065	26,920	45,386	21,885	23,501	2,622	5,192	2,495	2,697	1,408	686	722
1960	52,383	25,268	27,115	45,755	22,070	23,685	2,629	5,208	2,506	2,702	1,420	692	728
1961	52,777	25,529	27,248	46,166	22,346	23,820	2,630	5,184	2,487	2,697	1,427	696	732

Source: Registrars General

(¹) The figures refer throughout to the area which is now Northern Ireland.

(²) Estimated. The population at the census of 1926 was 1,257 thousand (608 thousand males and 649 thousand females).

(³) The population at the census of 28 February/1 March 1937 was 1,280 thousand (623 thousand males and 657 thousand females).

(⁴) The mid-year estimate of the total population of the United Kingdom for 1939 was 47,991 thousand (23,191 thousand males and 24,799 thousand females). (See introductory note on page 6).

Age distribution of the *de facto* or home population of the United Kingdom

1901–1960

TABLE 7

Thousands

	Census figures				Mid-year estimates				
	1901	1911	1931	1951	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Total	38,237	42,082	46,038	50,225	51,208	51,456	51,680	51,985	52,383
Age groups:									
Under 1	939	915	713	773	797	816	846	862	867
1 and under 2	856	870	700	806	765	789	812	839	860
2–4	2,587	2,731	2,119	2,748	2,301	2,302	2,314	2,351	2,430
5–9	4,105	4,339	3,897	3,688	4,280	4,031	3,901	3,835	3,802
10–14	3,935	4,114	3,746	3,311	3,711	4,022	4,171	4,225	4,255
15–19	3,827	3,919	3,989	3,174	3,228	3,258	3,322	3,444	3,557
20–24	3,674	3,702	4,024	3,392	3,197	3,183	3,222	3,273	3,319
25–29	3,307	3,559	3,841	3,760	3,411	3,381	3,342	3,297	3,276
30–34	2,834	3,320	3,494	3,515	3,680	3,579	3,510	3,456	3,412
35–39	2,494	3,022	3,195	3,786	3,498	3,617	3,765	3,917	3,764
40–44	2,165	2,582	3,028	3,824	3,702	3,593	3,410	3,219	3,338
45–49	1,837	2,226	2,901	3,602	3,739	3,735	3,725	3,724	3,721
50–54	1,566	1,864	2,713	3,209	3,506	3,542	3,580	3,604	3,621
55–59	1,235	1,487	2,365	2,746	3,023	3,097	3,169	3,238	3,297
60–64	1,066	1,187	1,897	2,422	2,535	2,573	2,608	2,657	2,724
65–69	742	948	1,455	2,070	2,124	2,147	2,163	2,184	2,214
70–74	535	676	1,005	1,620	1,676	1,692	1,697	1,707	1,723
75–79	312	372	581	1,049	1,149	1,170	1,179	1,187	1,203
80–84	157	174	263	506	605	627	639	652	670
85 and over	62	77	113	224	282	300	306	314	330

Source: Registrars General

Age distribution of the *de facto* or home population

At 30 June 1961

TABLE 8

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
All ages	52,777·3	25,528·9	27,248·4	46,166	22,346	23,820	5,183·9	2,487·2	2,696·7	1,427·4	695·7	731·7
0–14	12,332·1	6,319·1	6,013·0	10,586	5,426	5,160	1,333·2	681·2	652·0	412·9	211·9	201·0
15–64	34,234·1	16,814·8	17,419·3	30,059	14,800	15,259	3,305·0	1,592·6	1,712·4	870·1	422·2	447·9
65 and over	6,211·0	2,395·1	3,815·9	5,521	2,120	3,401	545·6	213·5	332·1	144·4	61·6	82·8
Under 21	16,662·0	8,509·1	8,152·9	14,332	7,324	7,008	1,776·5	902·7	873·8	553·5	282·4	271·1
0	913·2	468·2	445·0	785	403	382	96·9	49·1	47·8	31·3	16·1	15·2
1	867·5	445·9	421·6	743	382	361	94·6	48·5	46·1	29·9	15·4	14·5
2	857·2	439·4	417·8	733	376	357	95·2	48·5	46·7	29·0	14·9	14·1
3	836·2	429·3	406·8	714	367	347	93·2	47·5	45·6	29·0	14·8	14·2
4	807·5	414·4	393·1	690	354	336	89·3	45·9	43·4	28·2	14·5	13·7
5	780·1	401·4	378·7	664	342	322	88·5	45·2	43·3	27·6	14·2	13·4
6	753·3	385·9	367·4	642	329	313	84·6	43·1	41·5	26·7	13·8	12·9
7	766·4	392·5	373·9	656	336	320	83·9	42·9	41·0	26·5	13·6	12·9
8	761·3	390·4	370·9	653	335	318	82·0	41·9	40·1	26·3	13·5	12·8
9	744·6	379·8	364·8	639	326	313	80·0	40·7	39·3	25·6	13·1	12·5
10	765·2	392·6	372·6	657	337	320	82·2	42·2	40·0	26·0	13·4	12·6
11	786·6	402·2	384·4	677	346	331	83·3	42·7	40·6	26·3	13·5	12·8
12	824·3	423·2	401·1	711	365	346	86·9	44·6	42·3	26·4	13·6	12·8
13	882·9	450·1	432·8	765	390	375	91·1	46·5	44·6	26·8	13·6	13·2
14	985·7	503·6	482·1	857	438	419	101·4	51·7	49·7	27·3	13·9	13·4
15	767·4	392·2	375·2	665	340	325	76·9	39·1	37·8	25·5	13·1	12·4
16	758·0	388·0	370·0	659	338	321	73·9	37·3	36·6	25·1	12·7	12·4
17	770·5	392·9	377·6	669	342	327	76·2	38·2	38·0	25·3	12·7	12·6
18	735·7	371·5	364·3	636	322	314	75·3	37·4	38·0	24·4	12·1	12·3
19	671·9	334·9	337·0	579	289	290	71·6	35·4	36·2	21·3	10·5	10·8
20	626·5	310·7	315·8	538	267	271	69·5	34·3	35·2	19·0	9·4	9·6
0–4	4,281·6	2,197·3	2,084·3	3,665	1,882	1,783	469·2	239·6	229·6	147·4	75·7	71·7
5–9	3,805·7	1,950·0	1,855·7	3,254	1,668	1,586	419·0	213·8	205·2	132·7	68·2	64·5
10–14	4,244·8	2,171·8	2,073·0	3,667	1,876	1,791	445·0	227·8	217·2	132·8	68·0	64·8
15–19	3,703·5	1,879·4	1,824·0	3,208	1,631	1,577	373·9	187·3	186·5	121·6	61·1	60·5
20–24	3,313·4	1,651·3	1,662·1	2,879	1,441	1,438	340·7	163·6	177·1	93·7	46·7	47·0
25–29	3,261·4	1,648·9	1,612·5	2,843	1,443	1,400	333·4	164·5	168·9	85·0	41·4	43·6
30–34	3,391·1	1,695·6	1,695·4	2,967	1,489	1,478	337·9	165·2	172·6	86·2	41·4	44·8
35–39	3,652·0	1,808·7	1,843·3	3,218	1,597	1,621	343·3	167·9	175·4	90·7	43·8	46·9
40–44	3,479·2	1,714·7	1,764·5	3,072	1,518	1,554	321·7	154·8	166·9	85·5	41·9	43·6
45–49	3,663·2	1,800·1	1,863·2	3,235	1,594	1,641	341·7	164·1	177·7	86·5	42·0	44·5
50–54	3,632·5	1,774·6	1,857·9	3,210	1,571	1,639	340·3	164·0	176·3	82·2	39·6	42·6
55–59	3,345·5	1,595·8	1,749·7	2,962	1,415	1,547	310·4	146·0	164·4	73·1	34·8	38·3
60–64	2,792·3	1,245·7	1,546·7	2,465	1,101	1,364	261·7	115·2	146·6	65·6	29·5	36·1
65–69	2,250·3	935·7	1,314·6	1,996	830	1,166	201·9	82·6	119·3	52·4	23·1	29·3
70–74	1,732·6	677·4	1,055·2	1,540	601	939	152·6	59·4	93·2	40·0	17·0	23·0
75–79	1,220·1	448·5	771·6	1,087	397	690	106·0	40·1	65·9	27·1	11·4	15·7
80–84	674·4	228·0	446·4	601	200	401	57·3	21·2	36·0	16·1	6·7	9·4
85 and over	333·6	105·5	228·1	297	92	205	27·8	10·1	17·7	8·8	3·4	5·4

Source: Registrars General

TABLE 9

Age distribution of the *de facto* or home population(¹)

United Kingdom and England and Wales

1931–1960

Thousands

	United Kingdom						England and Wales					
	1931	1951	1957	1958	1959	1960	1931	1951	1957	1958	1959	1960
Males												
Total	22,060	24,118	24,794	24,907	25,065	25,268	19,133	21,016	21,648	21,744	21,885	22,070
Age groups:												
Under 1	361	397	419	434	443	446	305	338	357	370	378	381
1 and under 2	353	413	405	416	430	440	299	353	344	355	367	376
2–4	1,070	1,406	1,180	1,187	1,205	1,247	906	1,213	1,006	1,010	1,026	1,063
5–9	1,967	1,884	2,062	1,997	1,963	1,947	1,678	1,616	1,769	1,710	1,679	1,664
10–14	1,892	1,682	2,057	2,132	2,161	2,175	1,620	1,429	1,777	1,845	1,869	1,879
15–19	1,987	1,563	1,630	1,669	1,743	1,803	1,710	1,335	1,396	1,428	1,496	1,552
20–24	1,958	1,648	1,569	1,591	1,614	1,640	1,699	1,427	1,361	1,380	1,399	1,422
25–29	1,860	1,861	1,689	1,668	1,649	1,644	1,629	1,626	1,472	1,452	1,435	1,432
30–34	1,636	1,725	1,779	1,746	1,719	1,694	1,433	1,514	1,564	1,533	1,508	1,484
35–39	1,462	1,856	1,780	1,854	1,930	1,856	1,283	1,633	1,570	1,636	1,705	1,639
40–44	1,397	1,881	1,759	1,668	1,575	1,636	1,229	1,658	1,554	1,474	1,390	1,446
45–49	1,348	1,763	1,839	1,834	1,831	1,827	1,187	1,556	1,623	1,618	1,617	1,613
50–54	1,274	1,495	1,721	1,742	1,756	1,767	1,116	1,318	1,524	1,543	1,554	1,565
55–59	1,131	1,234	1,441	1,489	1,533	1,568	987	1,089	1,271	1,314	1,354	1,387
60–64	894	1,061	1,119	1,134	1,161	1,202	778	939	990	1,004	1,028	1,064
65–69	663	886	899	902	908	918	578	781	797	800	805	813
70–74	436	675	678	674	673	676	376	591	599	596	596	600
75–79	237	429	445	445	444	447	204	375	391	392	392	395
80–84	98	189	226	226	227	230	84	165	197	196	197	201
85 and over	36	70	97	99	101	106	31	61	86	88	90	94
Females												
Total	23,979	26,107	26,661	26,773	26,920	27,115	20,819	22,742	23,259	23,365	23,501	23,685
Age groups:												
Under 1	351	376	397	412	420	421	297	321	339	351	358	360
1 and under 2	347	393	384	396	409	419	294	337	326	338	348	358
2–4	1,050	1,342	1,122	1,127	1,145	1,183	890	1,157	956	959	975	1,008
5–9	1,930	1,804	1,970	1,904	1,873	1,855	1,645	1,546	1,691	1,632	1,603	1,586
10–14	1,854	1,629	1,966	2,039	2,064	2,080	1,587	1,383	1,696	1,763	1,785	1,797
15–19	2,002	1,611	1,628	1,653	1,701	1,754	1,725	1,369	1,389	1,412	1,457	1,509
20–24	2,066	1,744	1,614	1,630	1,659	1,680	1,795	1,500	1,386	1,402	1,429	1,450
25–29	1,981	1,899	1,693	1,674	1,648	1,632	1,728	1,654	1,465	1,449	1,426	1,414
30–34	1,858	1,790	1,799	1,764	1,737	1,717	1,622	1,565	1,573	1,541	1,515	1,497
35–39	1,733	1,930	1,838	1,911	1,988	1,908	1,520	1,691	1,615	1,681	1,752	1,680
40–44	1,631	1,943	1,834	1,742	1,644	1,703	1,434	1,707	1,612	1,531	1,443	1,499
45–49	1,553	1,839	1,895	1,891	1,893	1,894	1,367	1,616	1,666	1,662	1,665	1,665
50–54	1,439	1,714	1,821	1,838	1,848	1,854	1,265	1,507	1,607	1,622	1,630	1,636
55–59	1,234	1,512	1,655	1,680	1,706	1,729	1,081	1,334	1,457	1,479	1,503	1,525
60–64	1,003	1,361	1,454	1,474	1,496	1,522	879	1,204	1,285	1,304	1,323	1,346
65–69	792	1,184	1,248	1,261	1,276	1,296	693	1,049	1,107	1,118	1,133	1,149
70–74	569	945	1,014	1,023	1,034	1,047	494	837	902	910	919	933
75–79	344	620	725	734	743	757	296	549	646	655	664	676
80–84	165	317	401	413	426	440	142	281	357	368	380	394
85 and over	77	154	203	207	213	224	66	137	184	188	193	203

(¹) See footnote (¹) on page 10.

Source: Registrars General

Age distribution of the *de facto* or home population(¹)

Scotland and Northern Ireland

1931–1960

TABLE 9 *(continued)*

Thousands

	Scotland						Northern Ireland					
	1931	1951	1957	1958	1959	1960	1931	1951	1957	1958	1959	1960
Males												
Total	2,325·5	2,434·4	2,465·2	2,479·8	2,494·5	2,505·9	600·6	667·8	681·3	683·6	685·7	691·9
Age groups:												
Under 1	43·6	45·0	47·2	48·6	49·4	49·1	12·6	13·8	14·6	15·2	15·2	15·8
1 and under 2	42·3	45·6	46·4	46·8	48·2	49·0	11·9	13·9	14·6	14·4	15·0	15·1
2–4	127·8	150·4	132·3	134·6	136·8	140·3	35·8	42·9	42·1	42·3	42·5	43·6
5–9	229·4	202·5	224·1	218·4	215·7	214·7	59·8	66·1	68·6	68·4	68·0	68·0
10–14	214·5	195·7	213·2	219·8	224·4	228·4	56·8	56·9	66·6	67·0	67·2	67·6
15–19	219·2	173·2	175·1	180·2	185·3	187·4	57·2	55·4	59·0	60·7	61·9	63·6
20–24	205·8	172·4	159·4	161·9	163·3	164·3	52·7	48·7	48·6	49·5	51·9	53·3
25–29	186·5	187·2	173·7	173·4	172·2	169·9	44·3	47·9	43·1	43·0	41·8	41·8
30–34	162·2	166·1	173·4	171·9	171·5	170·7	40·8	44·6	42·0	40·7	39·6	39·6
35–39	143·9	177·6	167·3	174·8	181·6	174·9	34·9	45·5	42·2	43·1	43·1	42·4
40–44	134·5	180·0	163·7	154·9	146·4	151·2	33·1	43·0	41·4	39·5	38·7	38·5
45–49	129·9	168·7	174·5	173·5	171·9	171·0	31·0	38·8	41·9	42·3	41·9	42·6
50–54	126·7	141·3	159·7	161·4	163·7	164·0	30·8	36·1	37·2	37·5	38·5	38·4
55–59	115·5	115·8	136·5	141·1	144·4	146·1	28·9	28·9	33·6	34·2	34·4	34·9
60–64	91·7	97·9	102·7	103·2	105·6	109·9	24·0	24·4	26·8	27·0	27·8	28·2
65–69	68·1	83·2	81·3	81·6	81·7	83·3	17·1	21·6	20·8	20·9	20·8	21·9
70–74	46·0	65·7	62·1	61·5	60·8	59·7	14·1	18·3	16·5	16·4	16·6	16·0
75–79	24·5	41·6	42·1	41·3	40·7	40·6	8·8	12·4	12·1	11·6	11·0	11·1
80–84	9·8	17·8	22·0	22·2	22·1	21·8	4·2	6·0	7·2	7·4	7·4	7·1
85 and over	3·5	6·4	8·2	8·5	8·7	9·6	1·9	2·4	2·5	2·5	2·4	2·4
Females												
Total	2,517·5	2,662·1	2,684·8	2,689·1	2,697·1	2,702·1	641·9	703·1	717·2	718·7	722·0	727·9
Age groups:												
Under 1	42·6	42·6	44·7	46·7	47·5	46·7	11·8	12·9	13·8	14·4	14·4	14·5
1 and under 2	41·5	43·4	44·4	44·3	46·3	47·1	11·4	13·2	13·8	13·7	14·3	14·3
2–4	125·7	143·8	126·3	128·7	130·6	133·9	34·1	41·2	39·3	39·5	39·9	41·2
5–9	226·3	195·3	213·2	207·5	205·4	205·2	58·7	63·1	65·5	64·6	64·3	64·1
10–14	211·3	190·8	205·5	211·2	214·8	218·0	56·0	54·8	64·0	64·6	64·4	64·8
15–19	220·1	188·7	185·3	186·2	186·7	186·2	57·1	53·1	53·7	55·3	56·8	58·6
20–24	215·8	191·7	178·9	178·9	180·0	179·2	55·0	52·2	49·5	49·3	49·8	50·5
25–29	202·5	194·0	180·2	177·9	175·3	172·4	50·7	51·6	47·4	46·7	46·3	45·8
30–34	187·2	178·8	179·3	177·0	175·8	174·6	48·6	46·6	47·1	46·1	45·7	45·6
35–39	172·3	190·8	177·8	183·5	188·6	180·5	40·9	48·6	45·0	46·2	47·0	47·2
40–44	157·8	190·1	177·3	168·2	158·9	162·6	38·9	46·0	44·6	42·4	41·6	41·0
45–49	150·7	180·9	184·1	183·2	182·6	183·0	35·0	42·0	45·2	45·8	45·2	46·2
50–54	139·8	166·6	173·3	174·5	176·2	176·0	33·8	40·3	40·8	41·2	42·1	41·9
55–59	122·5	144·9	160·5	162·6	164·3	165·1	30·4	33·3	38·0	38·5	38·5	39·2
60–64	100·1	126·8	136·7	137·8	139·8	142·7	24·3	30·1	31·9	32·3	33·3	33·6
65–69	80·7	108·9	114·1	115·5	116·7	119·0	18·4	25·8	26·9	27·0	26·7	27·7
70–74	60·2	85·6	90·6	91·5	92·5	92·2	15·0	22·2	21·3	21·4	22·1	22·1
75–79	35·7	56·2	62·6	63·2	63·5	65·0	12·2	14·8	16·1	16·0	15·5	15·5
80–84	16·7	28·0	34·5	35·3	35·7	35·7	6·4	7·7	9·6	9·9	10·4	10·1
85 and over	8·0	13·5	15·3	15·5	15·8	17·1	3·2	3·7	3·7	3·8	3·7	4·0

(¹) Census figures for 1931 and 1951. For Northern Ireland 1931 figures are mid-year estimates including members of H.M. Forces stationed in Northern Ireland. The figures from 1957 are mid-year estimates.

Source: Registrars General

Geographical distribution(1)

TABLE 10

	Area in square miles(2)	Population (Thousands)							
		1911	1921	1931	1939(3)	1951	1959(3)	1960(3)	1961(3)
Urban and rural districts									
England and Wales:									
Urban districts	8,318·2	28,163	30,035	31,952	34,183	35,336	36,348	36,580	36,848
Rural districts	50,029·2	7,908	7,851	8,000	7,277	8,422	9,038	9,175	9,318
Scotland:									
Cities and burghs	441·6	3,140	3,311	3,362	3,525	3,563	3,664	3,672	3,655
Landward areas	29,353·3	1,620	1,572	1,481	1,482	1,534	1,528	1,536	1,529
Northern Ireland:									
Urban districts	92·8	587	638(4)	678(4)	684	728	775	779	771
Rural districts	5,359·0	664	619(4)	602(4)	611	643	632	640	656
Standard regions of England and Wales									
Northern	7,470·7	2,815	3,020	3,038	3,003	3,141	3,222	3,246	3,253
East and West Ridings	3,962·7	3,564	3,731	3,929	3,976	4,097	4,150	4,170	4,174
North Western	3,083·0	5,793	6,023	6,197	6,237	6,447	6,506	6,543	6,569
North Midland	6,303·9	2,623	2,746	2,939	3,065	3,378	3,560	3,595	3,652
Midland	5,024·8	3,277	3,503	3,743	3,987	4,423	4,640	4,688	4,779
Eastern	7,264·3	2,106	2,224	2,433	2,691	3,098	3,579	3,655	3,762
London and South Eastern	4,190·6	9,100	9,486	10,330	11,046	10,906	11,023	11,072	11,073
Southern(5)	3,897·7	1,864	1,954	2,135	2,317	2,649	2,741	2,785	2,856
South Western(5)	9,133·9	2,507	2,544	2,615	2,673	3,021	3,343	3,372	3,417
Wales	8,015·8	2,421	2,656	2,593	2,465	2,599	2,622	2,629	2,630
Conurbations(6)									
Greater London	721·7	7,256	7,488	8,216	8,728	8,348	8,208	8,210	8,152
West Midlands	268·8	1,634	1,773	1,933	2,079	2,237	2,292	2,309	2,353
West Yorkshire	484·5	1,590	1,614	1,655	1,658	1,693	1,693	1,699	1,704
South East Lancashire	379·6	2,328	2,361	2,427	2,421	2,423	2,419	2,423	2,428
Merseyside	150·0	1,157	1,263	1,347	1,357	1,382	1,383	1,387	1,384
Tyneside	90·2	761	816	827	825	836	852	855	852
Central Clydeside	324·4	..	1,638	1,690	1,783	1,758	1,798	1,802	1,806
Cities									
Birmingham	79·9	526	919	1,003	1,053	1,113	1,092	1,093	1,110
Liverpool	43·5	746	803	856	822	789	758	755	746
Manchester	42·6	714	730	766	728	703	672	666	660
Sheffield	61·9	455	491	512	522	513	499	500	495
Leeds	63·5	446	458	483	497	505	513	515	512
Bristol	41·2	357	377	397	419	443	437	434	436
Nottingham	28·7	260	263	269	279	306	313	314	313
Kingston upon Hull	22·5	278	287	314	318	299	302	302	301
Bradford	39·9	288	286	298	288	292	289	290	294
Newcastle upon Tyne	17·3	267	275	283	293	292	271	269	267
Leicester	26·5	227	234	239	263	285	275	273	273
Stoke-on-Trent	33·1	235	240	277	271	275	271	270	266
Coventry	29·9	106	128	167	220	258	286	291	306
Glasgow	60·4	784	1,034	1,088	1,128	1,090	1,077	1,069	1,056
Edinburgh	52·0	320	420	439	472	467	469	472	474
Belfast	24·7	387	415(4)	438(4)	439	444	434	434	416

Source: Registrars General

(1) Population of the areas as they were in each year except for conurbations, the figures for which relate to roughly the same geographical areas throughout. For figures adjusted to take account of boundary changes see Census of Population Reports.

(2) Area at the date of the 1961 Census of Population.

(3) Mid-year estimate.

(4) 1926 and 1937 census figures.

(5) The constitution of these regions was changed in 1959 by the transfer of Dorset (except Poole M.B.) from the Southern region to the South Western region.

(6) Areas of urban development where a number of separate towns have grown into each other or become linked by such factors as a common industrial or business interest or a common centre for shopping or education.

Age distribution of the total population of the United Kingdom(¹)

TABLE 11

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	50,737	50,880	51,066	51,221	51,430	51,657	51,870	52,157	52,539	52,925
Age groups:										
Under 5	4,092	3,960	3,894	3,851	3,863	3,907	3,973	4,052	4,157	4,281
5– 9........................	4,055	4,205	4,258	4,283	4,280	4,031	3,901	3,836	3,802	3,806
10–14........................	3,308	3,367	3,464	3,566	3,711	4,022	4,171	4,225	4,255	4,245
15–19........................	3,256	3,286	3,323	3,330	3,304	3,303	3,357	3,459	3,568	3,717
20–24........................	3,450	3,404	3,351	3,320	3,286	3,281	3,314	3,369	3,403	3,384
25–29........................	3,657	3,582	3,517	3,465	3,432	3,403	3,366	3,319	3,297	3,286
30–34........................	3,690	3,834	3,978	3,814	3,691	3,591	3,522	3,468	3,426	3,407
35–39........................	3,662	3,474	3,268	3,385	3,509	3,630	3,776	3,929	3,775	3,662
40–44........................	3,821	3,803	3,794	3,784	3,710	3,602	3,418	3,227	3,347	3,487
45–49........................	3,670	3,703	3,726	3,736	3,743	3,739	3,729	3,728	3,724	3,667
50–54........................	3,268	3,343	3,411	3,464	3,507	3,543	3,581	3,605	3,623	3,634
55–59........................	2,788	2,825	2,879	2,946	3,023	3,097	3,170	3,239	3,297	3,346
60–64........................	2,450	2,465	2,487	2,512	2,536	2,573	2,608	2,657	2,724	2,792
65–69........................	2,082	2,091	2,102	2,106	2,124	2,147	2,163	2,184	2,214	2,250
70–74........................	1,636	1,643	1,657	1,666	1,675	1,692	1,697	1,707	1,723	1,733
75–79........................	1,082	1,101	1,125	1,134	1,149	1,170	1,179	1,187	1,204	1,220
80–84........................	530	545	568	586	605	627	639	652	670	674
85 and over	240	248	264	273	282	299	306	314	330	334
Males	24,511	24,593	24,689	24,773	24,879	24,993	25,094	25,235	25,423	25,675
Age groups:										
Under 5	2,095	2,029	1,994	1,973	1,980	2,004	2,037	2,078	2,133	2,197
5– 9........................	2,074	2,150	2,179	2,190	2,189	2,062	1,997	1,963	1,947	1,950
10–14........................	1,682	1,715	1,767	1,821	1,897	2,057	2,132	2,161	2,175	2,172
15–19........................	1,646	1,662	1,681	1,688	1,675	1,675	1,703	1,758	1,815	1,893
20–24........................	1,735	1,717	1,692	1,681	1,665	1,665	1,683	1,710	1,723	1,721
25–29........................	1,827	1,793	1,762	1,735	1,723	1,710	1,691	1,672	1,665	1,674
30–34........................	1,827	1,902	1,977	1,898	1,840	1,791	1,758	1,732	1,709	1,712
35–39........................	1,801	1,708	1,609	1,669	1,731	1,792	1,866	1,941	1,867	1,818
40–44........................	1,886	1,877	1,869	1,862	1,824	1,767	1,676	1,582	1,643	1,721
45–49........................	1,798	1,817	1,832	1,841	1,845	1,844	1,838	1,835	1,830	1,804
50–54........................	1,547	1,598	1,642	1,674	1,700	1,722	1,743	1,757	1,769	1,776
55–59........................	1,248	1,266	1,299	1,340	1,390	1,441	1,490	1,533	1,568	1,596
60–64........................	1,072	1,077	1,085	1,094	1,103	1,119	1,134	1,161	1,202	1,246
65–69........................	886	886	887	886	891	899	902	908	918	936
70–74........................	678	675	676	676	675	678	674	673	676	677
75–79........................	435	438	442	440	440	445	445	444	447	448
80–84........................	200	204	212	217	221	226	226	226	230	228
85 and over	74	78	84	88	90	96	99	101	106	106
Females	26,226	26,288	26,377	26,447	26,551	26,664	26,776	26,922	27,116	27,250
Age groups:										
Under 5	1,997	1,931	1,900	1,878	1,883	1,903	1,936	1,974	2,024	2,084
5– 9........................	1,981	2,055	2,079	2,093	2,091	1,969	1,904	1,873	1,855	1,856
10–14........................	1,626	1,652	1,697	1,745	1,814	1,965	2,039	2,064	2,080	2,073
15–19........................	1,610	1,624	1,642	1,642	1,630	1,628	1,654	1,701	1,753	1,824
20–24........................	1,715	1,687	1,659	1,639	1,621	1,616	1,631	1,659	1,680	1,663
25–29........................	1,829	1,789	1,755	1,730	1,709	1,693	1,675	1,647	1,632	1,612
30–34........................	1,863	1,932	2,001	1,916	1,852	1,800	1,764	1,736	1,717	1,695
35–39........................	1,862	1,767	1,659	1,715	1,778	1,838	1,910	1,988	1,908	1,844
40–44........................	1,935	1,926	1,925	1,922	1,886	1,835	1,742	1,645	1,704	1,766
45–49........................	1,872	1,886	1,894	1,895	1,898	1,895	1,891	1,893	1,894	1,863
50–54........................	1,721	1,745	1,769	1,790	1,807	1,821	1,838	1,848	1,854	1,858
55–59........................	1,540	1,559	1,580	1,606	1,633	1,656	1,680	1,706	1,729	1,750
60–64........................	1,378	1,388	1,402	1,418	1,432	1,454	1,474	1,496	1,522	1,546
65–69........................	1,196	1,205	1,215	1,220	1,232	1,248	1,261	1,276	1,296	1,314
70–74........................	958	968	981	990	1,000	1,014	1,023	1,034	1,047	1,056
75–79........................	647	663	683	694	709	725	734	743	757	772
80–84........................	330	341	356	369	384	401	413	426	440	446
85 and over	166	170	180	185	192	203	207	213	224	228

(¹) Mid-year estimates. Including members of H.M. Forces serving overseas. (See introductory note on page 6).

Source: Registrars General

Estimated future total population of the United Kingdom(¹)

TABLE 12

Thousands

	1961	1966	1971	1976	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001
Total	52,925	54,816	56,662	58,694	60,452	62,205	63,982	65,857	67,904
Age groups:									
0–4	4,281	4,599	4,694	4,974	5,050	5,141	5,264	5,457	5,674
5–9	3,806	4,259	4,578	4,672	4.953	5,028	5,122	5,247	5,439
10–14	4,245	3,785	4,241	4,559	4,654	4,937	5,014	5,107	5,229
15–19	3,717	4,256	3,799	4,257	4,553	4,648	4,931	5,008	5,101
20–24	3,384	3,777	4,309	3,856	4,260	4,556	4,653	4,935	5,011
25–29	3,286	3,441	3,820	4,351	3,851	4,255	4,552	4,648	4,929
30–34	3,407	3,309	3,458	3,836	4,337	3,839	4,243	4,539	4,635
35–39	3,662	3,410	3,311	3,462	3,819	4,320	3,824	4,227	4,523
40–44	3,487	3,655	3,404	3,310	3,442	3,800	4,299	3,805	4,207
45–49	3,667	3,459	3,623	3,380	3,275	3,408	3,764	4,259	3,771
50–54	3,634	3,585	3,385	3,552	3,310	3,211	3,345	3,693	4,178
55–59	3,346	3,482	3,442	3,259	3,418	3,193	3,100	3,228	3,565
60–64	2,792	3,105	3,246	3,223	3,054	3,215	3,007	2,919	3,039
65–69	2,250	2,474	2,762	2,904	2,895	2,758	2,912	2,720	2,639
70–74	1,733	1,853	2,048	2,301	2,435	2,446	2,337	2,467	2,302
75–79	1,220	1,263	1,365	1,520	1,721	1,836	1,852	1,769	1,868
80–84	674	730	766	838	942	1,072	1,149	1,159	1,108
85 and over	334	374	411	440	483	542	614	670	686
Males	25,675	26,684	27,674	28,764	29,719	30,676	31,651	32,676	33,785
Age groups:									
0–4	2,197	2,362	2,413	2,557	2,597	2,645	2,708	2,807	2,918
5–9	1,950	2,185	2,351	2,401	2,546	2,586	2,635	2,699	2,797
10–14	2,172	1,939	2,175	2,341	2,391	2,538	2,578	2,627	2,690
15–19	1,893	2,169	1,938	2,175	2,334	2,385	2,532	2,572	2,621
20–24	1,721	1,916	2,190	1,961	2,173	2,332	2,384	2,530	2,569
25–29	1,674	1,758	1,942	2,215	1,959	2,171	2,331	2,382	2,527
30–34	1,712	1,693	1,771	1,954	2,209	1,954	2,166	2,325	2,377
35–39	1,818	1,714	1,694	1,773	1,945	2,199	1,946	2,157	2,316
40–44	1,721	1,812	1,708	1,691	1,761	1,932	2,187	1,934	2,145
45–49	1,804	1,704	1,790	1,691	1,670	1,740	1,910	2,162	1,913
50–54	1,776	1,751	1,655	1,742	1,645	1,627	1,698	1,863	2,109
55–59	1,596	1,674	1,655	1,569	1,651	1,564	1,549	1,616	1,773
60–64	1,246	1,439	1,516	1,507	1,431	1,513	1,436	1,422	1,483
65–69	936	1,053	1,225	1,300	1,298	1,241	1,316	1,249	1,237
70–74	677	720	816	958	1,025	1,033	992	1,052	999
75–79	448	450	483	553	657	710	719	690	732
80–84	228	237	240	261	302	362	393	398	383
85 and over	106	108	112	115	125	144	171	191	196
Females	27,250	28,132	28,988	29,930	30,733	31,529	32,331	33,181	34,119
Age groups:									
0–4	2,084	2,237	2,281	2,417	2,453	2,496	2,556	2,650	2,756
5–9	1,856	2,074	2,227	2,271	2,407	2,442	2,487	2,548	2,642
10–14	2,073	1,846	2,066	2,218	2,263	2,399	2,436	2,480	2,539
15–19	1,824	2,087	1,861	2,082	2,219	2,263	2,399	2,436	2,480
20–24	1,663	1,861	2,119	1,895	2,087	2,224	2,269	2,405	2,442
25–29	1,612	1,683	1,878	2,136	1,892	2,084	2,221	2,266	2,402
30–34	1,695	1,616	1,687	1,882	2,128	1,885	2,077	2,214	2,258
35–39	1,844	1,696	1,617	1,689	1,874	2,121	1,878	2,070	2,207
40–44	1,766	1,843	1,696	1,619	1,681	1,868	2,112	1,871	2,062
45–49	1,863	1,755	1,833	1,689	1,605	1,668	1,854	2,097	1,858
50–54	1,858	1,834	1,730	1,810	1,665	1,584	1,647	1,830	2,069
55–59	1,750	1,808	1,787	1,690	1,767	1,629	1,551	1,612	1,792
60–64	1,546	1,666	1,730	1,716	1,623	1,702	1,571	1,497	1,556
65–69	1,314	1,421	1,537	1,604	1,597	1,517	1,596	1,471	1,402
70–74	1,056	1,133	1,232	1,343	1,410	1,413	1,345	1,415	1,303
75–79	772	813	882	967	1,064	1,126	1,133	1,079	1,136
80–84	446	493	526	577	640	710	756	761	725
85 and over	228	266	299	325	358	398	443	479	490

(¹) Mid-year estimates. The assumptions on which these projections are made are described in the introductory note on page 6.

Source: Government Actuary's Department and Registrars General

Marital condition(¹)

Great Britain and England and Wales

TABLE 13

Thousands

		Great Britain				England and Wales					
		Males		Females		Males			Females		
		1960	1961	1960	1961	1931	1951	1960	1931	1951	1960
Total:	Single	10,794	10,937	10,290	10,316	9,911	9,202	9,555	10,414	9,201	9,082
	Married	13,038	13,158	13,130	13,207	8,490	10,995	11,822	8,604	11,092	11,915
	Widowed	894	881	2,969	2,996	732	818	799	1,802	2,449	2,689
Age groups:											
0–14:	Single	6,044	6,107	5,760	5,812	4,808	4,949	5,363	4,712	4,743	5,109
15–19:	Single	1,736	1,813	1,592	1,648	1,705	1,329	1,546	1,694	1,309	1,416
	Married	17	20	104	115	5	7	14	31	60	93
	Widowed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20–24:	Single	1,165	1,154	695	669	1,463	1,088	1,036	1,332	777	611
	Married	502	521	932	944	235	338	446	461	720	837
	Widowed	—	1	4	4	1	1	—	2	3	3
25–34:	Single	737	736	412	389	1,079	854	644	1,105	587	352
	Married	2,530	2,544	2,811	2,797	1,961	2,260	2,274	2,203	2,567	2,527
	Widowed	24	20	35	34	23	26	22	41	65	32
35–44:	Single	388	402	345	331	315	396	337	573	467	295
	Married	2,974	2,996	3,053	3,067	2,147	2,835	2,699	2,222	2,788	2,770
	Widowed	67	55	125	120	50	58	61	159	143	114
45–54:	Single	318	313	451	430	250	266	276	431	471	393
	Married	3,098	3,081	2,911	2,908	1,951	2,521	2,813	1,897	2,371	2,643
	Widowed	102	103	298	296	102	88	91	305	280	265
55–64:	Single	214	228	458	456	181	158	185	306	394	398
	Married	2,323	2,383	2,083	2,121	1,404	1,724	2,114	1,213	1,583	1,901
	Widowed	170	166	638	645	181	145	152	440	560	572
65–74:	Single	119	117	355	356	88	116	104	187	293	311
	Married	1,203	1,222	978	995	643	1,005	1,101	488	808	900
	Widowed	234	234	960	966	224	251	208	512	784	871
75 and over:	Single	72	68	223	225	22	47	64	74	160	197
	Married	392	391	260	260	145	305	361	88	195	244
	Widowed	297	302	908	931	151	249	265	341	613	832

(¹) Census figures for 1931 and 1951. Figures for 1960 and 1961 are mid-year estimates relating to total population. Divorced persons who have not re-married are included under "Widowed".

Source: Registrars General

Marital condition(1)

Scotland and Northern Ireland

TABLE 13 (*continued*)

Thousands

		Scotland						Northern Ireland			
		Males			Females			Males		Females	
		1931	1951	1960	1931	1951	1960	1926	1951	1926	1951
Total:	Single	1,355·5	1,215·7	1,239·3	1,422·8	1,261·9	1,207·5	391·7	393·1	396·5	382·7
	Married	874·2	1,112·0	1,216·2	888·5	1,135·8	1,215·3	191·7	251·2	197·9	260·3
	Widowed	95·2	102·0	95·1	205·7	259·5	280·4	24·7	23·5	54·2	60·2
Age groups:											
0–14:	Single	657·5	639·1	681·5	647·3	616·0	650·9	184·7	193·6	179·7	185·1
15–19:	Single	218·3	172·5	190·1	215·1	182·0	175·5	59·3	55·3	59·4	51·8
	Married	0·8	0·7	2·6	5·0	6·6	11·1	0·1	0·2	1·0	1·2
	Widowed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20–24:	Single	181·4	137·3	129·1	166·2	115·2	83·9	47·4	42·4	45·2	37·0
	Married	24·1	34·2	56·0	49·1	75·6	95·0	5·0	6·3	11·4	15·2
	Widowed	0·2	0·1	0·1	0·3	0·4	0·7	0·1	—	0·1	0·1
25–34:	Single	155·0	117·9	93·4	160·8	90·1	60·0	44·3	42·8	44·2	33·4
	Married	190·8	231·7	255·9	223·8	275·2	283·5	38·8	49·4	51·6	63·6
	Widowed	2·9	2·6	2·1	5·0	6·8	3·5	0·8	0·4	1·6	1·2
35–44:	Single	51·7	56·6	50·5	81·5	68·0	49·6	20·9	21·9	22·9	22·1
	Married	219·5	293·9	275·4	230·3	296·4	282·5	45·2	65·4	50·7	69·3
	Widowed	7·1	6·5	5·7	18·1	16·1	11·2	2·0	1·2	4·7	3·3
45–54:	Single	41·5	40·3	41·8	62·5	70·5	57·9	15·7	15·0	17·5	19·4
	Married	200·9	257·8	284·5	194·6	241·7	267·7	46·1	57·5	43·4	55·0
	Widowed	14·0	11·3	10·6	33·4	34·7	33·3	3·9	2·5	9·0	7·8
55–64:	Single	31·1	25·1	29·3	46·0	56·6	60·0	10·2	10·1	12·9	15·4
	Married	151·5	168·9	208·6	125·9	151·1	181·5	32·5	39·0	24·8	34·1
	Widowed	24·5	19·2	18·2	50·6	63·1	66·4	5·4	4·2	12·1	13·9
65–74:	Single	14·9	19·4	15·2	30·5	42·0	44·1	6·9	8·2	10·2	12·0
	Married	70·6	96·1	101·7	50·9	72·8	78·2	18·5	24·3	12·3	17·2
	Widowed	28·5	32·9	26·1	59·3	78·8	88·9	7·1	7·4	15·6	18·8
75 and over:	Single	4·0	7·4	8·3	12·7	21·5	25·5	2·3	3·7	4·3	6·5
	Married	15·9	28·6	31·4	8·8	16·0	15·9	5·4	9·2	2·6	4·6
	Widowed	17·9	29·4	32·3	38·9	59·4	76·4	5·5	7·9	11·1	15·2

Source: Registrars General

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(1) See footnote (1) on page 14.

Industrial status(¹)

TABLE 14

Thousands

	Total	Occupied					Unoccupied and retired
		Total occupied	Employers, directors, managers, etc.	Operative employees(²)	Working on own account	Out of work	
Males							
1951 Great Britain	17,862	15,649	1,105	13,301	902	340	2,213
England and Wales	16,067	14,064	1,001	11,940	842	281	2,004
Scotland	1,795	1,585	105	1,362	60	59	210
Northern Ireland	485	421	22	303	66	30	65
1931 Great Britain	16,341	14,801	1,029	10,883	922	1,967	1,540
England and Wales	14,633	13,247	922	9,806	835	1,684	1,386
Scotland	1,708	1,554	106	1,077	87	283	154
1926 Northern Ireland	460	390	40	250	54	47	70
Females							
1951 Great Britain	20,045	6,961	202	6,378	246	136	13,084
England and Wales	17,999	6,273	187	5,740	231	115	11,726
Scotland	2,046	688	15	638	15	20	1,358
Northern Ireland	529	183	4	160	9	10	346
1931 Great Britain	18,321	6,273	152	5,213	351	557	12,047
England and Wales	16,411	5,606	138	4,664	321	483	10,805
Scotland	1,910	667	14	549	30	74	1,242
1926 Northern Ireland	505	180	8	142	13	17	325

(¹) The figures for 1951 cover persons aged 15 and over. In 1931, and in 1926 and 1951 in Northern Ireland, the coverage was 14 years and over.

(²) Including apprentices, part-time workers and unpaid assistants. The figures for Great Britain for 1951 show 13 thousand males and 38 thousand females as unpaid assistants.

Source: Registrars General

Industrial status in 1951

Analysis by age

Great Britain

TABLE 15

Thousands

	Total	Occupied						Unoccupied and retired
		Total occupied	Employers	Directors, managers, etc.	Operative employees(¹)	Working on own account	Out of work	
Males								
15 and over	17,862	15,649	440	665	13,301	902	340	2,213
15–19	1,508	1,265	1	1	1,231	5	27	244
20–24	1,600	1,518	5	16	1,446	24	27	81
25–29	1,813	1,769	18	44	1,625	53	28	44
30–34	1,680	1,652	33	66	1,456	74	24	28
35–44	3,648	3,596	122	207	2,972	240	55	52
45–54	3,184	3,113	127	184	2,497	233	72	72
55–59	1,205	1,145	48	65	899	92	41	60
60–64	1,037	909	37	44	700	79	50	127
65 and over	2,187	681	50	39	475	102	15	1,506
Females								
15 and over	20,045	6,961	60	142	6,378	246	136	13,084
15–19	1,558	1,229	—	1	1,198	2	28	329
20–24	1,692	1,106	1	7	1,069	7	24	586
25–29	1,848	748	2	9	711	10	16	1,101
30–34	1,743	584	3	12	543	15	10	1,160
35–44	3,779	1,328	13	42	1,198	55	20	2,451
45–54	3,470	1,195	18	43	1,042	69	22	2,276
55–59	1,479	408	8	14	343	32	11	1,071
60–64	1,331	199	6	7	161	22	3	1,132
65 and over	3,146	165	10	6	114	34	2	2,980

(¹) Including unpaid assistants: 12,773 males and 38,024 females.

Source: Registrars General

Aliens and British protected persons: Certificates of naturalisation issued[1]

TABLE 16

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	3,529	4,122	5,381	4,562	3,997	4,358	3,315	4,794	6,587	5,097
Nationals of European countries	3,173	3,745	4,937	4,174	3,589	4,028	3,082	4,519	6,150	4,655
Austria	155	132	180	121	82	85	57	58	93	67
Belgium	38	28	33	31	24	33	9	13	28	29
Czechoslovakia	160	133	191	168	125	136	83	76	115	69
Denmark	21	15	18	22	18	19	15	12	16	11
Estonia	24	101	84	112	69	92	42	74	85	53
Finland	4	1	2	4	4	2	2	3	7	4
France	41	37	31	39	42	44	22	35	33	33
Germany	199	370	767	609	492	465	255	362	516	329
Greece	33	61	52	50	32	32	27	9	19	28
Hungary	109	186	224	207	142	143	101	97	89	86
Italy	91	128	244	169	154	219	129	172	215	170
Latvia	12	184	196	185	183	217	208	247	236	172
Lithuania	16	52	55	58	50	60	48	66	70	47
Netherlands	102	72	59	80	62	66	45	65	68	57
Norway	15	9	8	9	11	14	7	10	7	7
Poland	1,823	1,840	2,214	1,800	1,676	1,962	1,746	2,860	4,115	3,139
Portugal	5	3	4	4	2	8	2	3	6	11
Roumania	22	48	92	88	53	68	35	46	49	40
Russia	185	117	204	139	107	117	73	58	86	64
Spain	60	43	69	69	38	46	26	24	62	55
Sweden	3	4	3	3	7	5	2	1	2	5
Switzerland	13	10	8	15	13	10	10	4	16	9
Yugoslavia	33	166	198	189	195	182	134	216	212	166
Other European countries	9	5	1	3	8	3	4	8	5	4
Nationals of other foreign countries	247	197	180	150	175	154	111	116	194	218
Asia	183	134	125	96	117	105	85	78	132	145
Africa	10	16	19	11	7	21	6	15	25	32
America:										
United States of America	49	38	27	41	40	19	16	18	29	33
Other American countries	5	9	9	2	11	9	4	5	8	8
British protected persons	13	4	3	14	3	—	1	2	4	4
Stateless persons	39	24	98	46	92	73	47	48	58	51
Nationality doubtful or unknown	57	151	163	178	138	103	73	109	181	169
Dual nationality	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
British registered persons	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—

Source: Home Office

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[1] The table refers to certificates of naturalisation granted by the Secretary of State for the Home Department to aliens and British protected persons whose oaths of allegiance have been registered at the Home Office. Certificates granted by Governments of British possessions are excluded.

Aliens registered in the United Kingdom(¹)

TABLE 17

At 31 December in each year

Number

	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961(²)
Total number registered	356,794	360,399	378,870	384,214	388,192	398,923	405,889	125,399
Nationals of European countries:								
Total	299,220	300,693	316,563	322,298	326,133	333,522	339,315	99,619
Austria	9,470	9,183	8,889	8,581	8,525	8,724	8,724	2,961
Belgium	3,665	3,611	3,605	3,585	3,534	3,542	3,473	590
Czechoslovakia	3,359	3,024	2,804	2,570	2,430	2,279	2,080	89
Denmark	3,626	3,866	4,259	4,573	4,745	4,941	5,371	3,235
Finland	988	991	967	1,034	1,317	1,465	1,590	1,106
France	13,614	13,429	13,440	13,552	13,579	14,027	14,545	7,889
Germany	37,060	36,959	37,718	38,406	41,016	43,085	42,305	16,154
Greece	2,481	2,432	2,543	2,656	2,772	3,010	3,386	2,201
Hungary	3,020	2,725	13,355	16,047	14,979	14,258	13,816	236
Italy	34,996	41,185	48,753	53,354	57,046	61,129	68,145	29,823
Netherlands	8,453	8,268	8,322	8,286	8,692	8,959	9,314	3,686
Norway	3,284	3,308	3,419	3,571	3,606	3,861	3,796	2,149
Poland	119,187	114,403	109,926	106,996	103,654	99,693	94,477	867
Portugal	818	1,009	1,171	1,344	1,581	1,915	2,292	1,860
Roumania	2,145	2,039	1,906	1,828	1,763	1,687	1,537	30
Spain	4,615	5,597	7,730	9,121	10,491	12,701	17,064	16,626
Sweden	1,945	2,067	2,089	2,237	2,305	2,625	2,786	1,783
Switzerland	10,426	10,782	10,616	10,383	10,515	11,643	11,777	7,314
Yugoslavia	8,516	8,552	8,555	8,697	8,980	8,985	8,871	730
Other countries in Europe	27,552	27,263	26,496	25,477	24,603	24,993	23,966	290
Nationals of other foreign countries:								
Africa	1,206	1,273	1,613	1,540	1,579	1,729	2,333	2,522
Sudan	—	1	346	438	420	411	450	475
United Arab Republic (³)	943	924	881	681	713	849	1,312	1,384
Other countries in Africa	263	348	386	421	446	469	571	663
America	22,401	24,827	27,637	27,252	27,690	31,313	33,140	11,552
Argentina	264	290	339	341	382	422	398	271
Brazil	172	169	195	213	236	235	253	169
Chile	116	134	159	154	191	263	255	147
Colombia	109	129	171	148	143	195	244	235
Peru	70	66	75	74	89	90	102	99
United States of America	21,343	23,575	26,169	25,686	25,942	29,290	30,938	9,846
Venezuela	64	123	164	225	259	353	405	352
Other countries in America	263	341	365	411	448	465	545	433
Asia	8,475	9,400	10,192	10,979	11,766	12,580	13,455	11,259
Burma	504	559	576	584	606	589	445	358
China	1,884	2,215	2,331	2,443	2,189	2,143	2,082	738
Indonesia	99	101	139	194	209	215	271	230
Iran	907	1,001	1,264	1,526	1,976	2,385	2,909	2,975
Iraq	1,023	1,086	1,125	1,310	1,530	1,659	2,184	2,507
Israel	897	1,053	1,212	1,337	1,397	1,678	1,677	1,251
Japan	335	361	477	569	652	751	876	797
Thailand	956	990	1,052	961	940	909	891	798
Turkey	653	678	633	673	763	880	826	658
Other countries in Asia	1,217	1,356	1,383	1,382	1,504	1,371	1,294	947
U.S.S.R.(⁴)	18,900	18,115	16,870	16,022	15,253	14,424	13,282	283
Stateless	1,118	1,049	1,000	1,056	987	952	893	117
Nationality uncertain	5,474	5,042	4,995	5,067	4,784	4,403	3,471	47

Source: Home Office

(¹) Among aliens not required to register and therefore not included in these statistics are children under 16 years of age; members of diplomatic and consular services of foreign governments; certain officials of international organisations; members of the Armed Forces of countries of the British Commonwealth and members of Forces of parties to the North Atlantic Treaty on duty in the United Kingdom; and visitors who spend less than three months in the United Kingdom. See note (²) below.

(²) Since 1 January 1961, resident aliens have been exempt from police registration.

(³) Figures for 1954 to 1959 refer to Egypt only.

(⁴) Including White Russians.

Mean family size of women married once only at all ages under 45 (¹)

Analysed by year and duration of marriage

Great Britain: 1960

TABLE 18

	Marriage duration (exact years)					
	5	10	15	20	25	30
Calendar year of marriage						
1920	1·38	2·02	2·34	2·49	2·53	2·53
1921	1·34	1·95	2·25	2·39	2·44	2·44
1922	1·28	1·88	2·16	2·30	2·34	2·34
1923	1·27	1·84	2·12	2·25	2·29	2·30
1924	1·25	1·81	2·10	2·24	2·28	2·28
1925	1·23	1·78	2·06	2·19	2·24	2·24
1926	1·20	1·73	2·01	2·16	2·20	2·21
1927	1·18	1·71	1·97	2·11	2·15	2·15
1928	1·17	1·69	1·95	2·10	2·14	2·14
1929	1·16	1·70	1·97	2·12	2·14	2·15
1930	1·17	1·69	1·98	2·12	2·15	2·15
1931	1·14	1·66	1·97	2·11	2·14	
1932	1·13	1·63	1·98	2·11	2·14	
1933	1·12	1·63	1·98	2·10	2·12	
1934	1·11	1·62	1·96	2·06	2·08	
1935	1·09	1·63	1·97	2·07	2·09	
1936	1·06	1·64	1·95	2·04		
1937	1·02	1·67	1·96	2·05		
1938	1·05	1·72	1·99	2·07		
1939	1·01	1·70	1·96	2·06		
1940	0·97	1·66	1·90	2·00		
1941	1·01	1·69	1·94			
1942	1·07	1·71	1·97			
1943	1·18	1·77	2·02			
1944	1·25	1·81	2·06			
1945	1·26	1·81	2·06			
1946	1·27	1·83				
1947	1·26	1·83				
1948	1·25	1·84				
1949	1·24	1·84				
1950	1·27	1·94				
1951	1·20					
1952	1·22					
1953	1·25					
1954	1·26					
1955	1·29					

(¹) The figures refer to women married in the calendar years shown from 1920 onwards. Mean family size is the average number of live-born children born to these women by the time they reached the marriage durations shown. The figures take account of births up to those of 1960. Thus, the figure of 1·66 shown at duration 10 years against 1940 is the average number of live-born children born by their tenth wedding anniversary to women who married at ages under 45 for the first time in 1940.

Source: Registrars General

TABLE 19

Births

Annual averages or calendar years

	Live births										Still-births	
	Total	Males	Females	Legitimate	Illegitimate	Percentage of illegitimate	Total per 1,000 population	Total per 1,000 women aged 15–44	Legitimate per 1,000 married women aged 15-44	Males born per 1,000 females	Thousands	Rate per 1,000 births (including still-births)
	Thousands											
United Kingdom												
1870–2	960	490	470	903	58	6·0	35·0	151·5	296·3	1,040	..	..
1880–2	1,043	532	511	988	55	5·3	33·6	145·7	288·6	1,041	..	..
1890–2	1,049	535	514	1,000	49	4·7	30·6	129·0	268·0	1,041	..	..
1900–2	1,095	558	537	1,049	47	4·3	28·6	115·1	240·7	1,037	..	..
1910–2	1,037	528	508	989	47	4·5	24·6	99·4	202·5	1,039	..	..
1920–2	1,018	522	496	968	49	4·8	23·1	93·0	..	1,052	..	..
1930–2	750	383	367	713	36	4·8	16·3	66·5	..	1,046	..	..
1938	736	377	359	703	33	4·5	15·5	64·0	..	1,052	..	..
1939	727	373	353	695	32	4·4	15·2	62·9	..	1,056	..	..
1940	702	360	342	670	32	4·6	14·6	60·6	..	1,053	..	..
1941	696	357	339	657	38	5·5	14·4	60·3	..	1,055	..	..
1942	772	397	374	727	44	5·8	15·9	67·0	..	1,061	..	..
1943	811	418	393	758	53	6·5	16·6	70·6	..	1,063	..	..
1944	878	453	425	814	65	7·3	17·9	76·7	..	1,065	..	..
1945	796	410	386	723	73	9·1	16·2	69·9	..	1,061	..	..
1946	955	492	464	893	62	6·5	19·4	84·3	..	1,060	..	..
1947	1,025	528	498	971	54	5·3	20·7	91·5	..	1,060	..	..
1948	905	466	439	857	48	5·3	18·1	81·4	..	1,062	..	..
1949	855	440	415	812	43	5·1	17·0	77·5	..	1,061	..	..
1950	818	421	397	777	41	5·0	16·2	74·6	..	1,062	..	..
1951	797	410	387	758	38	4·8	15·8	73·0	..	1,060	..	..
1952	793	407	386	755	38	4·8	15·7	73·3	..	1,055	..	..
1953	804	414	390	767	38	4·7	15·9	75·0	..	1,060	..	..
1954	795	409	386	758	37	4·6	15·6	74·7	..	1,059	..	..
1955	789	406	383	753	36	4·5	15·4	74·7	..	1,061	..	..
1956	825	424	401	787	39	4·7	16·0	78·8	..	1,057	..	..
1957	851	438	413	812	39	4·6	16·5	81·8	..	1,061	..	..
1958	871	448	423	830	41	4·7	16·8	83·9	..	1,059	..	..
1959	879	453	426	835	43	4·9	16·9	84·7	..	1,063	..	..
1960	918	473	446	870	48	5·2	17·5	88·3	..	1,061	..	..
1961	937	482	455	884	52	5·5	17·8	90·1	..	1,059	18	19
England and Wales(¹)												
1870–2	805	410	395	761	45	5·6	35·5	153·7	292·4	1,039	..	..
1880–2	885	451	434	842	43	4·9	34·1	147·7	286·0	1,038	..	..
1890–2	894	455	439	856	38	4·3	30·8	129·7	263·8	1,035	..	..
1900–2	932	475	458	896	37	3·9	28·7	114·8	235·5	1,037	..	..
1910–2	884	450	433	846	37	4·2	24·5	98·3	197·4	1,040	..	..
1920–2	862	442	420	823	39	4·6	22·8	91·1	179·1	1,051	..	..
1930–2	632	323	309	603	28	4·5	15·8	64·3	122·7	1,047	27	41
1938	621	318	303	595	26	4·2	15·1	62·4	110·0	1,051	25	38
1939	614	316	299	589	26	4·2	14·8	61·3	107·0	1,056	24	38
1940	590	303	288	564	26	4·3	14·1	58·7	98·8	1,053	23	37
1941	579	297	282	548	31	5·4	13·9	57·9	94·1	1,053	21	35
1942	652	336	316	615	36	5·6	15·6	65·2	103·8	1,063	22	33
1943	684	353	332	641	44	6·4	16·2	68·6	107·6	1,064	21	30
1944	751	388	364	696	55	7·3	17·7	75·7	117·4	1,065	21	28
1945	680	350	330	617	63	9·3	15·9	68·8	103·9	1,061	19	28
1946	821	422	398	767	54	6·6	19·2	83·7	128·7	1,060	23	27
1947	881	454	427	834	47	5·3	20·5	90·6	139·7	1,061	22	24
1948	775	399	376	734	42	5·4	17·8	80·2	121·7	1,061	18	23
1949	731	376	354	694	37	5·1	16·7	76·0	114·4	1,061	17	23
1950	697	359	338	662	35	5·1	15·9	73·0	108·6	1,060	16	23
1951	678	349	329	645	33	4·8	15·5	71·6	105·4	1,060	16	23
1952	674	346	328	641	33	4·8	15·3	71·8	104·5	1,055	16	23
1953	684	352	332	652	33	4·7	15·5	73·5	106·3	1,059	16	22
1954	674	347	327	642	32	4·7	15·2	72·9	104·8	1,059	16	23
1955	668	344	324	637	31	4·7	15·0	72·8	103·7	1,060	16	23
1956	700	360	340	667	34	4·8	15·6	77·0	108·2	1,057	16	23
1957	723	372	351	689	35	4·8	16·1	80·0	111·5	1,060	17	22
1958	741	381	360	705	36	4·9	16·4	82·2	113·9	1,059	16	22
1959	749	386	363	710	38	5·1	16·5	83·0	114·7	1,063	16	21
1960	785	404	381	742	43	5·4	17·1	86·7	119·2	1,061	16	20
1961	804	414	390	756	47	5·9	17·4	88·6		1,062	16	19

(¹) Before 1939 figures relate to the number of births registered in the calendar year. For 1939 and subsequent years they relate to the number of births actually occurring in the year. Provisional figures for 1961 are of registrations.

Source: Registrars General

Births

TABLE 19 (*continued*)

Annual averages or calendar years

	Live births										Still-births	
	Total	Males	Females	Legitimate	Illegitimate	Percentage of illegitimate	Total per 1,000 population	Total per 1,000 women aged 15-44	Legitimate per 1,000 married women aged 16-44	Males born per 1,000 females	Thousands	Rate per 1,000 births (including still-births)
	Thousands											
Scotland												
1870–2	116·8	60·1	56·7	105·7	11·0	9·5	34·8	149·4	319·4	1,060	..	..
1880–2	125·6	64·3	61·3	115·1	10·5	8·4	33·6	145·8	311·5	1,050	..	..
1890–2	124·2	63·8	60·4	114·8	9·4	7·6	30·8	132·5	296·4	1,056	..	..
1900–2	132·0	67·4	64·5	123·6	8·4	6·4	29·5	121·9	271·8	1,046	..	..
1910–2	122·9	62·8	60·1	113·8	9·1	7·4	25·8	107·3	233·2	1,044	..	..
1920–2	124·9	63·9	61·1	116·0	8·9	7·2	25·6	105·1	226·7	1,046	..	..
1930–2	92·6	47·2	45·4	85·9	6·7	7·2	19·1	80·1	169·0	1,040	..	..
1938	88·6	45·4	43·2	83·2	5·4	6·1	17·7	74·0	146·1	1,053	..	..
1939	86·9	44·7	42·2	81·7	5·2	6·0	17·4	72·1	141·1	1,058	3·8	42
1940	86·4	44·2	42·2	81·2	5·1	6·0	17·1	71·4	137·0	1,049	3·8	42
1941	89·7	46·1	43·6	83·8	5·9	6·6	17·5	73·5	138·1	1,056	3·7	40
1942	90·7	46·4	44·3	84·2	6·5	7·2	17·6	74·2	135·9	1,048	3·6	38
1943	94·7	48·5	46·2	87·5	7·2	7·6	18·4	78·7	140·6	1,049	3·5	36
1944	95·9	49·5	46·4	88·3	7·6	7·9	18·5	79·9	141·5	1,067	3·2	32
1945	86·9	44·8	42·1	79·4	7·5	8·7	16·9	73·1	126·1	1,062	2·9	33
1946	104·4	53·9	50·6	97·5	6·9	6·7	20·3	89·5	158·0	1,065	3·5	32
1947	113·1	58·0	55·1	106·8	6·3	5·6	22·3	97·1	163·9	1,052	3·6	31
1948	100·3	51·9	48·5	94·6	5·8	5·8	19·7	86·6	143·9	1,070	3·0	29
1949	95·7	49·2	46·5	90·5	5·2	5·5	18·7	83·4	137·9	1,058	2·7	27
1950	92·5	47·8	44·7	87·7	4·8	5·2	18·0	81·0	133·9	1,070	2·6	27
1951	90·6	46·7	43·9	86·0	4·6	5·1	17·7	79·8	131·5	1,063	2·5	27
1952	90·4	46·3	44·2	86·1	4·3	4·8	17·7	80·1	131·3	1,048	2·4	26
1953	90·9	46·9	44·1	86·7	4·2	4·7	17·8	81·3	132·1	1,063	2·3	25
1954	92·3	47·4	44·9	88·1	4·2	4·5	18·0	83·3	134·2	1,056	2·4	25
1955	92·5	47·5	45·0	88·5	4·0	4·3	18·0	84·1	134·2	1,056	2·3	25
1956	95·3	49·0	46·4	91·2	4·1	4·3	18·5	87·5	137·4	1,056	2·3	24
1957	98·0	50·4	47·6	94·0	4·0	4·1	19·0	90·8	140·9	1,057	2·4	24
1958	99·5	51·0	48·5	95·4	4·1	4·1	19·2	92·8	142·6	1,053	2·3	23
1959	99·3	51·1	48·1	95·1	4·1	4·2	19·1	93·2	141·6	1,062	2·3	22
1960	101·3	51·9	49·4	96·9	4·4	4·4	19·4	96·0	144·2	1,052	2·3	22
1961	101·2	52·0	49·2	96·5	4·6	4·6	19·5	96·6	143·3	1,058	2·1	21
Northern Ireland												
1870–2	38·5	19·8	18·7	36·5	2·0	5·1	28·3	119·6	305·6	1,060	..	..
1880–2	32·8	16·9	15·9	31·2	1·6	4·9	25·1	103·8	281·3	1,066	..	..
1890–2	30·5	15·7	14·8	29·1	1·4	4·5	24·6	100·9	288·1	1,061	..	..
1900–2	30·8	15·9	14·9	29·6	1·2	3·9	24·9	99·7	283·2	1,064	..	..
1910–2	30·3	15·5	14·8	29·0	1·3	4·2	24·2	101·8	266·2	1,042	..	..
1920–2	30·6	15·7	14·9	29·3	1·3	4·4	24·3	104·8	..	1,048	..	..
1930–2	25·6	13·1	12·5	24·3	1·3	5·0	20·5	87·7	..	1,047	..	..
1938	25·7	13·2	12·5	24·6	1·1	4·5	20·0	85·2	..	1,052	..	..
1939	25·2	12·9	12·3	24·1	1·2	4·7	19·5	82·5	..	1,044	..	..
1940	25·4	13·2	12·2	24·2	1·2	4·6	19·5	83·2	..	1,082	..	..
1941	26·9	14·1	12·8	25·6	1·3	4·8	20·5	85·4	..	1,096	..	..
1942	29·6	15·3	14·4	28·2	1·5	4·9	22·3	93·5	..	1,060	..	..
1943	31·5	16·3	15·2	29·8	1·7	5·5	23·5	99·5	..	1,076	..	..
1944	30·9	15·8	15·1	29·2	1·7	5·6	22·8	96·7	..	1,052	..	..
1945	29·0	14·9	14·1	27·4	1·6	5·4	21·3	91·0	..	1,063	..	..
1946	30·1	15·5	14·7	28·8	1·3	4·4	22·3	95·8	..	1,056	..	..
1947	31·3	16·0	15·2	30·1	1·2	3·8	23·2	100·5	..	1,050	..	..
1948	29·5	15·3	14·3	28·5	1·1	3·6	21·7	94·5	..	1,070	..	..
1949	29·1	15·0	14·1	28·0	1·1	3·7	21·2	92·8	..	1,067	..	..
1950	28·8	14·9	13·9	27·8	1·0	3·4	21·0	91·8	..	1,073	..	..
1951	28·5	14·6	13·8	27·6	1·0	3·1	20·7	91·1	185·7	1,058	..	..
1952	28·8	14·8	13·9	27·8	1·0	3·3	20·9	97·3	..	1,067	..	..
1953	29·0	15·0	13·9	28·2	0·8	2·8	20·9	98·3	..	1,078	..	..
1954	28·8	14·8	14·0	28·0	0·8	2·9	20·8	98·2	..	1,059	..	..
1955	29·0	15·1	13·9	28·3	0·7	2·4	20·8	98·7	..	1,087	..	..
1956	29·5	15·1	14·4	28·7	0·8	2·7	21·1	101·7	..	1,049	..	..
1957	30·1	15·5	14·6	29·4	0·7	2·4	21·5	104·8	..	1,060	..	..
1958	30·3	15·7	14·6	29·6	0·7	2·3	21·6	105·9	..	1,075	..	..
1959	30·8	15·9	14·9	30·1	0·7	2·4	21·9	107·3	..	1,063	..	..
1960	32·0	16·6	15·4	31·2	0·8	2·5	22·5	110·8	..	1,080	..	..
1961	31·9	16·4	15·5	31·1	0·8	2·5	22·4	111·5	..	1,058	0·7	22

Source: Registrars General

Birth rates specific for age of mother

England and Wales

TABLE 20

Live births per 1,000 women

	1939	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Age of mother:											
15–49	53·6	61·02	61·00	62·38	61·77	61·62	65·05	67·56	69·36	70·03	73·25
15–19	16·0	21·03	21·06	22·03	22·67	23·53	27·31	29·68	31·04	31·61	34·22
20–24	92·7	126·19	128·63	134·60	136·17	137·05	146·69	152·60	158·30	160·18	165·49
25–29	113·4	134·23	135·61	139·53	139·10	141·74	150·59	157·27	161·41	163·79	171·81
30–34	81·4	89·04	88·91	89·03	84·94	84·30	88·20	91·38	93·62	94·72	100·51
35–39	46·6	45·74	44·29	44·23	44·34	44·16	45·48	46·53	45·76	44·11	46·21
40–44	15·3	13·36	13·07	12·96	12·93	12·36	12·37	12·23	12·00	12·29	13·76
45–49	1·5	0·97	0·97	0·90	0·84	0·81	0·79	0·80	0·80	0·79	0·84

Source: Registrar General

Legitimate maternities(1)

England and Wales

TABLE 21

Number

	1939	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Legitimate maternities ...	604,713	650,963	626,858	637,942	629,495	624,776	655,069	677,366	693,287	699,941	731,800
Duration of present marriage (Completed years):											
Under 1	92,163	86,333	85,627	84,242	85,007	85,369	91,305	93,560	93,571	93,912	98,430
1	82,214	89,616	81,421	81,068	77,422	77,297	81,638	85,459	86,790	85,570	87,002
2	66,440	73,059	69,115	70,317	67,963	65,871	69,225	72,328	76,306	78,539	78,690
3	56,996	68,226	63,282	64,784	63,980	62,878	64,501	65,865	68,937	71,353	75,678
4	49,076	59,523	58,020	57,950	57,134	57,790	59,038	59,867	61,631	62,781	67,547
5	40,627	49,952	49,422	51,878	49,767	49,953	52,794	53,219	53,627	54,166	56,826
6	32,722	34,557	40,684	42,703	43,161	41,252	43,329	45,631	45,375	44,708	47,158
7	28,428	24,806	27,998	35,235	35,336	35,433	35,890	37,612	38,692	37,906	39,492
8	24,869	24,289	20,330	23,654	28,833	28,728	31,181	30,801	31,624	32,034	33,093
9	21,790	25,083	20,645	17,759	19,860	23,684	25,255	26,841	26,556	26,671	28,470
10–14	68,445	81,176	79,136	77,304	70,140	63,484	66,246	70,428	74,695	78,592	84,580
15–19	32,091	25,127	24,620	24,660	24,554	27,134	28,790	29,936	29,722	27,635	27,321
20–24	7,867	6,344	6,021	5,878	5,836	5,407	5,429	5,369	5,339	5,683	7,109
25 and over	985	619	537	510	502	496	448	450	422	391	404
Not stated(2)	—	2,253	2,352	2,346	2,384	2,448	2,320	2,457	2,553	2,572	2,521
Previous children of all marriages(3):											
0	254,815	245,140	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1	157,640	203,254	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2	78,999	104,099	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3	42,365	46,705	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4	25,531	22,372	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5	16,263	11,503	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6	10,810	6,388	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7	7,341	3,764	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8	4,882	2,409	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9 or more	7,557	3,501	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Not stated	2,933	1,828	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Previous children of present marriage:											
0	257,505	251,943	247,352	251,487	248,169	247,177	263,611	272,569	273,407	271,264	274,759
1	157,231	202,956	188,435	192,434	187,976	187,008	194,664	201,550	210,025	213,491	226,031
2	78,140	101,643	97,822	99,379	97,691	95,265	98,292	101,554	105,797	108,393	116,859
3	41,522	44,908	44,993	46,574	47,240	46,505	47,729	48,953	50,723	51,650	55,684
4	24,947	21,383	22,188	22,229	22,653	22,862	24,044	24,551	24,688	25,591	27,127
5	15,825	10,944	10,800	11,235	11,515	11,823	12,111	13,070	13,138	13,490	14,202
6	10,490	6,090	6,147	6,241	6,206	6,232	6,688	6,850	7,041	7,409	7,666
7	7,077	3,594	3,589	3,376	3,437	3,421	3,434	3,740	3,869	3,950	4,295
8	4,705	2,312	2,221	2,009	1,950	1,909	1,970	2,051	2,140	2,169	2,347
9 or more	7,271	3,361	3,311	2,978	2,658	2,574	2,526	2,478	2,459	2,534	2,830
Not stated(2)	—	1,829	21	10	—	—	—	5	3	4	—

Source: Registrar General

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(1) See introductory note on page 6. From 1952 figures relate to legitimate maternities of women married once only. For changed definitions of duration of marriage and previous children, see introductory note on page 6. The total number of legitimate maternities was 647,627 in 1952, 658,097 in 1953, 648,930 in 1954, 643,377 in 1955, 673,808 in 1956, 695,426 in 1957, 710,749 in 1958, 716,502 in 1959 and 748,303 in 1960.

(2) From 1952, an assumed distribution of these "Not stated" cases has been included in the analysis above.

(3) The figures for 1939 are registrations and total 609,136.

Birth rates specific for age of mother

TABLE 22

Scotland

Live births per 1,000 women

	1939	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Age of mother:											
15–49	63·94	68·85	69·04	69·92	71·46	72·12	74·86	77·58	79·28	79·53	81·80
15–19	20·94	19·65	19·64	20·25	21·39	22·52	25·94	27·47	28·87	30·23	32·05
20–24	104·46	128·57	130·54	134·89	143·95	146·51	154·38	163·73	169·77	169·37	174·91
25–29	128·05	147·66	148·85	152·12	153·32	160·24	165·02	171·44	175·85	177·77	183·78
30–34	98·18	105·66	105·45	104·94	104·04	103·62	106·94	108·51	109·40	109·12	112·05
35–39	60·42	59·10	58·57	57·27	58·15	56·24	57·80	58·44	56·55	54·53	55·82
40–44	19·32	16·96	16·46	15·97	16·24	15·51	15·12	15·15	15·12	14·70	15·41
45–49	1·47	1·17	0·94	1·16	1·01	0·94	0·86	0·89	0·87	0·84	0·89

Source: Registrar General

Legitimate live births

TABLE 23

Scotland

Number

	1939	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
All legitimate live births...	81,669	86,047	86,116	86,682	88,138	88,548	91,244	93,960	95,408	95,117	96,883
Duration of present marriage (Years):											
Under 1	14,394	12,658	13,000	12,509	12,548	12,798	13,192	13,335	13,134	13,079	13,140
1	11,048	13,004	12,280	12,265	12,693	12,701	13,151	13,865	13,516	13,045	13,026
2	8,621	9,061	9,292	9,469	9,730	9,759	10,138	10,473	11,310	11,057	10,982
3	7,067	8,412	8,433	8,460	8,563	8,741	8,974	9,430	9,697	10,156	10,318
4	6,311	7,309	7,273	7,662	7,566	7,712	7,987	8,051	8,524	8,461	8,958
5	5,305	6,182	6,245	6,397	6,636	6,570	6,686	6,886	7,045	7,172	7,362
6	4,319	4,447	5,254	5,406	5,552	5,540	5,704	5,750	5,717	5,883	6,130
7	3,783	3,439	3,792	4,381	4,493	4,684	4,875	4,791	4,815	4,898	5,132
8	3,243	3,373	2,861	3,154	3,770	3,853	3,919	4,106	4,122	3,989	4,286
9	2,943	3,445	2,790	2,473	2,736	3,103	3,358	3,360	3,459	3,381	3,384
10–14	9,048	10,346	10,593	10,284	9,705	8,885	8,849	9,293	9,635	9,785	10,178
15–19	4,483	3,400	3,388	3,357	3,287	3,361	3,579	3,844	3,657	3,500	3,170
20–24	983	912	860	809	803	784	761	713	719	671	767
25 and over	120	55	54	56	56	57	70	63	58	40	50
Not stated	1	4	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Previous children of all marriages:											
0	28,641	30,137	30,832	30,983	31,665	32,109	33,102	34,346	33,910	33,163	32,918
1	19,406	24,749	24,181	24,233	24,718	24,552	26,000	26,483	27,583	27,381	28,329
2	11,794	14,165	13,928	14,259	14,330	14,468	14,768	15,156	15,545	16,127	16,817
3	7,458	7,310	7,479	7,627	7,764	7,720	7,700	7,946	8,329	8,310	8,690
4	4,859	3,861	4,018	4,101	4,285	4,267	4,224	4,389	4,445	4,468	4,542
5	3,193	2,271	2,235	2,248	2,298	2,383	2,410	2,527	2,536	2,543	2,424
6	2,339	1,305	1,346	1,270	1,273	1,277	1,305	1,417	1,345	1,419	1,414
7	1,480	801	777	803	728	734	714	753	752	777	799
8	936	561	490	452	433	388	420	382	422	409	432
9 or more	1,563	753	697	627	618	583	567	515	518	483	492
Not stated	—	134	133	79	26	67	34	46	23	37	26
Previous children of present marriage:											
0	28,976	30,834	31,468	31,641	32,313	32,738	33,681	34,923	34,394	33,677	33,443
1	19,473	24,795	24,214	24,233	24,744	24,544	26,032	26,488	27,642	27,429	28,347
2	11,757	13,952	13,758	14,073	14,146	14,309	14,615	15,066	15,433	16,011	16,687
3	7,391	7,129	7,316	7,507	7,619	7,538	7,566	7,787	8,185	8,163	8,530
4	4,771	3,725	3,871	3,990	4,165	4,166	4,093	4,262	4,350	4,356	4,473
5	3,137	2,175	2,160	2,148	2,204	2,314	2,336	2,445	2,464	2,464	2,357
6	2,292	1,259	1,294	1,198	1,228	1,220	1,260	1,357	1,294	1,381	1,364
7	1,444	774	758	773	691	717	688	723	716	743	761
8	919	547	467	433	411	371	397	367	410	396	416
9 or more	1,509	723	677	607	591	564	542	496	497	460	479
Not stated	—	134	133	79	26	67	34	46	23	37	26

Source: Registrar General

Marriages

TABLE 24

Number

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
United Kingdom											
Marriages	409,101	399,762	395,316	392,859	410,630	406,266	398,955	390,356	390,178	393,598	397,106
Persons marrying per 1,000 population	17·2	15·9	15·6	15·5	16·0	15·8	15·5	15·1	15·0	15·0	15·1
Civil condition											
Bachelors	375,925	348,563	346,374	346,059	363,375	361,875	356,501	350,300	349,443	352,630	
Divorced men	4,801	25,340	24,015	22,999	23,251	22,125	20,758	19,226	19,447	19,704	
Widowers	28,375	25,859	24,927	23,801	24,004	22,266	21,696	20,830	21,288	21,264	
Spinsters	387,000	354,080	351,905	351,051	368,248	366,139	360,655	354,442	353,607	356,819	
Divorced women	4,142	24,090	23,000	22,106	22,509	21,383	20,285	18,913	18,988	18,960	
Widows	17,959	21,592	20,411	19,702	19,873	18,744	18,015	17,001	17,583	17,819	
Males											
Under 21 years	14,092	24,701	25,881	27,549	32,715	36,147	39,344	42,485	43,433	46,601	
21–24	395,009	144,714	148,977	150,650	158,152	158,890	157,469	157,453	159,176	161,013	
25–29		113,539	108,907	107,141	111,056	107,655	103,140	97,114	94,920	94,636	
30–34		45,437	44,016	43,064	42,391	39,764	37,526	34,516	33,866	32,829	
35–44		37,241	34,175	31,564	32,724	31,289	29,758	28,091	27,475	27,041	
45–54		17,808	17,076	16,939	17,146	16,351	15,704	14,996	14,921	14,886	
55 and over		15,331	15,369	15,033	15,559	15,333	15,229	14,960	15,619	25,949	
Age not stated		991	915	919	887	837	785	741	768	643	
Females											
Under 21 years	67,596	102,404	105,975	111,005	123,228	129,328	132,702	135,883	137,100	141,882	
21–24	341,505	147,888	148,006	145,253	149,061	145,580	142,480	138,388	139,764	139,943	
25–29		68,569	63,693	61,797	62,126	59,195	55,087	51,334	48,979	47,987	
30–34		28,954	28,148	27,108	26,813	24,366	22,459	20,523	19,967	19,429	
35–44		28,111	25,956	24,336	25,102	24,214	23,024	21,604	21,074	20,781	
45–54		14,436	14,180	14,010	14,487	13,890	13,459	12,895	13,101	13,107	
55 and over		8,305	8,349	8,377	8,838	8,778	8,913	8,954	9,380	9,766	
Age not stated		1,095	1,009	973	975	915	831	775	813	703	
England and Wales											
Marriages	361,768	349,308	344,998	341,731	357,918	352,944	346,903	339,913	340,126	343,614	346,678
Persons marrying per 1,000 total population	17·6	15·8	15·6	15·4	16·0	15·7	15·4	15·0	14·9	15·0	15·0
Civil condition											
Bachelors	331,759	302,231	299,911	298,701	314,332	312,015	307,714	302,991	302,516	305,775	
Divorced men	4,404	23,719	22,557	21,555	21,793	20,721	19,455	18,024	18,238	18,473	
Widowers	25,605	23,358	22,530	21,475	21,793	20,208	19,734	18,898	19,372	19,366	
Spinsters	341,438	307,155	304,830	303,322	318,754	315,818	311,391	306,667	306,241	309,473	
Divorced women	3,775	22,379	21,432	20,424	20,893	19,877	18,913	17,605	17,714	17,729	
Widows	16,555	19,774	18,736	17,985	18,271	17,249	16,599	15,641	16,171	16,412	
Males											
Under 21 years	12,164	21,447	22,430	23,475	28,016	30,844	33,443	36,364	37,401	40,160	
21–24	106,069	128,017	131,631	132,682	139,439	139,382	138,107	138,248	139,839	141,460	
25–29	138,603	97,714	93,482	91,768	95,266	92,172	88,464	83,509	81,460	81,400	
30–34	51,592	38,853	37,518	36,737	36,205	33,852	32,113	29,559	29,001	28,190	
35–44	28,961	32,277	29,600	27,245	28,492	27,107	25,959	24,335	23,961	23,669	
45–54	11,499	15,948	15,269	15,122	15,346	14,661	14,020	13,440	13,289	13,391	
55 and over	11,201	14,104	14,182	13,835	14,299	14,113	14,022	13,730	14,417	14,713	
Age not stated	1,679	948	886	867	855	813	775	728	758	631	
Females											
Under 21 years	59,268	90,363	93,544	97,601	108,464	113,494	116,453	119,585	120,838	125,096	
21–24	136,087	129,236	128,944	126,140	129,658	125,952	123,369	119,918	121,110	121,417	
25–29	96,873	58,091	53,755	51,921	52,224	49,611	46,120	43,029	41,070	40,291	
30–34	32,443	24,896	24,213	23,249	23,036	20,814	19,217	17,502	17,031	16,637	
35–44	21,627	24,788	22,893	21,378	22,185	21,353	20,352	19,011	18,580	18,400	
45–54	8,585	13,117	12,863	12,666	13,143	12,595	12,272	11,736	11,913	11,981	
55 and over	5,050	7,774	7,812	7,852	8,267	8,237	8,298	8,368	8,783	9,100	
Age not stated	1,835	1,043	974	924	941	888	822	764	801	692	

Source: Registrars General

Marriages

TABLE 24 *(continued)*

Number

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Scotland											
Marriages	38,716	41,154	40,902	41,974	43,199	43,963	42,661	41,186	40,442	40,103	40,567
Persons marrying per 1,000 population	15·5	16·1	16·0	16·4	16·8	17·1	16·6	15·9	15·6	15·4	15·6
Civil condition											
Bachelors	36,142	37,543	37,535	38,631	39,948	40,874	39,749	38,426	37,667	37,325	
Divorced men	387	1,549	1,368	1,378	1,368	1,329	1,236	1,139	1,147	1,159	
Widowers	2,187	2,062	1,999	1,965	1,883	1,760	1,676	1,621	1,628	1,619	
Spinsters	37,179	37,967	37,985	38,873	40,315	41,220	40,128	38,784	38,015	37,711	
Divorced women	362	1,611	1,480	1,586	1,526	1,426	1,293	1,243	1,201	1,161	
Widows	1,175	1,576	1,437	1,515	1,358	1,317	1,240	1,159	1,226	1,231	
Males											
Under 21 years	1,648	2,754	2,922	3,523	4,087	4,610	5,154	5,376	5,280	5,500	
21–24	9,192	13,989	14,567	15,207	15,814	16,551	16,246	16,110	15,912	15,967	
25–29	14,292	12,940	12,511	12,536	12,795	12,634	11,909	10,913	10,694	10,492	
30–34	7,215	5,153	5,027	4,906	4,804	4,539	4,119	3,719	3,636	3,434	
35–44	4,205	3,847	3,478	3,300	3,216	3,204	2,833	2,824	2,600	2,485	
45–54	1,275	1,483	1,416	1,504	1,438	1,395	1,382	1,240	1,306	1,191	
55 and over	889	988	981	998	1,045	1,030	1,018	1,004	1,014	1,034	
Females											
Under 21 years	7,138	10,225	10,569	11,594	12,815	13,756	14,042	14,102	13,852	14,195	
21–24	11,927	15,288	15,597	15,698	15,897	16,216	15,614	15,003	14,997	14,724	
25–29	10,927	8,279	7,757	7,721	7,693	7,416	6,899	6,303	5,951	5,784	
30–34	4,804	3,157	3,040	2,998	2,890	2,705	2,449	2,310	2,172	2,034	
35–44	2,819	2,662	2,378	2,355	2,295	2,283	2,123	2,009	1,961	1,850	
45–54	789	1,095	1,108	1,156	1,120	1,115	1,003	958	987	943	
55 and over	312	448	453	452	489	472	531	501	522	573	
Northern Ireland											
Marriages	8,617	9,300	9,416	9,154	9,513	9,359	9,391	9,257	9,610	9,881	9,861
Persons marrying per 1,000 population	13·4	13·5	13·6	13·2	13·7	13·4	13·4	13·2	13·7	13·9	13·8
Civil condition											
Bachelors	8,024	8,789	8,928	8,727	9,095	8,986	9,038	8,883	9,260	9,530	9,476
Divorced men	10	72	90	66	90	75	67	63	62	72	72
Widowers	583	439	398	361	328	298	286	311	288	279	313
Spinsters	8,383	8,958	9,090	8,856	9,179	9,101	9,136	8,991	9,351	9,635	9,595
Divorced women	5	100	88	96	90	80	79	65	73	70	84
Widows	229	242	238	202	244	178	176	201	186	176	182
Males											
Under 21 years	280	500	529	551	612	693	747	745	752	941	930
21–24	8,337	2,708	2,779	2,761	2,899	2,957	3,116	3,095	3,425	3,586	3,589
25–29		2,885	2,914	2,837	2,995	2,849	2,767	2,692	2,766	2,744	2,831
30–34		1,431	1,471	1,421	1,382	1,373	1,294	1,238	1,229	1,205	1,127
35–44		1,117	1,097	1,019	1,016	978	966	932	914	887	846
45–54		377	391	313	362	295	302	316	326	304	301
55 and over		239	206	200	215	190	189	226	188	202	228
Age not stated		43	29	52	32	24	10	13	10	12	9
Females											
Under 21 years	1,190	1,816	1,862	1,810	1,949	2,078	2,207	2,196	2,410	2,591	2,612
21–24	7,427	3,364	3,465	3,415	3,506	3,412	3,497	3,467	3,657	3,802	3,786
25–29		2,199	2,181	2,155	2,209	2,168	2,068	2,002	1,958	1,912	1,933
30–34		901	895	861	887	847	793	711	764	758	710
35–44		661	685	603	622	578	549	584	533	531	517
45–54		224	209	188	224	180	184	201	201	183	206
55 and over		83	84	73	82	69	84	85	75	93	88
Age not stated		52	35	49	34	27	9	11	12	11	9

Source: Registrars General

Deaths: Analysis by age and sex

United Kingdom

TABLE 25

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages(1)	Under 1 year	1–4	5–9	10–14	15–19	20–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65–74	75–84	85 and over
Males														
1870–2	311,024	79,733	48,284	13,438	6,676	8,414	10,251	19,939	20,388	22,211	25,533	28,861	21,408	5,855
1880–2	313,253	79,672	48,395	11,938	5,780	7,492	8,574	17,731	21,084	23,479	28,844	31,349	23,181	5,726
1890–2	344,168	84,880	44,579	9,852	5,357	7,716	8,708	19,005	24,197	29,690	35,254	40,286	27,841	6,794
1900–2	340,664	87,242	37,834	8,429	4,696	7,047	8,766	19,154	24,749	30,488	37,610	39,765	28,320	6,563
1910–2	303,703	63,885	29,452	7,091	4,095	5,873	6,817	16,141	21,813	28,981	37,721	45,140	29,397	7,283
1920–2	284,876	48,044	19,008	6,052	3,953	5,906	6,572	13,663	19,702	29,256	40,583	49,398	34,937	7,801
1930–2	284,249	28,840	11,276	4,580	2,890	5,076	6,495	12,327	16,326	29,376	47,989	63.804	45,247	10,022
1937	304,439	25,401	7,556	3,482	2,379	4,256	5,421	12,053	16,198	29,958	55,229	74,949	55,394	12,161
1938	287,440	23,472	7,063	3,326	2,385	4,156	4,971	11,194	15,056	27,735	51,487	72,025	53,122	11,448
1939	297,626	22,375	5,314	2,813	2,034	4,039	4,673	10,952	14,974	28,339	54,442	76,670	58,314	12,681
1940	350,303	24,939	7,588	3,596	2,623	5,890	8,213	16,112	19,931	34,006	63,481	85,654	64,335	13,884
1941	328,880	25,419	7,952	3,799	2,717	5,854	8,536	16,509	19,527	29,829	57,070	78,725	59,224	12,637
1942	294,283	23,512	5,307	2,803	2,082	4,245	7,517	12,732	15,731	26,852	51,056	74,593	55,644	12,182
1943	302,621	24,154	5,022	2,771	1,959	3,999	7,798	11,575	15,742	27,604	51,929	76,624	59,652	13,772
1944	299,644	23,950	4,505	2,715	2,031	3,836	7,787	11,308	15,630	26,813	51,730	76,401	59,229	13,683
1945	292,302	22,370	4,319	2,337	1,767	3,142	5,194	9,225	14,181	26,146	51,199	77,000	61,269	14,141
1946	293,516	23,642	3,734	1,742	1,456	2,524	3,474	8,303	13,772	26,364	50,840	77,612	64,651	15,400
1947	310,131	25,849	3,983	1,846	1,321	2,509	3,353	8,189	13,506	27,269	52,257	81,940	70,832	17,277
1948	281,489	18,917	3,368	1,557	1,146	2,063	2,957	7,332	12,495	25,706	49,806	76,954	64,198	14,996
1949	300,486	16,858	3,117	1,490	1,088	1,918	2,878	6,707	12,366	26,715	52,415	83,584	72,957	18,373
1950	301,380	14,770	2,721	1,393	962	1,651	2,439	6,313	11,538	27,120	52,653	84,140	76,330	19,349
1951	323,728	14,393	2,726	1,321	954	1,436	2,275	5,965	11,351	28,742	56,263	91,784	85,124	21,394
1952	296,827	13,152	2,307	1,239	842	1,406	2,152	5,305	10,333	27,049	52,159	83,379	77,847	19,657
1953	297,486	12,767	2,106	1,262	810	1,346	1,929	5,159	9,625	27,143	52,560	84,028	78,890	19,859
1954	299,037	12,157	1,769	1,075	774	1,300	1,796	4,962	9,395	27,317	53,016	83,843	80,490	21,143
1955	306,166	11,752	1,696	1,111	824	1,403	1,867	4,668	9,198	27,521	54,216	85,067	84,073	22,770
1956	307,198	11,693	1,588	998	778	1,277	1,661	4,385	9,037	26,997	55,719	85,540	84,310	23,215
1957	305,958	11,702	1,692	1,032	932	1,464	1,784	4,265	9,096	27,443	57,909	85,688	80,585	22,366
1958	310,322	11,703	1,596	984	856	1,411	1,684	4,076	8,831	27,019	58,070	86,258	83,550	24,284
1959	310,311	11,557	1,692	938	868	1,586	1,816	3,889	8,722	26,639	59,757	85,818	82,381	24,648
1960	308,746	11,951	1,656	1,045	857	1.596	1,913	3,863	8,603	26,4[illegible]1	60,296	84,391	81,307	24,837
1961	322,025	12,049	1,836	960	863	1,712	1,833	3,947	8,799	26,556	63,586	88,408	84,372	27,104
Females														
1870–2	295,102	63,989	46,668	12,482	6,636	8,952	10,198	20,333	19,412	19,396	23,859	29,742	24,992	8,422
1880–2	297,888	63,415	46,411	11,432	6,000	7,953	9,219	18,914	19,932	20,530	27,057	32,429	26,480	8,115
1890–2	330,339	67,032	42,974	9,894	5,796	7,891	8,949	19,686	22,156	25,320	33,664	43,332	33,510	10,133
1900–2	322,058	68,770	36,164	8,757	5,034	6,818	8,264	18,702	21,887	25,679	34,521	42,456	34,907	10,099
1910–2	289,608	49,865	27,817	7,113	4,355	5,683	6,522	15,676	19,647	24,481	32,813	46,453	37,353	11,828
1920–2	274,772	35,356	17,323	5,808	4,133	5,729	6,753	14,878	18,121	24,347	34,026	48,573	45,521	14,203
1930–2	275,336	21,072	9,995	3,990	2,734	4,721	5,931	12,699	15,373	24,695	39,471	59,520	56,250	18,886
1937	293,359	18,793	6,564	3,035	2,146	3,723	5,005	11,552	14,691	24,481	43,643	69,103	67,659	22,964
1938	272,158	17,348	6,023	3,055	2,048	3,579	4,312	10,369	13,363	22,427	40,853	64,770	63,058	20,953
1939	284,231	16,549	4,466	2,248	1,769	3,554	4,106	10,307	13,257	22,872	41,834	69,381	69,986	23,902
1940	322,950	17,898	6,454	3.007	2,297	4,673	5,226	12,175	15,608	25,953	47,380	77,909	77,880	26,490
1941	298,892	18,616	7,000	3,067	2,269	4,575	5,377	11,770	14,544	23,885	42,112	70,419	70,529	24,728
1942	268,387	17,294	4,403	2,155	1,638	3,360	4,612	9,893	12,639	21,058	38,463	64,392	65,721	22,758
1943	283,244	17,915	4,395	2,037	1,697	3,214	4,565	9,687	13,104	21,601	39,238	68,083	72,084	25,624
1944	274,115	17,825	3,675	2,002	1,572	2,893	4,651	9,307	12,374	20,901	37,962	66,238	70,069	24,646
1945	274,893	16,453	3,580	1,707	1,320	2,560	3,949	8,333	11,702	20,280	37,750	68,022	72,806	26,431
1946	279,885	17,146	2,992	1,309	1,115	2,219	3,525	8,080	11,220	20,037	37,634	69,290	76,357	28,959
1947	290,628	18,967	3,161	1,308	1,070	2,287	3,467	7,826	11,052	19,867	37,211	71,611	81,570	31,231
1948	264,533	13,682	2,753	1,091	962	2,067	3,017	7,125	10,013	18,829	35,094	66,758	74,961	28,181
1949	289,409	12,302	2,515	990	843	1,727	2,763	6,586	10,038	19,241	37,079	74,357	86,669	34,299
1950	288,756	10,782	2,267	948	676	1,364	2,099	5,719	9,448	19,097	36,973	73,893	89,858	35,631
1951	309,058	10,394	2,277	853	634	1,092	1,672	5,080	9,271	19,405	38,666	80,351	99,924	39,439
1952	276,979	9,701	1,751	836	566	888	1,380	4,256	8,250	18,126	35,583	71,416	88,762	35,464
1953	279,734	9,447	1,749	860	595	781	1,190	4,164	7,969	17,921	34,909	71,144	91,722	37,283
1954	279,363	8,815	1,298	716	540	753	1,092	3,929	7,692	18,012	34,940	70,958	92,452	38,166
1955	289,750	8,610	1,481	783	570	682	938	3,571	7,215	17,700	35,160	73,146	98,037	41,857
1956	290,783	8,438	1,251	695	502	586	878	3,201	7,123	17,148	35,320	72,565	99,828	43,248
1957	285,242	8,689	1,345	696	606	730	884	3,082	7,280	17,304	35,719	71,452	96,024	41,431
1958	293,718	8,590	1,203	601	491	593	878	2,839	6,836	17,175	35,425	72,044	101,686	45,357
1959	295,804	8,763	1,308	620	597	633	868	2,717	6,655	16,717	35,631	72,199	102,392	46,704
1960	294,582	8,710	1,288	666	537	635	754	2,511	6,443	16,718	35,232	70,844	102,407	47,837
1961	309,764	8,835	1,352	601	529	712	849	2,453	6,495	16,951	36,290	74,786	107,824	52,087

(1) In some years the totals include a small number of persons whose age was not stated.

Source: Registrars General

Deaths: Analysis by age and sex

England and Wales

TABLE 26

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages	Under 1 year	1–4	5–9	10–14	15–19	20–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65–74	75–84	85 and over
Males														
1870–2	262,095	69,517	40,639	10,920	5,347	6,661	8,278	16,753	17,440	18,942	21,501	24,017	17,617	4,463
1880–2	264,271	69,527	41,108	9,689	4,543	5,797	6,714	14,871	18,044	19,909	24,453	26,385	18,853	4,380
1890–2	293,001	74,372	37,914	8,119	4,289	6,072	6,921	16,022	20,954	25,472	30,045	34,492	23,180	5,148
1900–2	288,886	76,095	32,051	7,066	3,818	5,611	7,028	15,869	21,135	26,065	31,600	33,568	23,835	5,144
1910–2	257,255	54,678	24,676	5,907	3,348	4,765	5,596	13,603	18,665	24,820	32,217	38,016	24,928	6,036
1920–2	240,605	39,796	15,565	5,151	3,314	4,901	5,447	11,551	17,004	25,073	34,639	42,025	29,685	6,455
1930–2	243,147	23,331	9,099	3,844	2,435	4,354	5,580	10,600	14,041	25,657	41,581	54,910	39,091	8,624
1937	260,057	20,281	6,091	2,930	1,963	3,552	4,583	10,214	13,789	25,919	48,199	64,310	47,732	10,494
1938(1)	246,898	18,945	5,535	2,814	1,987	3,506	4,285	9,617	12,869	24,071	44,964	62,268	46,072	9,965
1939(1)	255,879	17,870	4,299	2,361	1,649	3,403	3,972	9,365	12,791	24,588	47,665	66,170	50,684	11,062
1940	303,089	19,693	6,051	3,003	2,228	5,119	7,263	14,176	17,320	29,795	56,070	74,212	56,031	12,128
1941	281,035	19,912	6,523	3,148	2,219	4,923	7,214	14,096	16,715	26,550	49,784	67,801	51,282	10,868
1942	251,333	18,573	4,273	2,350	1,705	3,447	6,239	10,764	13,413	23,001	44,691	64,375	48,023	10,479
1943	259,206	19,192	4,044	2,282	1,588	3,243	6,538	9,727	13,367	23,815	45,575	66,281	51,613	11,941
1944	257,705	19,162	3,635	2,265	1,685	3,178	6,671	9,757	13,464	23,158	45,354	66,265	51,241	11,870
1945	252,078	18,387	3,531	1,954	1,453	2,575	4,372	7,849	12,131	22,503	44,874	66,944	53,222	12,283
1946	252,380	19,458	2,962	1,393	1,176	2,057	2,876	6,958	11,702	22,586	44,509	67,089	56,139	13,475
1947	267,714	21,225	3,240	1,501	1,094	2,034	2,768	6,987	11,542	23,383	45,788	71,410	61,550	15,192
1948	242,899	15,447	2,744	1,291	905	1,688	2,439	6,181	10,605	22,108	43,593	67,172	55,693	13,033
1949	260,687	13,854	2,576	1,213	903	1,588	2,387	5,669	10,546	23,053	45,901	73,194	63,621	16,182
1950	261,152	12,058	2,207	1,176	803	1,366	2,068	5,386	9,865	23,323	45,886	73,592	66,398	17,024
1951	281,724	11,773	2,257	1,072	812	1,181	1,931	5,058	9,713	24,799	49,367	80,670	74,315	18,776
1952	257,760	10,663	1,930	1,014	720	1,198	1,841	4,525	8,890	23,322	45,592	73,060	67,774	17,231
1953	259,490	10,487	1,757	1,043	665	1,104	1,640	4,381	8,172	23,523	46,006	73,936	69,223	17,553
1954	259,797	9,955	1,436	893	656	1,095	1,534	4,186	8,092	23,559	46,109	73,606	70,205	18,471
1955	266,976	9,653	1,395	929	696	1,210	1,607	3,946	7,837	23,751	47.320	74,874	73,771	19,987
1956	267,904	9,629	1,317	857	668	1,076	1,464	3,738	7,758	23,300	48,603	75,172	73,828	20,494
1957	266,407	9,591	1,403	849	789	1,276	1,562	3,623	7,807	23,635	50,486	75,384	70,500	19,502
1958	270,639	9,634	1,353	837	725	1,192	1,472	3,489	7,563	23,379	50,667	75,734	73,243	21,351
1959	269,878	9,454	1,391	818	721	1,400	1,593	3,331	7,483	22,928	52,025	75,128	72,003	21,603
1960	269,172	9,911	1,362	881	722	1,405	1,669	3,269	7,444	22,783	52,476	74,127	71,310	21,813
1961	280,784	9,989	1,536	803	745	1,517	1,589	3,381	7,539	22,947	55,291	77,733	74,029	23,685
Females														
1870–2	245,396	55,850	39,243	10,132	5,223	7,068	8,261	16,705	16,161	16,186	19,646	24,335	20,134	6,452
1880–2	248,133	55,367	39,456	9,303	4,639	6,083	7,251	15,424	16,595	17,072	22,495	26,920	21,256	6,273
1890–2	276,951	58,701	36,525	8,093	4,554	6,137	7,037	15,979	18,594	21,215	28,118	36,538	27,636	7,824
1900–2	269,432	60,090	30,674	7,278	4,010	5,265	6,497	15,065	18,253	21,474	28,424	35,307	29,118	7,977
1910–2	242,079	42,642	23,335	5,883	3,519	4,522	5,256	12,742	16,363	20,611	27,571	38,489	31,363	9,782
1920–2	229,908	29,178	14,174	4,928	3,456	4,719	5,533	12,244	15,142	20,580	28,633	41,010	38,439	11,871
1930–2	233,915	16,929	8,013	3,338	2,293	3,969	5,039	10,716	13,022	21,190	33,798	50,844	48,531	16,234
1937	249,517	14,894	5,220	2,529	1,779	3,038	4,208	9,733	12,428	20,992	37,469	59,035	58,285	19,907
1938	232,098	13,779	4,680	2,565	1,681	2,964	3,573	8,744	11,316	19,247	35,019	55,518	54,679	18,333
1939	244,023	13,320	3,625	1,836	1,467	2,939	3,413	8,731	11,227	19,648	36,148	59,824	60,853	20,992
1940	278,448	14,199	5,053	2,488	1,949	3,977	4,486	10,393	13,407	22,611	41,136	67,497	67,983	23,269
1941	254,145	14,638	5,626	2,529	1,812	3,695	4,445	9,888	12,272	20,494	36,210	60,134	60,890	21,512
1942	228,804	13,685	3,499	1,779	1,323	2,675	3,791	8,184	10,627	18,142	33,100	55,329	56,798	19,872
1943	242,206	14,239	3,539	1,622	1,390	2,530	3,745	8,070	11,081	18,512	33,679	58,732	62,654	22,413
1944	234,471	14,293	2,977	1,630	1,283	2,299	3,836	7,821	10,509	17,968	32,705	57,041	60,581	21,528
1945	236,030	13,572	2,910	1,406	1,085	2,005	3,229	6,894	9,934	17,351	32,623	58,604	63,293	23,124
1946	239,710	14,083	2,372	1,034	889	1,717	2,835	6,609	9,501	17,160	32,277	59,545	66,331	25,357
1947	249,901	15,624	2,525	1,048	827	1,732	2,801	6,437	9,350	17,020	31,976	61,805	71,282	27,474
1948	226,999	11,319	2,275	883	755	1,583	2,378	5,838	8,375	16,051	30,143	57,440	65,183	24,776
1949	250,050	10,028	2,065	832	683	1,338	2,161	5,385	8,509	16,433	31,934	64,385	75,841	30,456
1950	249,149	8,759	1,880	795	567	1,089	1,652	4,665	7,955	16,363	31,685	63,878	78,408	31,453
1951	267,656	8,450	1,876	699	516	880	1,332	4,198	7,838	16,645	33,280	69,671	87,402	34,869
1952	239,724	7,892	1,426	701	476	709	1,110	3,531	6,966	15,476	30,659	61,712	77,651	31,415
1953	244,039	7,837	1,447	720	496	634	976	3,469	6,817	15,296	30,309	61,949	80,838	33,251
1954	242,099	7,205	1,065	610	450	640	894	3,318	6,557	15,314	29,959	61,625	80,708	33,754
1955	251,888	6,960	1,243	650	478	561	771	2,993	6,143	15,238	30,177	63,457	85,999	37,218
1956	253,427	6,925	1,059	599	422	499	741	2,707	6,124	14,737	30,334	63,062	87,698	38,520
1957	248,463	7,129	1,151	577	517	621	750	2,624	6,182	14,915	30,742	62,110	84,499	36,646
1958	256,204	7,051	995	514	419	498	760	2,385	5,781	14,767	30,409	62,624	89,476	40,525
1959	257,773	7,175	1,070	533	512	532	751	2,324	5,682	14,380	30,530	62,655	90,060	41,569
1960	257,096	7,207	1,069	545	467	543	644	2,138	5,504	14,348	30,303	61,347	90,260	42,721
1961	270,969	7,403	1,127	517	441	620	746	2,110	5,573	14,594	31,231	64,984	95,066	46,557

Source: Registrar General

(1) Including 167 deaths registered in 1938 and 98 deaths registered in 1939 from the Gresford mine disaster of 1934.

Deaths: Analysis by age and sex

Scotland

TABLE 27

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages(¹)	Under 1 year	1–4	5–9	10–14	15–19	20–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65–74	75–84	85 and over
Males														
1870–2	37,211	8,142	6,336	2,010	1,033	1,314	1,498	2,421	2,306	2,562	2,944	3,332	2,494	786
1880–2	36,826	8,276	5,987	1,768	890	1,206	1,333	2,219	2,346	2,719	3,221	3,441	2,671	739
1890–2	39,238	8,701	5,503	1,379	811	1,208	1,310	2,277	2,582	3,298	3,910	4,220	3,112	919
1900–2	40,224	9,189	4,798	1,083	672	1,069	1,292	2,506	2,935	3,591	4,597	4,531	3,117	834
1910–2	35,981	7,510	3,935	962	595	826	910	1,969	2,469	3,325	4,356	5,113	3,182	813
1920–2	34,649	6,757	2,847	710	489	747	791	1,616	2,128	3,314	4,785	5,624	3,928	911
1930–2	32,476	4,426	1,771	610	365	568	706	1,352	1,848	2,979	5,095	6,906	4,839	1,010
1937	34,964	4,034	1,159	461	336	564	662	1,468	1,925	3,234	5,694	8,183	5,982	1,260
1938	31,806	3,483	1,127	390	305	523	554	1,240	1,735	2,946	5,214	7,607	5,578	1,104
1939	33,002	3,462	779	371	299	510	581	1,268	1,759	3,042	5,499	8,119	6,069	1,238
1940	37,649	3,996	1,156	479	314	632	744	1,538	2,160	3,421	6,110	9,051	6,650	1,347
1941	37,690	4,306	1,109	516	366	736	954	1,844	2,234	2,474	5,868	8,553	6,282	1,366
1942	33,813	3,616	768	352	284	636	967	1,548	1,876	3,150	5,207	8,064	6,019	1,299
1943	34,326	3,540	727	391	294	609	963	1,503	1,935	3,090	5,213	8,169	6,451	1,421
1944	33,323	3,621	666	371	283	531	901	1,231	1,746	2,952	5,258	8,065	6,290	1,382
1945	32,001	2,896	596	308	254	453	639	1,090	1,691	2,985	5,197	8,067	6,383	1,430
1946	32,717	3,232	587	284	222	364	466	1,081	1,682	3,113	5,214	8,323	6,704	1,443
1947	33,801	3,650	537	272	182	357	451	961	1,604	3,176	5,322	8,392	7,279	1,618
1948	30,844	2,660	468	219	195	288	421	910	1,556	2,937	5,156	7,808	6,709	1,517
1949	31,851	2,273	413	224	150	247	402	834	1,494	3,059	5,387	8,342	7,333	1,673
1950	32,191	2,058	396	163	124	235	304	724	1,351	3,135	5,588	8,475	7,834	1,803
1951	33,116	1,969	358	187	101	200	244	728	1,290	3,231	5,670	8,792	8,394	1,952
1952	31,401	1,819	292	176	91	164	247	626	1,160	3,087	5,464	8,364	8,053	1,858
1953	30,326	1,628	270	172	111	194	225	639	1,179	2,958	5,415	8,155	7,646	1,732
1954	31,493	1,655	257	145	84	160	219	636	1,066	3,129	5,751	8,204	8,187	2,000
1955	31,329	1,577	240	147	104	146	204	591	1,102	3,144	5,707	8,209	8,106	2,052
1956	31,651	1,597	212	110	93	164	159	551	1,033	3,063	5,859	8,474	8,273	2,063
1957	31,622	1,639	223	146	115	141	174	524	1,038	3,170	6,114	8,291	7,934	2,113
1958	31,765	1,578	178	119	99	168	173	481	1,046	3,027	6,074	8.539	8,089	2,194
1959	32,454	1,637	245	100	109	142	174	460	1,007	3,079	6,380	8,588	8,277	2,256
1960	31,682	1,542	223	121	105	134	188	489	954	3,026	6,441	8,330	7,894	2,235
1961	32,819	1,520	235	122	85	144	189	443	1,021	2,987	6,833	8,556	8,147	2,537
Females														
1870–2	37,680	6,531	6,177	1,866	1,064	1,321	1,415	2,702	2,478	2,483	3,067	3,821	3,384	1,350
1880–2	36,880	6,592	5,699	1,614	940	1,235	1,342	2,550	2,422	2,516	3,252	3,957	3,559	1,200
1890–2	40,136	6,859	5,281	1,420	897	1,160	1,308	2,712	2,678	2,952	4,025	5,032	4,273	1,537
1900–2	39,891	7,143	4,477	1,162	747	1,058	1,246	2,625	2,732	3,130	4,485	5,273	4,305	1,508
1910–2	36,132	5,854	3,674	981	618	836	901	2,149	2,473	2,909	3,960	5,636	4,588	1,552
1920–2	34,449	5,029	2,602	687	489	711	889	1,947	2,266	2,828	4,157	5,587	5,443	1,814
1930–2	32,377	3,319	1,602	527	339	568	666	1,508	1,812	2,731	4,380	6,630	6,178	2,117
1937	33,978	3,016	1,036	390	267	538	598	1,394	1,731	2,717	4,820	7,678	7,371	2,422
1938	31,147	2,680	971	379	271	493	580	1,238	1,560	2,516	4,536	7,090	6,680	2,153
1939	31,411	2,493	643	328	222	474	520	1,226	1,562	2,568	4,495	7,276	7,248	2,356
1940	35,126	2,770	1,026	418	268	569	584	1,367	1,712	2,622	4,993	8,131	8,022	2,644
1941	34,868	3,120	1,077	413	329	663	723	1,455	1,760	2,660	4,622	7,794	7,655	2,596
1942	31,150	2,667	661	287	252	552	662	1,323	1,543	2,303	4,274	7,096	7,162	2,367
1943	32,407	2,634	633	327	252	555	657	1,282	1,594	2,444	4,461	7,330	7,609	2,629
1944	31,280	2,616	525	281	224	470	659	1,128	1,459	2,340	4,190	7,163	7,684	2,541
1945	30,654	1,993	496	226	192	445	563	1,107	1,390	2,357	4,137	7,402	7,655	2,691
1946	31,888	2,389	465	215	172	394	544	1,182	1,361	2,305	4,248	7,613	8,027	2,971
1947	32,399	2,659	458	208	193	456	539	1,132	1,335	2,249	4,218	7,739	8,170	3,043
1948	30,135	1,826	337	169	166	397	532	1,043	1,296	2,240	4,051	7,437	7,877	2,764
1949	31,637	1,688	338	133	117	328	505	982	1,247	2,258	4,169	8,027	8,747	3,098
1950	31,805	1,511	298	116	83	228	381	850	1,218	2,215	4,303	8,072	9,180	3,349
1951	32,662	1,422	306	122	99	177	274	704	1,136	2,213	4,272	8,490	9,802	3,645
1952	30,109	1,362	247	106	71	151	225	587	1,028	2,137	4,036	7,910	8,949	3,300
1953	28,552	1,172	229	114	78	122	168	533	939	2,120	3,756	7,306	8,800	3,215
1954	29,887	1,206	178	84	68	90	164	502	912	2,211	4,060	7,501	9,427	3,484
1955	30,316	1,234	171	105	72	94	132	477	847	1,994	4,066	7,829	9,621	3,674
1956	30,141	1,130	159	79	61	66	114	392	796	1,991	4,065	7,715	9,775	3,798
1957	29,521	1,163	141	90	78	83	107	375	881	1,951	4,060	7,531	9,306	3,755
1958	30,300	1,180	160	71	59	74	103	381	864	1,970	4,113	7,661	9,823	3,841
1959	30,607	1,179	187	61	60	81	100	324	797	1,872	4,197	7,759	9,942	4,048
1960	30,082	1,131	156	97	57	75	89	296	759	1,890	3,996	7,708	9,776	4,052
1961	31,109	1,095	171	67	70	70	79	270	757	1,940	4,189	7.908	10,210	4,283

(¹) In some years the totals include a small number of persons whose age was not stated.

Source: Registrar General

Deaths: Analysis by age and sex

Northern Ireland

TABLE 28

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages	Under 1 year	1–4	5–9	10–14	15–19	20–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65–74	75–84	85 and over
Males														
1870–2.........	11,718	2,074	1,309	508	296	439	475	765	642	707	1,088	1,512	1,297	606
1880–2.........	12,156	1,869	1,300	481	347	489	527	641	694	851	1,170	1,523	1,657	607
1890–2.........	11,929	1,807	1,162	354	257	436	477	706	661	920	1,299	1,574	1,549	727
1900–2.........	11,554	1,958	985	280	206	367	446	779	669	832	1,413	1,666	1,368	585
1910–2.........	10,469	1,697	841	222	152	282	311	569	679	836	1,148	2,011	1,287	434
1920–2.........	9,622	1,491	596	191	150	258	334	496	570	869	1,159	1,749	1,324	435
1930–2.........	8,626	1,083	406	126	90	154	209	375	437	740	1,313	1,988	1,317	388
1937............	9,418	1,086	306	91	80	140	176	371	484	805	1,336	2,456	1,680	407
1938............	8,736	1,044	401	122	93	127	132	337	452	718	1,309	2,150	1,472	379
1939............	8,745	1,043	236	81	86	126	120	319	424	709	1,278	2,381	1,561	381
1940............	9,565	1,250	381	114	81	139	206	398	451	790	1,301	2,391	1,654	409
1941............	10,155	1,201	320	135	132	195	368	569	578	805	1,418	2,371	1,660	403
1942............	9,137	1,323	266	101	93	162	311	420	442	701	1,158	2,154	1,602	404
1943............	9,089	1,422	251	98	77	147	297	345	440	699	1,141	2,174	1,588	410
1944............	8,616	1,167	204	79	63	127	215	320	420	703	1,118	2,071	1,698	431
1945............	8,223	1,087	192	75	60	114	183	286	359	658	1,128	1,989	1,664	428
1946............	8,419	952	185	65	58	103	132	264	388	665	1,117	2,200	1,808	482
1947............	8,616	974	206	73	45	118	134	241	360	710	1,147	2,138	2,003	467
1948............	7,746	810	156	47	46	87	97	241	334	655	1,057	1,974	1,796	446
1949............	7,948	731	128	53	35	83	89	204	326	603	1,127	2,048	2,003	518
1950............	8,037	654	118	54	35	50	67	203	322	662	1,179	2,073	2,098	522
1951............	8,888	651	111	62	41	55	100	179	348	712	1,226	2,322	2,415	666
1952............	7,666	670	85	49	31	44	64	154	283	640	1,103	1,955	2,020	568
1953............	7,670	652	79	47	34	48	64	139	274	662	1,139	1,937	2,021	574
1954............	7,747	547	76	37	34	45	43	140	237	629	1,156	2,033	2,098	672
1955............	7,861	522	61	35	24	47	56	131	259	626	1,189	1,984	2,196	731
1956............	7,643	467	59	31	17	37	38	96	246	634	1,257	1,894	2,209	658
1957............	7,929	472	66	37	28	47	48	118	251	638	1,309	2,013	2,151	751
1958............	7,918	491	65	28	32	51	39	106	222	613	1,329	1,985	2,218	739
1959............	7,979	466	56	20	38	44	49	98	232	632	1,352	2,102	2,101	789
1960............	7,892	498	71	43	30	57	56	105	205	622	1,379	1,934	2,103	789
1961............	8,422	540	65	35	33	51	55	123	239	622	1,462	2,119	2,196	882
Females														
1870–2.........	12,026	1,608	1,248	484	349	563	522	926	773	727	1,146	1,586	1,474	620
1880–2.........	12,875	1,456	1,256	515	421	635	626	940	915	942	1,310	1,552	1,665	642
1890–2.........	13,252	1,472	1,168	381	345	594	604	995	884	1,153	1,521	1,762	1,601	772
1900–2.........	12,735	1,537	1,013	317	277	495	521	1,012	902	1,075	1,612	1,876	1,484	614
1910–2.........	11,397	1,369	808	249	218	325	365	785	811	961	1,282	2,328	1,402	494
1920–2.........	10,415	1,149	547	193	188	299	331	687	713	939	1,236	1,976	1,639	518
1930–2.........	9,044	824	380	125	102	184	226	475	539	774	1,293	2,046	1,541	535
1937............	9,864	883	308	116	100	147	199	425	532	772	1,354	2,390	2,003	635
1938............	8,913	889	372	111	96	122	159	387	487	664	1,298	2,162	1,699	467
1939............	8,797	736	198	84	80	141	173	350	468	656	1,191	2,281	1,885	554
1940............	9,376	929	375	101	80	127	156	415	489	720	1,251	2,281	1,875	577
1941............	9,879	858	297	125	128	217	209	427	512	731	1,280	2,491	1,984	620
1942............	8,433	942	243	89	63	133	159	386	469	613	1,089	1,967	1,761	519
1943............	8,631	1,042	223	88	55	129	163	335	429	645	1,098	2,021	1,821	582
1944............	8,364	916	173	91	65	124	156	358	406	593	1,067	2,034	1,804	577
1945............	8,209	888	174	75	43	110	157	332	378	572	990	2,016	1,858	616
1946............	8,287	674	155	60	54	108	146	289	358	572	1,109	2,132	1,999	631
1947............	8,328	684	178	52	50	99	127	257	367	598	1,017	2,067	2,118	714
1948............	7,399	537	141	39	41	87	107	244	342	538	900	1,881	1,901	641
1949............	7,722	586	112	25	43	61	97	219	282	550	976	1,945	2,081	745
1950............	7,802	512	89	37	26	47	66	204	275	519	985	1,943	2,270	829
1951............	8,740	522	95	32	19	35	66	178	297	547	1,114	2,190	2,720	925
1952............	7,146	447	78	29	19	28	45	138	256	513	888	1,794	2,162	749
1953............	7,143	438	73	26	21	25	46	162	213	505	844	1,889	2,084	817
1954............	7,377	404	55	22	22	23	34	109	223	487	921	1,832	2,317	928
1955............	7,546	416	67	28	20	27	35	101	225	468	917	1,860	2,417	965
1956............	7,215	383	33	17	19	21	23	102	203	420	921	1,788	2,355	930
1957............	7,258	397	53	29	11	26	27	83	217	438	917	1,811	2,219	1,030
1958............	7,214	359	48	16	13	21	15	73	191	438	903	1,759	2,387	991
1959............	7,424	409	51	26	25	20	17	69	176	465	904	1,785	2,390	1,087
1960............	7,404	372	63	24	13	17	21	77	180	480	933	1,789	2,371	1,064
1961............	7,686	337	54	17	18	22	24	73	165	417	870	1,894	2,548	1,247

Source: Registrar General

Deaths analysed by cause(¹)

TABLE 29

United Kingdom

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total deaths	573,806	577,220	578,400	595,916	597,981	591,200	604,040	606,115	603,328	631,789
Deaths from natural causes	551,999	553,959	554,370	570,991	572,989	566,304	578,242	579,885	576,747	604,992
Tuberculosis of respiratory system [001–008]	11,069	9,329	8,275	6,877	5,715	5,063	4,776	4,109	3,677	3,518
Tuberculosis, other forms [010–019]	1,538	1,230	1,001	808	625	619	545	464	381	397
Syphilis and its sequelae [020–029]	1,762	1,567	1,562	1,520	1,508	1,424	1,130	1,059	1,037	980
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers [040–041]	26	12	10	19	9	11	5	5	3	4
Scarlet fever [050]	25	28	28	22	16	10	4	1	—	3
Diphtheria [055]	40	26	10	14	10	6	8	1	5	10
Whooping cough [056]	232	297	172	116	122	111	39	45	48	33
Meningococcal infections [057]	344	336	306	245	226	209	173	192	118	151
Acute poliomyelitis [080]	294	348	137	263	128	246	150	67	24	63
Acute infectious encephalitis [082]	120	146	100	99	124	122	106	127	138	133
Measles [085]	171	277	61	203	41	114	53	118	33	174
Malignant neoplasm of stomach [151]	16,665	16,395	[illegible]	16,333	16,161	16,120	16,210	16,187	15,984	15,730
Malignant neoplasm of intestines and rectum [152–154]	18,174	17,853	17,818	17,599	17,315	17,046	17,162	17,178	16,937	16,844
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, lung [162, 163]	15,938	17,131	18,406	19,343	20,501	21,513	22,360	23,739	24,757	25,641
Malignant neoplasm of breast [170]	9,341	9,233	9,502	9,595	9,724	9,819	10,095	9,839	10,267	10,521
Malignant neoplasm of uterus [171–174]	4,612	4,536	4,403	4,453	4,508	4,460	4,622	4,497	4,656	4,512
Leukaemia and aleukaemia [204]	2,311	2,375	2,464	2,519	2,609	2,708	2,710	2,867	3,038	3,010
Malignant neoplasm of other sites [Remainder of 140–205]	32,821	32,716	33,962	34,318	34,927	35,404	35,817	36,186	36,583	37,105
Diabetes mellitus [260]	3,890	3,714	3,577	3,847	3,804	3,731	3,940	3,833	4,202	4,556
Vascular lesions affecting the central nervous system [330–334]	80,403	78,890	83,790	85,872	86,293	85,299	88,308	87,098	88,262	89,138
Rheumatic fever [400–402]	413	396	384	307	290	239	168	162	147	127
Chronic rheumatic heart disease [410–416]	10,172	9,851	9,603	9,364	9,231	9,337	8,449	8,072	8,095	8,461
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease [420–422]	154,239	151,542	155,362	160,384	162,394	157,309	163,903	159,655	165,337	169,982
Influenza [480–483]	2,127	6,854	2,072	3,324	3,048	7,626	2,599	8,684	1,243	7,803
Pneumonia (except newborn) [490–493]	21,038	23,027	20,378	23,496	24,797	25,485	26,482	29,893	26,874	32,613
Bronchitis [500–502]	29,693	32,564	27,847	31,391	32,279	29,464	32,229	32,175	29,280	34,576
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum [540, 541]	6,128	5,789	6,239	6,305	6,054	5,717	5,531	5,172	5,386	5,078
Gastro enteritis and colitis, except ulcerative aged 4 weeks–2 years [571·0]	903	879	623	623	421	412	376	416	456	480
Nephritis [590–594]	6,632	6,185	6,016	5,590	5,519	5,004	4,616	4,225	4,188	3,962
Hyperplasia of prostate [610]	4,931	4,730	4,911	4,685	4,391	4,142	4,079	3,957	3,721	3,535
Sepsis of pregnancy, childbirth or puerperium, including abortion [640, 641, 651, 681, 682, 684]	140	132	116	133	110	105	105	90	78	79
Other maternal causes (including abortion) [Remainder of 640–689]	481	498	455	373	357	323	292	253	278	252
Congenital malformations [750–759]	5,320	5,093	5,384	5,428	5,493	5,892	5,760	5,875	6,051	6,186
Birth injuries, post-natal asphyxia, atelectasis [760–762]	5,229	5,195	5,271	5,098	5,314	5,642	5,430	5,588	5,511	5,676
Other diseases peculiar to early infancy [Remainder of 760–776]	7,037	6,658	6,277	6,069	5,974	5,779	5,967	5,699	5,951	5,952
All other natural causes [Remainder of 001–795]	97,740	98,127	101,663	104,356	102,951	99,793	104,043	102,357	104,001	107,707
Deaths by violence(²)	21,807	23,261	24,030	24,925	24,992	24,896	25,798	26,230	26,581	26,797
Transport accidents:										
Motor vehicle [810–835]	4,688	5,073	5,280	5,667	5,730	5,622	6,177	6,806	7,496	7,536
Other [800–802, 840–866]	1,363	1,293	1,084	1,028	975	1,010	1,051	804	759	733
Other accidents:										
Poisoning [870–895]	1,106	1,228	1,342	1,447	1,415	1,461	1,624	1,677	1,776	1,844
Falls [900–904]	4,862	5,430	6,116	6,161	6,336	6,087	6,321	6,463	6,292	6,293
Fire or hot substance [916–917]	997	868	927	997	979	900	905	998	907	924
Other [910–915, 918–936, 940–962]	3,800	3,961	3,564	3,848	3,498	3,635	3,598	3,423	3,429	3,444
Accidents in the home(³):										
Poisoning	869	1,025	1,096	1,176	1,178	1,279	1,412	1,426	1,558	1,602
Falls	3,494	4,068	4,695	4,892	4,610	4,804	4,818	4,839	4,740	4,689
Fire or hot substance	800	710	814	831	850	767	801	833	746	750
Other	1,086	1,226	1,118	1,129	1,019	1,160	1,078	998	1,036	1,053
Suicide [963, 970–979]	4,660	5,081	5,393	5,440	5,739	5,786	5,780	5,707	5,583	5,681
Homicide and operations of war [964, 965, 980–999]	331	327	324	337	320	395	342	352	339	342

Source: Registrars General

(¹) The figures in square brackets following each cause of death are the reference numbers to the particular cause in the *International List of Causes of Death*. From 1958, the references relate to the *Seventh revision* of the *List*, 1955.

(²) Classified by external cause.

(³) Great Britain only. The figures are included in the analysis immediately above.

Deaths analysed by cause(1)

TABLE 30

England and Wales

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total deaths	497,484	503,529	501,896	518,864	521,331	514,870	526,843	527,651	526,268	551,753
Deaths from natural causes	478,682	483,665	481,027	497,395	499,461	493,309	504,387	504,816	503,146	528,438
Tuberculosis of respiratory system [001–008]	9,335	7,913	7,069	5,837	4,853	4,249	3,999	3,474	3,105	2,998
Tuberculosis, other forms [010–019]	1,250	989	828	655	522	535	481	380	330	331
Syphilis and its sequelae [020–029]	1,619	1,445	1,421	1,385	1,374	1,292	1,041	958	944	900
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers(2) [040-041]	21(4)	5(1)	8(2)	15(1)	7	10(2)	4	5	3	2
Scarlet fever(2)[050]	23(15)	27	27(23)	21(19)	15(14)	10(7)	4	1	—	3
Diphtheria(2)[055]	32(9)	23(2)	9(1)	13(1)	8(4)	6(2)	8	—	5	10
Whooping cough(2)[056]	184(3)	243	139(1)	88(1)	95(3)	88(1)	27	25	37	27
Meningococcal infections [057]	290	291	259	205	189	184	145	159	95	130
Acute poliomyelitis [080]	275	320	112	241	114	226	129	66	23	59
Acute infectious encephalitis [082]	105	134	88	87	106	109	92	108	124	118
Measles(2) [085]	141	245(3)	50(5)	176(2)	30(2)	95(1)	49	98	31	152
Malignant neoplasm of stomach [151]	14,409	14,253	14,114	14,155	13,953	13,995	14,112	14,076	13,953	13,787
Malignant neoplasm of intestines and rectum [152–154]	15,832	15,604	15,530	15,239	15,042	14,815	14,980	15,022	14,783	14,717
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, lung [162, 163]	14,218	15,132	16,331	17,272	18,186	19,119	19,820	21,063	22,000	22,798
Malignant neoplasm of breast [170]	8,344	8,239	8,441	8,572	8,649	8,683	9,022	8,770	9,122	9,364
Malignant neoplasm of uterus [171–174]	4,024	3,945	3,846	3,864	3,946	3,939	4,115	4,003	4,088	3,979
Leukaemia and aleukaemia [204]	2,043	2,121	2,160	2,224	2,315	2,394	2,386	2,534	2,694	2,648
Malignant neoplasm of other sites [Remainder of 140–205]	28,772	28,630	29,673	30,014	30,619	31,072	31,369	31,649	32,148	32,559
Diabetes mellitus [260]	3,338	3,194	3,028	3,291	3,242	3,137	3,315	3,193	3,559	3,869
Vascular lesions affecting the central nervous system [330–334]	69,388	68,069	72,142	74,152	74,487	73,669	76,177	75,150	76,222	77,023
Rheumatic fever [400–402]	328	310	299	217	208	174	131	126	125	103
Chronic rheumatic heart disease [410–416]	9,106	8,837	8,596	8,347	8,210	8,217	7,434	7,071	7,121	7,472
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease [420–422]	133,227	131,436	134,103	138,313	139,939	135,283	141,007	136,924	142,258	146,001
Influenza [480–483]	1,750	6,465	1,811	2,983	2,626	6,716	2,401	7,862	1,098	7,101
Pneumonia (except newborn) [490–493]	18,608	20,759	18,079	20,994	22,371	22,804	23,738	26,590	24,343	29,284
Bronchitis [500–502]	27,268	30,392	25,543	28,793	29,670	26,935	29,396	29,051	26,485	31,359
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum [540, 541]	5,384	5,126	5,478	5,517	5,342	5,029	4,898	4,563	4,705	4,398
Gastro enteritis and colitis, except ulcerative aged 4 weeks–2 years [571·0]	687	650	480	460	307	326	288	303	357	391
Nephritis [590–594]	5,873	5,429	5,273	4,901	4,846	4,359	4,078	3,685	3,714	3,505
Hyperplasia of prostate [610]	4,351	4,173	4,334	4,090	3,852	3,645	3,577	3,505	3,259	3,073
Sepsis of pregnancy, childbirth or puerperium, including abortion [640, 641, 651, 681, 682, 684]	110	110	97	114	90	85	88	76	68	62
Other maternal causes (including abortion) [Remainder of 640–689]	388	417	383	325	309	264	240	214	239	215
Congenital malformations [750–759]	4,453	4,261	4,493	4,563	4,575	4,930	4,890	4,911	5,122	5,191
Birth injuries, post-natal asphyxia, atelectasis [760–762]	4,323	4,327	4,353	4,231	4,371	4,681	4,452	4,561	4,502	4,688
Other diseases peculiar to early infancy [Remainder of 760–776]	5,758	5,556	5,147	4,960	5,002	4,754	4,966	4,752	5,018	5,067
All other natural causes [Remainder of 001–795]	83,425	84,595	87,283	91,081	89,991	87,480	91,528	89,888	91,466	95,054
Deaths by violence(3)	18,802	19,864	20,869	21,469	21,870	21,561	22,456	22,835	23,122	23,315
Transport accidents:										
Motor vehicle [810–835]	4,117	4,375	4,589	4,923	5,036	4,898	5,439	6,026	6,643	6,634
Other [800–802, 840–866]	1,209	959	895	847	813	847	899	676	632	649
Other accidents:										
Poisoning [870–895]	843	932	1,032	1,173	1,168	1,186	1,304	1,358	1,472	1,481
Falls [900–904]	4,078	4,599	5,353	5,329	5,583	5,296	5,484	5,643	5,465	5,374
Fire or hot substance [916–917]	831	703	781	817	822	736	769	806	730	783
Other [910–915, 918–936, 940–962]	3,084	3,265	2,895	3,083	2,883	2,935	2,982	2,795	2,778	2,888
Accidents in the home(4):										
Poisoning	647	759	818	964	935	1,015	1,123	1,156	1,289	1,277
Falls	3,013	3,525	4,187	4,137	4,359	4,165	4,287	4,326	4,226	4,085
Fire or hot substance	683	598	699	730	707	644	701	719	653	640
Other	883	1,013	913	820	907	843	890	809	862	879
Suicide [963, 970–979]	4,338	4,754	5,043	5,000	5,282	5,316	5,298	5,207	5,113	5,200
Homicide and operations of war [964, 965, 980–999]	302	277	281	297	283	347	281	324	289	306

Source: Registrar General

(1) See footnote (1) to Table 29.

(2) The figures in brackets show the number of deaths included in the total which occurred more than a year after onset of the disease.

(3) Classified by external cause.

(4) These figures are included in the analysis immediately above.

Deaths analysed by cause(1)

TABLE 31

Scotland

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total deaths	61,510	58,878	61,380	61,645	61,792	61,143	62,065	63,061	61,764	63,928
Deaths from natural causes	58,975	56,112	58,708	58,725	59,150	58,342	59,215	60,201	58,897	61,017
Tuberculosis of respiratory system [001–008]	1,409	1,159	1,010	860	715	664	638	513	473	433
Tuberculosis, other forms [010–019]	203	182	118	122	86	59	49	63	36	48
Syphilis and its sequelae [020–029]	110	96	109	97	88	94	58	79	64	61
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers [040–041]	3	3	2	4	2	—	1	—	—	—
Scarlet fever [050]	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria [055]	8	2	1	—	2	—	—	1	—	—
Whooping cough [056]	26	41	25	10	14	21	4	8	10	4
Meningococcal infections [057]	45	37	41	29	27	21	25	23	19	16
Acute poliomyelitis [080]	12	13	21	22	9	11	16	1	—	—
Acute infectious encephalitis [082]	10	6	5	5	6	11	8	13	11	11
Measles [085]	22	29	8	20	10	16	4	18	2	18
Malignant neoplasm of stomach [151]	1,813	1,715	1,693	1,773	1,757	1,694	1,661	1,690	1,579	1,560
Malignant neoplasm of intestines and rectum [152–154]	1,966	1,874	1,919	1,968	1,916	1,821	1,812	1,766	1,765	1,747
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, lung [162, 163]	1,521	1,773	1,812	1,802	1,983	2,081	2,226	2,330	2,422	2,478
Malignant neoplasm of breast [170]	831	828	889	844	903	944	875	900	959	983
Malignant neoplasm of uterus [171–174]	475	476	476	491	487	422	412	416	467	448
Leukaemia and aleukaemia [204]	212	196	247	247	241	251	259	264	256	282
Malignant neoplasm of other sites [Remainder of 140–205]	3,301	3,263	3,469	3,460	3,467	3,534	3,586	3,666	3,585	3,723
Diabetes mellitus [260]	477	439	445	459	473	505	528	550	555	599
Vascular lesions affecting the central nervous system [330–334]	9,087	8,895	9,562	9,607	9,680	9,566	9,982	9,862	9,850	9,839
Rheumatic fever [400–402]	44	45	49	54	48	45	17	21	17	10
Chronic rheumatic heart disease [410–416]	878	807	860	847	819	907	815	816	741	808
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease [420–422]	17,307	16,362	17,254	18,014	18,442	17,840	18,507	18,364	18,580	19,209
Influenza [480–483]	316	272	176	212	262	680	143	583	104	365
Pneumonia (except newborn) [490–493]	1,881	1,694	1,728	1,828	1,916	2,042	2,108	2,557	2,008	2,473
Bronchitis [500–502]	2,025	1,752	1,843	2,086	2,077	2,013	2,294	2,556	2,214	2,516
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum [540, 541]	639	561	656	666	608	564	534	507	562	555
Gastro enteritis and colitis, except ulcerative aged 4 weeks–2 years [571·0]	143	126	92	120	100	60	60	92	73	62
Nephritis [590–594]	568	580	570	530	528	511	417	411	353	339
Hyperplasia of prostate [610]	453	395	430	451	421	389	382	362	359	366
Sepsis of pregnancy, childbirth or puerperium, including abortion [640, 641, 651, 681, 682, 684]	22	20	15	11	15	16	15	11	8	15
Other maternal causes (including abortion) [Remainder of 640–689]	70	66	55	32	36	30	38	25	27	22
Congenital malformations [750–759]	610	618	676	622	662	718	648	718	659	755
Birth injuries, post-natal asphyxia, atelectasis [760–762]	670	655	710	697	727	762	808	846	833	767
Other diseases peculiar to early infancy [Remainder of 760–776]	976	804	838	806	745	766	701	656	630	625
All other natural causes [Remainder of 001–795]	10,841	10,328	10,904	9,928	9,877	9,284	9,584	9,513	9,676	9,880
Deaths by violence(2)	2,535	2,766	2,672	2,920	2,642	2,801	2,850	2,860	2,867	2,911
Transport accidents:										
Motor vehicle [810–835]	451	563	526	597	558	563	598	612	676	713
Other [800–802, 840–866]	124	189	165	151	137	132	112	111	117	73
Other accidents:										
Poisoning [870–895]	248	279	289	246	224	259	298	279	273	334
Falls [900–904]	648	696	643	697	632	655	721	692	684	757
Fire or hot substance [916–917]	138	129	127	144	137	137	111	173	127	115
Other [910–915, 918–936, 940–962]	622	588	583	656	519	596	516	527	545	485
Accidents in the home(3):										
Poisoning	222	266	278	241	214	248	289	270	269	325
Falls	481	543	508	533	473	503	531	513	514	604
Fire or hot substance	117	112	115	124	120	96	100	114	93	110
Other	203	213	205	222	199	213	188	189	174	174
Suicide [963, 970–979]	281	281	302	394	403	420	439	442	408	409
Homicide and operations of war [964, 965, 980–999]	23	41	37	35	32	39	55	24	37	25

(1) and (2) See footnotes (1) and (2) to Table 29.

(3) These figures are included in the analysis immediately above.

Source: Registrar General

Deaths analysed by cause(¹)

TABLE 32

Northern Ireland

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total deaths	14,812	14,813	15,124	15,407	14,858	15,187	15,132	15,403	15,296	16,108
Deaths from natural causes	14,342	14,182	14,635	14,871	14,378	14,653	14,640	14,868	14,704	15,537
Tuberculosis of respiratory system [001–008]	325	257	196	180	147	150	139	122	99	87
Tuberculosis, other forms [010–019]	85	59	55	31	17	25	15	21	15	18
Syphilis and its sequelae [020–029]	33	26	32	38	46	38	31	22	29	19
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers [040–041]	2	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2
Scarlet fever [050]	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria [055]	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whooping cough [056]	22	13	8	18	13	2	8	12	1	2
Meningococcal infections [057]	9	8	6	11	10	4	3	10	4	5
Acute poliomyelitis [080]	7	15	4	—	5	9	5	—	1	4
Acute infectious encephalitis [082]	5	6	7	7	12	2	6	6	3	4
Measles [085]	8	3	3	7	1	3	—	2	—	4
Malignant neoplasm of stomach [151]	443	427	378	405	451	431	437	421	452	383
Malignant neoplasm of intestines and rectum [152–154]	376	375	369	392	357	410	370	390	389	380
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, lung [162, 163]	199	226	263	269	332	313	314	346	335	365
Malignant neoplasm of breast [170]	166	166	172	179	172	192	198	169	186	174
Malignant neoplasm of uterus [171–174]	113	115	81	98	75	99	95	78	101	85
Leukaemia and aleukaemia [204]	56	58	57	48	53	63	65	69	88	80
Malignant neoplasm of other sites [Remainder of 140–205]	748	823	820	844	841	798	862	871	850	823
Diabetes mellitus [260]	75	81	104	97	89	89	97	90	88	88
Vascular lesions affecting the central nervous system [330–334]	1,928	1,926	2,086	2,113	2,126	2,064	2,149	2,086	2,190	2,276
Rheumatic fever [400–402]	41	41	36	36	34	20	20	15	5	14
Chronic rheumatic heart disease [410–416]	188	207	147	170	202	213	200	185	233	181
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease [420–422]	3,705	3,744	4,005	4,057	4,013	4,186	4,389	4,367	4,499	4,772
Influenza [480–483]	61	117	85	129	160	230	55	239	41	337
Pneumonia (except newborn) [490–493]	549	574	571	674	510	639	636	746	523	856
Bronchitis [500–502]	400	420	461	512	532	516	539	568	581	701
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum [540, 541]	105	102	105	122	104	124	99	102	119	125
Gastro enteritis and colitis, except ulcerative aged 4 weeks–2 years [571·0]	73	103	51	43	14	26	28	21	26	27
Nephritis [590–594]	191	176	173	159	145	134	121	129	121	118
Hyperplasia of prostate [610]	127	162	147	144	118	108	120	90	103	96
Sepsis of pregnancy, childbirth or puerperium, including abortion [640, 641, 651, 681, 682, 684]	8	2	4	8	5	4	2	3	2	2
Other maternal causes (including abortion) [Remainder of 640–689]	23	15	17	16	12	29	14	14	12	15
Congenital malformations [750–759]	257	214	215	243	256	244	222	246	270	240
Birth injuries, post-natal asphyxia, atelectasis [760–762]	236	213	208	170	216	199	170	181	176	221
Other diseases peculiar to early infancy [Remainder of 760–776]	303	298	292	303	227	259	300	291	303	260
All other natural causes [Remainder of 001–795]	3,474	3,204	3,476	3,347	3,083	3,029	2,931	2,956	2,859	2,773
Deaths by violence(²)	470	631	489	536	480	534	492	535	592	571
Transport accidents:										
Motor vehicle [810–835]	120	135	165	147	136	161	140	168	177	189
Other [800–802, 840–866]	30	145	24	30	25	31	40	17	10	11
Other accidents:										
Poisoning [870–895]	15	17	21	28	23	16	22	40	31	29
Falls [900–904]	136	135	120	135	121	136	116	128	143	162
Fire or hot substance [916–917]	28	36	19	36	20	27	25	19	50	26
Other [910–915, 918–936, 940–962]	94	108	86	109	96	104	100	101	106	71
Suicide [963, 970–979]	41	46	48	46	54	50	43	58	62	72
Homicide and operations of war [964, 965, 980–999]	6	9	6	5	5	9	6	4	13	11

(¹) and (²) See footnotes (¹) and (²) to Table 29.

Source: Registrar General

Infant and maternal mortality

TABLE 33

	Deaths of infants under 1 year of age per thousand live births												Maternal deaths per thousand live births(²)			
	United Kingdom			England and Wales(¹)			Scotland			Northern Ireland						
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	United Kingdom	England and Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1870–2	150	163	136	156	169	141	126	135	115	96	105	86	4·87	4·81	5·25	4·98
1880–2	137	150	124	141	154	128	118	129	108	101	110	92	4·74	4·61	5·22	6·25
1890–2	145	159	130	149	164	134	125	136	114	108	115	99	5·39	5·31	5·62	6·70
1900–2	142	156	128	146	160	131	124	136	111	113	123	103	4·71	4·67	4·74	6·03
1910–2	110	121	98	110	121	98	109	120	97	101	110	92	3·95	3·67	5·65	5·28
1920–2	82	92	71	80	90	69	94	106	82	86	95	77	4·37	4·03	6·36	5·62
1930–2	67	75	58	64	72	55	84	94	73	75	83	66	4·54	4·24	6·40	5·24
1935	60·4	67·8	52·5	50·7	64·0	49·6	76·8	86·9	66·2	86·3	96·0	76·0	4·61	4·33	6·30	5·50
1936	62·1	70·1	53·7	58·7	66·4	50·6	82·3	92·2	71·9	76·9	85·9	67·5	4·28	4·02	5·56	6·06
1937	61·1	68·4	53·4	57·7	64·7	50·2	80·3	89·6	70·5	77·5	83·5	71·2	3·72	3·51	4·83	5·00
1938	55·5	62·3	48·4	52·8	59·7	45·6	69·5	76·6	62·1	75·1	79·1	70·9	3·62	3·37	4·87	5·32
1939	53·6	60·0	46·8	50·6	56·4	44·4	68·5	77·4	59·1	70·5	80·9	59·6	3·42	3·25	4·49	3·80
1940	61·0	69·3	52·3	56·8	64·3	48·8	78·3	90·3	65·7	85·9	94·8	76·3	3·03	2·78	4·39	4·22
1941	63·3	71·2	55·0	60·0	67·5	52·2	82·7	93·3	71·6	76·6	85·4	66·9	3·20	2·90	4·89	4·17
1942	52·9	59·2	46·2	50·6	56·5	44·3	69·3	77·9	60·2	76·4	86·7	65·4	2·78	2·57	4·21	2·97
1943	51·9	57·8	45·6	49·1	54·7	43·2	65·2	73·0	57·0	78·2	87·0	68·6	2·57	2·37	3·83	3·17
1944	47·6	52·9	41·9	45·4	50·4	40·1	65·0	73·0	56·4	67·4	73·7	60·8	2·14	1·99	3·05	3·07
1945	48·8	54·6	42·6	46·0	51·4	40·3	56·2	64·7	47·3	68·1	72·7	63·1	1·99	1·85	2·86	2·69
1946	42·7	48·1	37·0	42·9	48·3	37·1	53·8	60·0	47·3	54·0	61·5	46·0	1·59	1·47	2·26	2·32
1947	43·7	49·0	38·1	41·4	46·3	36·2	55·8	62·9	48·2	53·0	60·8	44·9	1·32	1·20	2·10	1·86
1948	36·0	40·6	31·2	33·9	38·1	29·5	44·7	51·3	37·7	45·6	53·1	37·6	1·12	1·05	1·60	1·52
1949	34·1	38·3	29·6	32·4	36·5	28·0	41·4	46·2	36·3	45·2	48·6	41·6	1·04	1·00	1·32	1·31
1950	31·2	35·0	27·2	29·6	33·4	25·7	38·6	43·0	33·8	40·5	43·9	36·9	0·93	0·89	1·15	1·11
1951	31·1	35·1	26·9	29·7	33·6	25·5	37·4	42·2	32·4	41·2	44·5	37·7	0·87	0·84	1·09	1·09
1952	28·8	32·3	25·1	27·6	30·9	24·1	35·2	39·3	30·8	38·8	45·1	32·1	0·78	0·74	1·02	1·08
1953	27·6	30·8	24·2	26·8	29·9	23·6	30·8	34·7	26·6	37·6	43·4	31·4	0·78	0·77	0·95	0·59
1954	26·4	29·6	22·8	25·4	28·7	22·0	31·0	34·9	26·9	33·0	36·9	28·9	0·72	0·71	0·76	0·73
1955	25·8	28·9	22·5	24·9	28·1	21·5	30·4	33·2	27·4	32·4	34·6	29·9	0·64	0·66	0·46	0·83
1956	24·4	27·6	21·0	23·8	26·9	20·4	28·6	32·6	24·4	28·9	30·9	26·6	0·57	0·57	0·54	0·58
1957	24·0	26·7	21·0	23·1	25·8	20·3	28·6	32·6	24·4	28·9	30·5	27·2	0·50	0·48	0·47	1·10
1958	23·4	26·2	20·4	22·5	25·3	19·6	27·7	30·9	24·3	28·1	31·3	24·6	0·46	0·44	0·53	0·56
1959	23·1	25·5	20·5	22·2	24·5	19·8	28·4	32·0	24·5	28·4	29·4	27·4	0·39	0·39	0·36	0·55
1960	22·4	25·1	19·5	21·9	24·5	18·9	26·4	29·7	22·9	27·2	30·0	24·2	0·39	0·39	0·35	0·44
1961	22·1	24·5	19·6	21·6	23·8	19·3	25·8	29·3	22·3	27·5	32·9	21·7	0·35	0·34	0·37	0·53

(¹) From 1935 to 1956 death rates are based on the births to which they relate in the current and preceding years.

(²) Deaths in pregnancy and childbirth.

Source: Registrars General

Infant mortality

Analysis by sex and age of infant

TABLE 33 (*continued*)

Deaths per 1,000 live births (¹)

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total										
United Kingdom:										
Under 1 day	7·8	7·6	7·9	7·9	7·6	7·9	7·7	7·9	7·8	7·9
1 day and under 1 week	7·8	7·5	7·5	7·1	6·9	6·6	6·4	6·1	5·9	5·8
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·2	2·9	2·8	2·7	2·7	2·5	2·4	2·4	2·2	2·1
4 weeks and under 1 year	10·0	9·6	8·2	8·1	7·2	7·0	6·8	6·7	6·5	6·4
England and Wales:										
Under 1 day	7·6	7·4	7·6	7·6	7·4	7·6	7·5	7·6	7·7	7·7
1 day and under 1 week	7·6	7·4	7·3	7·0	6·8	6·5	6·3	6·0	5·8	5·7
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·1	2·9	2·8	2·6	2·6	2·4	2·4	2·3	2·2	2·1
4 weeks and under 1 year	9·3	9·2	7·7	7·6	6·9	6·7	6·4	6·3	6·3	6·2
Scotland:										
Under 1 day	9·3	8·6	9·6	9·3	8·9	9·3	8·9	10·0	9·3	9·2
1 day and under 1 week	8·7	7·7	8·2	7·6	7·4	7·4	7·3	6·6	6·5	6·4
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·7	3·0	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·9	2·5	2·8	2·4	2·4
4 weeks and under 1 year	13·5	11·5	10·4	10·6	9·5	9·0	9·0	9·0	8·1	7·9
Northern Ireland:										
Under 1 day	10·3	8·3	10·3	9·0	9·1	9·7	9·5	9·6	10·2	9·8
1 day and under 1 week	9·5	8·9	8·2	8·5	8·2	7·2	6·7	7·4	7·7	6·6
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·7	4·2	3·1	3·7	3·3	2·7	2·9	2·7	2·2	3·1
4 weeks and under 1 year	15·5	16·1	11·4	11·3	8·2	9·3	8·9	8·7	7·2	8·0
Males										
United Kingdom:										
Under 1 day	8·7	8·3	8·7	8·8	8·6	8·9	8·7	8·6	8·8	8·8
1 day and under 1 week	9·1	8·8	8·8	8·3	8·1	7·8	7·5	7·2	7·0	6·7
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·6	3·2	3·1	2·9	2·9	2·6	2·7	2·5	2·4	2·3
4 weeks and under 1 year	11·0	10·5	9·0	9·0	7·9	7·5	7·3	7·2	7·1	6·8
England and Wales:										
Under 1 day	8·3	8·1	8·3	8·5	8·3	8·5	8·4	8·2	8·5	8·5
1 day and under 1 week	8·9	8·7	8·8	8·2	8·0	7·6	7·3	7·1	6·8	6·6
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·4	3·1	3·1	2·8	2·9	2·5	2·6	2·4	2·4	2·2
4 weeks and under 1 year	10·2	10·0	8·5	8·6	7·7	7·1	6·9	6·9	6·8	6·5
Scotland:										
Under 1 day	10·5	9·7	10·8	10·7	10·4	10·7	10·3	11·5	10·5	10·9
1 day and under 1 week	9·6	9·3	9·4	8·5	8·8	8·5	8·6	7·9	7·4	7·5
1 week and under 4 weeks	4·1	3·5	3·4	2·8	3·1	3·4	2·8	3·1	2·6	2·4
4 weeks and under 1 year	15·1	12·3	11·4	11·1	10·4	9·9	9·3	9·6	9·2	8·5
Northern Ireland:										
Under 1 day	11·9	9·7	11·7	9·7	8·5	9·5	10·7	9·3	11·4	11·9
1 day and under 1 week	10·9	10·0	8·9	9·0	9·8	7·9	7·5	8·8	8·4	8·3
1 week and under 4 weeks	4·8	5·2	3·3	3·9	3·9	3·3	3·2	2·6	2·3	3·5
4 weeks and under 1 year	17·6	18·5	13·0	12·0	8·7	9·8	9·9	8·6	7·9	9·3
Females										
United Kingdom:										
Under 1 day	7·0	6·8	7·0	6·8	6·6	6·9	6·7	7·2	6·7	6·9
1 day and under 1 week	6·4	6·1	6·0	5·9	5·7	5·4	5·3	4·9	4·8	4·8
1 week and under 4 weeks	2·9	2·6	2·5	2·5	2·4	2·3	2·1	2·2	2·0	2·0
4 weeks and under 1 year	8·8	8·7	7·3	7·2	6·4	6·5	6·2	6·2	5·9	5·9
England and Wales:										
Under 1 day	6·8	6·7	6·8	6·7	6·3	6·6	6·5	6·9	6·5	6·8
1 day and under 1 week	6·2	6·0	5·8	5·7	5·6	5·2	5·2	4·9	4·7	4·8
1 week and under 4 weeks	2·9	2·6	2·5	2·5	2·4	2·3	2·1	2·2	2·0	1·9
4 weeks and under 1 year	8·3	8·3	6·8	6·7	6·1	6·2	5·8	5·8	5·8	5·8
Scotland:										
Under 1 day	8·0	7·4	8·4	7·8	7·4	7·7	7·4	8·3	8·2	7·4
1 day and under 1 week	7·7	6·1	6·9	6·7	5·9	6·3	6·0	5·3	5·5	5·2
1 week and under 4 weeks	3·2	2·5	2·3	2·8	2·4	2·4	2·2	2·5	2·3	2·4
4 weeks and under 1 year	11·9	10·6	9·3	10·2	8·6	8·1	8·7	8·4	7·0	7·3
Northern Ireland:										
Under 1 day	8·6	6·9	8·9	8·3	9·6	9·9	8·2	10·0	8·8	7·5
1 day and under 1 week	7·9	7·7	7·4	7·9	6·6	6·4	5·9	5·9	6·9	4·8
1 week and under 4 weeks	2·4	3·2	2·9	3·4	2·6	2·1	2·6	2·7	2·0	2·6
4 weeks and under 1 year	13·2	13·6	9·8	10·4	7·8	8·8	7·9	8·8	6·4	6·7

(¹) For England and Wales, deaths per 1,000 related live births in the years before 1957.

Source: Registrars General

Life tables(¹)

(i) United Kingdom

TABLE 34

Age x	Life Table, 1950–52						Life Table, 1959–61			
	Males			Females			Males		Females	
	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$
0	100,000	0·03406	66·2	100,000	0·02626	71·2	10,000	67·9	10,000	73·6
5	96,026	0·00082	63·9	96,884	0·00059	68·4	9,709	64·9	9,770	70·4
10	95,700	0·00053	59·1	96,654	0·00036	63·6	9,685	60·1	9,753	65·5
15	95,434	0·00074	54·3	96,463	0·00053	58·7	9,666	55·2	9,740	60·6
20	94,974	0·00130	49·5	96,134	0·00089	53·9	9,623	50·4	9,721	55·7
25	94,324	0·00145	44·8	95,660	0·00114	49·2	9,568	45·7	9,697	50·8
30	93,615	0·00162	40·2	95,074	0·00134	44·4	9,518	40·9	9,667	46·0
35	92,797	0·00202	35·5	94,383	0·00169	39·8	9,457	36·2	9,623	41·1
40	91,718	0·00296	30·9	93,477	0·00235	35·1	9,366	31·5	9,556	36·4
45	90,056	0·00498	26·4	92,188	0·00352	30·6	9,222	27·0	9,449	31·8
50	87,255	0·00871	22·2	90,270	0·00537	26·2	8,980	22·6	9,284	27·3
55	82,587	0·01479	18·3	87,399	0·00832	21·9	8,561	18·6	9,033	23·0
60	75,349	0·02396	14·8	83,103	0·01306	17·9	7,854	15·1	8,662	18·9
65	65,090	0·03707	11·7	76,672	0·02131	14·2	6,811	12·0	8,078	15·1
70	51,920	0·05655	9·0	67,009	0·03620	10·9	5,465	9·3	7,188	11·6
75	36,547	0·08763	6·7	53,054	0·06255	8·0	3,880	7·1	5,865	8·7
80	20,898	0·13694	4·8	35,263	0·10600	5·8	2,290	5·3	4,123	6·3
85	8,552	0·20701	3·5	17,601	0·16843	4·2	977	4·0	2,251	4·5
90	2,157	0·29235	2·6	5,836	0·24301	3·1				
95	298	0·37547	2·0	1,187	0·31453	2·4				
100	22	0·44171	1·7	150	0·37101	2·1				

(ii) England and Wales

TABLE 34 (*continued*)

Age x	English Life Table No. 11, 1950–52						Life Table, 1959–61			
	Males			Females			Males		Females	
	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$
0	100,000	0·03266	66·4	100,000	0·02510	71·5	10,000	68·1	10,000	73·9
5	96,186	0·00081	64·0	97,019	0·00058	68·7	9,718	65·1	9,777	70·6
10	95,866	0·00052	59·2	96,794	0·00035	63·9	9,694	60·2	9,761	65·7
15	95,601	0·00073	54·4	96,608	0·00050	59·0	9,675	55·3	9,748	60·8
20	95,151	0·00129	49·6	96,300	0·00083	54·2	9,631	50·6	9,729	55·9
25	94,509	0·00141	45·0	95,860	0·00106	49·4	9,576	45·9	9,706	51·0
30	93,820	0·00157	40·3	95,311	0·00127	44·7	9,526	41·1	9,676	46·2
35	93,025	0·00197	35·6	94,650	0·00162	40·0	9,468	36·3	9,633	41·4
40	91,968	0·00290	31·0	93,778	0·00227	35·3	9,379	31·7	9,568	36·6
45	90,336	0·00486	26·5	92,527	0·00341	30·8	9,239	27·1	9,463	32·0
50	87,591	0·00850	22·2	90,656	0·00524	26·3	9,003	22·7	9,302	27·5
55	83,004	0·01455	18·3	87,845	0·00809	22·1	8,593	18·7	9,057	23·2
60	75,823	0·02369	14·8	83,646	0·01271	18·1	7,895	15·1	8,695	19·1
65	65,589	0·03689	11·7	77,341	0·02074	14·3	6,862	12·0	8,124	15·2
70	52,350	0·05651	9·0	67,835	0·03532	11·0	5,523	9·4	7,250	11·7
75	36,867	0·08738	6·7	53,988	0·06143	8·1	3,931	7·1	5,944	8·8
80	21,130	0·13629	4·9	36,118	0·10466	5·8	2,328	5·3	4,202	6·4
85	8,674	0·20699	3·5	18,171	0·16705	4·2	995	4·1	2,316	4·5
90	2,184	0·29255	2·6	6,079	0·24146	3·1				
95	301	0·37552	2·0	1,251	0·31259	2·5				
100	23	0·44045	1·7	161	0·36764	2·1				

(¹) The column headed q_x is the probability that a person aged x would die within one year. Column l_x shows the numbers who would survive to exact age x out of 100,000 or 10,000 born who were subject throughout their lives to the death probabilities of column q_x. Column $\overset{o}{e}_x$ is "the expectation of life," that is, the average future lifetime which would be lived by a person aged exactly x, if likewise subject to the death probabilities of column q_x. (See introductory note on page 6).

Source: Registrars General and Government Actuary's Department

Life tables(¹)

Scotland

TABLE 34 (*continued*)

Age x	Scottish Life Table, 1950–52						Life Table, 1959–61			
	Males			Females			Males		Females	
	l_x	q_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$	l_x	q_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$
0	100,000	0·04136	64·4	100,000	0·03226	68·7	10,000	66·2	10,000	71·8
5	95,176	0·00098	62·7	96,181	0·00067	66·4	9,649	63·6	9,730	68·8
10	94,785	0·00059	57·9	95,914	0·00041	61·5	9,623	58·8	9,712	63·9
15	94,516	0·00084	53·1	95,689	0·00073	56·7	9,602	53·9	9,698	59·0
20	93,987	0·00141	48·3	95,220	0·00134	51·9	9,566	49·1	9,679	54·1
25	93,267	0·00170	43·7	94,495	0·00173	47·3	9,512	44·3	9,655	49·2
30	92,428	0·00197	39·1	93,642	0·00190	42·7	9,456	39·6	9,619	44·4
35	91,449	0·00240	34·5	92,706	0·00224	38·1	9,379	34·9	9,572	39·6
40	90,196	0·00345	29·9	91,554	0·00297	33·6	9,266	30·3	9,486	34·9
45	88,270	0·00596	25·5	89,992	0·00427	29·1	9,093	25·8	9,358	30·4
50	84,950	0·01066	21·4	87,748	0·00635	24·8	8,793	21·6	9,161	26·0
55	79,493	0·01724	17·7	84,447	0·01001	20·7	8,291	17·8	8,868	21·8
60	71,573	0·02698	14·3	79,448	0·01564	16·8	7,498	14·4	8,418	17·8
65	60,879	0·03929	11·4	72,125	0·02564	13·2	6,407	11·4	7,751	14·1
70	48,133	0·05750	8·8	61,313	0·04303	10·1	4,991	8·9	6,733	10·9
75	33,593	0·09128	6·4	46,576	0·07178	7·5	3,436	6·9	5,301	8·1
80	18,579	0·14685	4·6	29,251	0·11861	5·4	1,952	5·2	3,573	5·9
85	7,132	0·21598	3·4	13,483	0·18369	3·9	773	4·3	1,776	4·2
90	1,696	0·30436	2·4	4,030	0·26187	2·9				
95	212	0·39022	1·9	714	0·33619	2·3				
100	14	0·46547	1·6	74	0·40303	1·8				

(¹) See footnote (¹) on page 36.

Source: Registrar General and Government Actuary's Department

Northern Ireland

Age x	Northern Ireland Life Table, 1950–52						Life Table, 1959–61			
	Males			Females			Males		Females	
	l_x	q_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$	l_x	q_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{\circ}{e}_x$
0	100,000	0·04456	65·5	100,000	0·03554	68·8	10,000	67·37	10,000	72·11
5	94,851	0·00088	64·0	95,787	0·00073	66·8	9,649	64·80	9,718	69·19
10	94,481	0·00064	59·2	95,534	0·00036	62·0	9,626	59·95	9,701	64·30
15	94,179	0·00073	54·4	95,347	0·00053	57·1	9,602	55·09	9,688	59·39
20	93,751	0·00130	49·6	95,015	0·00096	52·3	9,563	50·31	9,671	54·48
25	93,060	0·00168	45·0	94,469	0·00145	47·6	9,512	45·56	9,651	49·59
30	92,229	0·00199	40·4	93,719	0·00177	42·9	9,454	40·83	9,620	44·74
35	91,223	0·00255	35·8	92,821	0·00220	38·3	9,386	36·11	9,574	39·95
40	89,900	0·00359	31·3	91,683	0·00294	33·8	9,289	31·46	9,500	35·24
45	88,004	0·00547	26·9	90,143	0·00419	29·3	9,132	26·96	9,387	30·63
50	85,127	0·00870	22·7	87,930	0·00633	25·0	8,883	22·64	9,195	26·22
55	80,692	0·01404	18·8	84,622	0·00997	20·8	8,445	18·69	8,909	21·98
60	74,024	0·02241	15·3	79,595	0·01611	17·0	7,748	15·14	8,518	17·88
65	64,528	0·03512	12·1	72,024	0·02634	13·5	6,732	12·05	7,856	14·17
70	52,026	0·05424	9·4	61,091	0·04303	10·4	5,428	9·35	6,871	10·84
75	37,214	0·08290	7·1	46,602	0·06942	7·9	3,867	7·11	5,398	8·12
80	22,148	0·12494	5·3	30,027	0·10906	5·8	2,276	5·33	3,630	5·86
85	9,999	0·18316	3·9	14,965	0·16424	4·3	1,108	3·31	1,932	3·81
90	3,044	0·25624	2·9	5,178	0·23349	3·2				
95	554	0·33689	2·2	1,117	0·30988	2·4				
100	55	0·41398	1·8	139	0·38305	2·0				

(¹) See footnote (¹) on page 36.

Source: Registrar General and Government Actuary's Department

Death rates per 1,000 population(1)

Analysis by age and sex

TABLE 35

United Kingdom

	All ages	0–4	5–9	10–14	15–19	20–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–64	65–74	75–84	85 and over
Males													
1870–2	23·3	69·0	8·2	4·5	6·4	9·0	10·5	13·9	19·4	32·8	66·2	143·0	299·0
1880–2	20·8	61·3	6·4	3·4	4·9	6·4	8·2	12·6	19·1	33·5	66·6	141·3	290·3
1890–2	20·7	62·0	4·9	2·8	4·4	5·9	7·8	12·8	21·0	38·3	76·3	156·3	311·2
1900–2	18·4	57·0	4·1	2·4	3·7	5·0	6·6	11·0	18·6	35·0	69·9	143·6	289·6
1910–2	14·9	40·5	3·3	2·0	3·0	3·9	5·0	8·0	14·9	29·8	62·1	133·8	261·5
1920–2	13·5	33·4	2·9	1·8	2·9	3·9	4·5	6·9	11·9	25·3	57·8	131·8	259·1
1930–2	12·9	22·3	2·3	1·5	2·6	3·3	3·5	5·7	11·3	23·7	57·9	134·2	277·0
1937	13·4	19·6	2·0	1·3	2·2	2·9	3·1	5·2	11·3	25·0	57·8	139·7	292·4
1938	12·6	18·0	1·9	1·3	2·0	2·7	2·9	4·7	10·4	23·2	54·1	130·5	261·9
1939	13·0	16·1	1·7	1·1	1·9	2·7	2·8	4·6	10·5	24·4	56·1	140·0	281·7
1940	16·2	18·7	2·1	1·5	2·7	4·8	4·1	5·9	12·6	28·2	61·5	151·7	301·6
1941	15·8	19·4	2·3	1·6	2·9	5·8	4·7	5·8	11·3	25·3	55·7	135·4	262·5
1942	14·5	16·6	1·7	1·2	2·2	4·8	3·9	4·8	9·8	22·6	51·6	121·7	237·7
1943	15·3	16·5	1·6	1·1	2·2	5·0	4·0	4·9	10·1	22·9	51·8	123·3	240·3
1944	15·2	15·6	1·6	1·2	2·0	4·8	4·2	4·9	9·8	22·8	50·9	117·1	219·3
1945	14·9	14·2	1·4	1·1	1·8	4·6	3·8	4·3	9·3	22·4	50·5	116·1	212·3
1946	13·4	14·0	1·0	0·9	1·6	2·6	2·3	3·7	9·2	22·5	50·3	118·0	238·0
1947	13·6	14·2	1·1	0·8	1·7	2·2	2·2	3·6	9·3	23·0	52·7	126·2	269·8
1948	11·9	10·2	0·9	0·7	1·3	1·6	2·0	3·3	8·5	21·7	49·1	109·1	214·2
1949	12·6	9·0	0·8	0·6	1·3	1·6	1·8	3·2	8·6	22·8	53·3	120·7	249·5
1950	12·4	7·9	0·8	0·6	1·0	1·4	1·7	3·0	8·5	22·8	53·6	122·7	251·4
1951	13·4	7·7	0·7	0·6	0·9	1·4	1·7	3·0	8·8	24·4	58·6	138·2	305·6
1952	12·3	7·4	0·6	0·5	0·9	1·3	1·5	2·8	8·1	22·5	53·3	122·6	265·6
1953	12·2	7·3	0·6	0·5	0·9	1·2	1·4	2·7	8·0	22·4	53·8	122·9	254·6
1954	12·3	7·0	0·5	0·4	0·8	1·1	1·3	2·7	7·9	22·2	53·6	123·1	251·7
1955	12·5	6·8	0·5	0·5	0·9	1·2	1·3	2·6	7·8	22·3	54·4	127·8	261·7
1956	12·5	6·7	0·5	0·4	0·8	1·1	1·2	2·6	7·6	22·4	54·6	127·4	257·1
1957	12·3	6·7	0·5	0·5	0·9	1·1	1·2	2·6	7·7	22·6	54·3	120·0	231·3
1958	12·5	6·5	0·5	0·4	0·8	1·1	1·2	2·5	7·6	22·1	54·7	124·6	245·3
1959	12·3	6·4	0·5	0·4	0·9	1·1	1·1	2·5	7·4	22·2	54·3	123·0	244·0
1960	12·1	6·4	0·5	0·4	0·9	1·1	1·1	2·5	7·3	21·8	52·9	120·1	234·3
1961	12·5	6·3	0·5	0·4	0·9	1·1	1·2	2·5	7·4	22·4	54·8	124·8	255·7
Females													
1870–2	20·8	59·9	7·6	4·5	6·7	8·0	9·6	12·0	15·5	27·6	58·3	131·2	274·8
1880–2	18·6	52·6	6·1	3·6	5·1	6·3	8·0	10·9	14·9	27·6	57·4	125·9	264·8
1890–2	18·6	52·4	4·9	3·0	4·5	5·4	7·3	10·9	16·2	31·5	66·3	139·9	283·3
1900–2	16·3	47·9	4·3	2·6	3·5	4·3	5·8	9·0	14·4	27·9	59·3	127·0	262·6
1910–2	13·3	34·0	3·3	2·1	2·9	3·4	4·4	6·7	11·5	23·1	50·7	113·7	234·0
1920–2	11·9	26·9	2·8	1·9	2·8	3·4	4·1	5·6	9·3	19·2	45·6	111·5	232·4
1930–2	11·5	17·7	2·1	1·5	2·4	2·9	3·3	4·6	8·3	17·6	43·7	110·1	246·3
1937	11·9	15·6	1·8	1·2	1·9	2·6	2·9	4·1	7·9	17·3	43·5	109·9	263·6
1938	11·0	14·3	1·8	1·1	1·8	2·3	2·6	3·7	7·2	15·9	39·7	99·3	228·5
1939	11·5	12·7	1·4	1·0	1·7	2·3	2·5	3·6	7·2	16·1	41·3	107·2	250·4
1940	13·0	14·6	1·8	1·3	2·3	2·9	3·0	4·2	8·1	17·9	45·5	116·9	268·1
1941	12·0	15·5	1·9	1·3	2·4	2·9	2·9	3·9	7·4	15·8	40·5	103·0	244·4
1942	10·8	13·1	1·3	1·0	1·8	2·5	2·5	3·3	6·5	14·2	36·1	92·2	212·0
1943	11·4	13·2	1·3	1·0	1·8	2·5	2·6	3·4	6·6	14·3	37·1	96·5	218·3
1944	11·0	12·3	1·2	0·9	1·6	2·5	2·5	3·2	6·3	13·7	35·3	90·8	194·5
1945	11·0	11·1	1·0	0·8	1·5	2·2	2·3	3·0	6·1	13·5	35·3	91·1	195·5
1946	11·1	10·8	0·8	0·7	1·3	1·9	2·1	2·9	6·0	13·7	35·5	93·4	211·7
1947	11·4	11·0	0·8	0·7	1·4	1·9	2·1	2·8	5·9	13·4	36·0	97·1	224·3
1948	10·3	7·9	0·7	0·6	1·2	1·7	1·9	2·6	5·5	12·5	33·0	85·6	187·2
1949	11·2	7·0	0·6	0·5	1·0	1·6	1·8	2·6	5·5	13·1	36·3	96·5	219·0
1950	11·1	6·1	0·5	0·4	0·8	1·2	1·6	1·4	5·4	13·0	35·6	97·8	218·9
1951	11·8	6·0	0·5	0·4	0·7	1·0	1·4	2·4	5·5	13·4	37·7	106·1	254·5
1952	10·6	5·7	0·4	0·3	0·6	0·8	1·2	2·2	5·0	12·2	33·2	90·9	213·6
1953	10·6	5·8	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·7	1·1	2·2	4·9	11·8	32·7	91·4	219·3
1954	10·6	5·3	0·3	0·3	0·5	0·7	1·0	2·1	4·9	11·7	32·3	89·0	212·0
1955	11·0	5·4	0·4	0·3	0·4	0·6	1·0	2·0	4·8	11·6	33·1	92·1	225·0
1956	11·0	5·1	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·5	0·9	1·9	4·6	11·5	32·5	91·4	225·5
1957	10·7	5·3	0·4	0·3	0·4	0·5	0·9	2·0	4·7	11·5	31·6	85·3	204·1
1958	11·0	5·1	0·3	0·2	0·4	0·5	0·8	1·9	4·6	11·2	31·6	88·6	218·9
1959	11·0	5·1	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·5	0·8	1·8	4·5	11·1	31·3	87·6	219·3
1960	10·9	4·9	0·4	0·3	0·4	0·4	0·7	1·8	4·5	10·8	30·2	85·5	213·6
1961	11·4	4·9	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·5	0·7	1·8	4·6	11·0	31·6	88·5	228·5

(1) From 3 September 1939 to the end of 1949 for males and from 1 June 1941 to the end of 1949 for females in England and Wales; from 1940 to 1946 in Scotland; and from 1940 to 1949 in Northern Ireland, rates are based on civilian deaths only.

Source: Registrars General

Movement of passengers into and out of the United Kingdom(1)

TABLE 36

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Passengers arriving											
Total by sea	2,631·0	2,676·4	2,677·5	2,909·9	3,225·7	3,288·2	3,398·1	3,591·6	3,772·5	3,796·5	3,627·3(2)
Channel Islands	194·5	200·9	196·5	202·1	206·0	182·7	196·3	179·5	189·8	146·7	..
Irish Republic	682·3	722·1	681·4	693·5	737·0	786·4	781·1	781·6	781·7	761·3	744·2
Other European countries(3)	1,483·2	1,458·1	1,497·2	1,683·5	1,940·7	1,994·4	2,119·6	2,330·4	2,488·5	2,565·9	2,580·5
Commonwealth citizens	1,022·7	995·2	1,018·6	1,171·2	1,370·0	1,409·3	1,501·9	1,705·0	1,824·2	1,848·9	1,809·8
Aliens	460·5	462·9	478·7	512·3	570·8	585·1	617·7	625·4	664·3	716·9	770·8
Non-European countries(4)	271·0	295·5	302·3	330·8	342·0	324·7	301·0	300·2	312·4	322·6	302·6
Commonwealth citizens	207·9	214·6	222·2	248·2	252·3	235·1	219·7	220·4	238·4	245·8	236·1
Aliens	63·1	80·9	80·1	82·6	89·7	89·6	81·3	79·8	74·0	76·8	66·4
Total by air(5)	865·3	922·3	1,119·7	1,258·9	1,462·4	1,850·1	2,192·4	2,342·2	2,655·2	3,312·2	3,547·5(2)
Channel Islands	96·1	123·2	148·4	166·6	189·6	224·1	275·5	249·1	279·7	324·1	..
Irish Republic	125·8	139·4	140·8	153·9	178·4	211·9	224·6	233·6	277·5	361·3	424·5
Other European countries(3)	514·5	506·8	655·0	751·7	873·5	1,163·7	1,390·6	1,507·3	1,669·9	2,049·6	2,508·1
Non-European countries(4)	128·9	152·7	175·5	186·7	220·9	250·4	301·8	352·1	428·2	577·2	614·8
Passengers leaving											
Total by sea	2,693·0	2,720·9	2,712·1	2,913·0	3,189·4	3,282·6	3,408·4	3,579·6	3,740·5	3,713·6	3,537·8(2)
Channel Islands	206·5	210·9	208·9	213·0	214·4	191·9	207·3	188·9	196·1	153·7	..
Irish Republic(6)	664·4	691·5	653·9	661·0	695·8	750·4	732·9	753·1	746·1	722·2	720·6
Other European countries(3)	1,452·6	1,429·0	1,480·0	1,665·6	1,904·6	1,954·3	2,076·3	2,300·8	2,464·4	2,528·4	2,523·1
Commonwealth citizens	1,016·9	971·4	1,008·7	1,158·3	1,341·9	1,382·6	1,467·3	1,672·5	1,797·3	1,807·6	1,754·2
Aliens	435·7	457·6	471·3	507·3	562·7	571·6	609·0	628·3	667·1	720·8	768·9
Non-European countries(4)	369·5	389·6	369·3	373·3	374·6	386·1	392·1	336·8	334·0	309·3	294·1
Commonwealth citizens	289·1	307·4	288·0	291·8	290·0	299·1	314·8	261·6	265·0	244·3	234·1
Aliens	80·4	82·2	81·3	81·6	84·5	87·0	77·3	75·2	69·0	64·9	60·0
Total by air(5)	893·5	928·6	1,109·9	1,237·3	1,422·2	1,800·1	2,219·3	2,303·7	2,615·9	3,274·6	3,468·6(2)
Channel Islands	90·9	116·9	139·2	158·4	180·5	214·4	266·2	242·9	274·4	318·4	..
Irish Republic	127·5	139·1	139·6	152·6	175·5	206·2	221·8	233·8	283·4	365·7	429·8
Other European countries(3)	527·6	508·6	646·3	736·4	845·8	1,119·8	1,380·4	1,467·5	1,644·1	2,030·8	2,469·9
Non-European countries(4)	147·5	163·9	184·8	189·8	220·3	259·7	350·9	359·5	414·0	559·7	569·0

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Including passengers on pleasure cruises, excursions and day trips. Movement across the land frontier between Northern Ireland and the Irish Republic is excluded. Citizens of the Irish Republic are included with Commonwealth citizens. From 1956 onwards statistics include passenger movement to and from the privately operated airports of Southend and Ferryfield. Excursions and day trips are excluded in 1961.

(2) Excluding Channel Islands.

(3) Including Middle East and North African countries in 1961.

(4) Including Middle East and North Africa countries prior to 1961.

(5) Excluding passengers carried in aircraft chartered by British government departments.

(6) From 1957 onwards, figures exclude day trips originating in the Irish Republic.

Visitors arriving in the United Kingdom by sea and air(1)

Analysis by nationality

TABLE 37

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	711·6	732·9	818·6	901·5	1,037·3	1,107·2	1,180·4	1,258·3	1,394·6	1,669·3	1,823·8
Commonwealth visitors(2)	162·4	167·3	186·0	201·8	229·4	245·2	254·6	274·6	306·7	383·8	443·0
Foreign visitors(3)	549·2	565·6	632·6	699·6	807·9	862·1	925·8	983·8	1,087·9	1,285·5	1,380·8
Nationals of European countries: Total	387·9	370·0	411·7	458·0	525·2	560·8	613·7	601·1	670·9	776·9	865·8
Sweden	27·2	27·1	27·2	29·4	34·6	33·1	33·4	34·5	39·1	44·4	49·4
Norway	17·8	13·7	14·6	14·8	17·0	16·7	16·6	15·0	16·7	19·4	21·5
Denmark	18·7	17·2	18·4	17·7	19·4	18·8	19·9	19·2	22·1	25·6	28·5
Germany	40·7	50·1	63·8	84·2	96·5	109·7	122·4	132·3	148·0	167·0	180·5
Netherlands	60·1	52·7	57·2	62·6	67·4	72·6	76·1	77·6	87·1	101·1	105·3
Belgium	46·2	41·2	41·6	42·9	46·3	47·2	50·2	41·0	51·2	65·1	75·0
France	103·6	100·6	112·9	123·5	144·9	152·8	165·8	150·5	162·4	187·8	219·7
Switzerland	24·1	20·2	22·2	24·0	26·4	28·8	29·3	29·7	33·0	37·4	41·6
Spain	5·5	6·2	7·3	7·5	9·8	11·2	11·5	12·2	12·9	15·4	18·7
Portugal	2·4	2·2	2·3	2·7	3·6	3·6	4·1	4·5	4·8	5·9	5·7
Italy	19·5	20·0	22·8	24·2	29·2	31·2	38·3	39·6	46·2	53·9	57·5
Other	22·1	18·9	21·4	24·5	30·3	35·1	46·0	45·0	47·3	53·8	62·4
Nationals of non-European countries: Total	154·0	189·0	214·7	235·5	276·0	294·5	305·0	375·7	409·9	500·6	506·9
United States of America	127·6	163·6	186·4	202·8	239·1	255·4	262·7	324·9	356·5	426·5	423·8
Central and South America	10·2	11·4	13·1	14·6	14·3	13·9	16·1	19·8	18·2	25·6	28·7
Other	16·2	13·9	15·2	18·1	22·6	25·1	26·2	31·0	35·1	48·6	54·3
Doubtful	7·3	6·6	6·2	6·1	6·7	6·8	7·1	6·9	7·2	7·9	8·1

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Excluding visitors from the Channel Islands and visitors who are resident in the Irish Republic.

(2) Estimated number of Commonwealth nationals intending to stay up to one year.

(3) Excluding foreign nationals in transit through the United Kingdom, 124,400 in 1959, 149,600 in 1960 and 100,900 in 1961.

PASSENGER MOVEMENT

Movement direct by sea of immigrants and emigrants between the United Kingdom and non-European countries

TABLE 38

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Immigrants from non-European countries	76·2	82·2	77·8	92·3	84·8	73·8	63·4	66·9	71·6	84·7	..
Commonwealth citizens	67·7	68·7	69·6	82·6	72·7	64·1	56·0	61·0	67·2	80·2	83·7
Country of last permanent residence (1):											
Commonwealth countries:											
Total	56·3	60·2	61·7	73·9	64·6	57·9	51·0	55·3	61·7	74·3	77·1
South Africa	..(2)	4·2	4·3	4·9	3·9	3·7	3·4	3·2	3·6	6·0	6·6
Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland	..(2)	2·1	3·6	2·2	1·4	1·3	1·3	1·7	2·4	2·9	3·0
India and Pakistan	11·6	10·7	9·8	10·6	8·5	7·3	4·6	4·8	5·3	5·4	6·9
Ceylon	2·0	1·8	2·0	2·1	1·3	1·6	1·6	1·3	1·2	0·9	1·2
Australia	10·0	10·7	11·4	13·5	10·3	10·1	8·0	8·5	10·8	12·6	11·8
New Zealand	2·9	3·4	3·4	4·4	3·5	3·2	2·5	2·8	4·1	4·7	4·0
Canada	5·0	7·5	6·9	9·4	10·5	7·9	8·7	11·9	12·2	11·2	10·3
British West Indies and Bermuda	24·8	19·8	20·3	9·9	11·9	10·5	6·1	7·4	8·8	15·6	18·0
Other				16·9	13·3	12·5	14·8	13·6	13·5	14·7	15·3
Foreign countries:											
Total	11·5	8·4	7·9	8·6	8·1	6·2	5·0	5·6	5·5	5·9	6·2
United States of America	2·5	2·6	3·3	3·9	3·6	3·4	3·2	3·9	3·8	4·1	4·6
Central and South America	1·3	1·3	1·5	1·5	1·1	0·9	0·7	0·8	0·9	0·9	0·8
Other	7·6	4·5	3·0	3·2	3·5	1·9	1·0	0·9	0·8	0·9	0·8
Country not stated	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·4
Aliens(3)	8·5	13·5	8·2	9·8	12·1	9·7	7·4	5·9	4·4	4·6	..
Country of last permanent residence(1):											
Commonwealth countries	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·4	..
Foreign countries:											
Total	8·0	13·0	7·7	9·3	11·7	9·4	7·1	5·6	4·0	4·2	..
United States of America	7·1	12·0	6·8	8·4	10·9	8·7	6·6	5·1	3·4	3·5	..
Central and South America	0·3	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·2	0·3	0·2	..
Other	0·6	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·4	..
Emigrants to non-European countries	169·6	181·8	155·1	148·4	128·1	140·9	162·9	113·0	101·4	93·2	..
Commonwealth citizens	150·8	165·9	144·1	135·7	116·4	129·8	153·6	105·1	95·6	88·7	91·0
Country of intended future permanent residence(1):											
Commonwealth countries:											
Total	133·0	147·5	124·3	118·5	101·1	114·3	136·6	93·8	85·8	79·4	80·8
South Africa	..(2)	8·6	6·5	5·9	5·0	4·8	5·5	5·3	4·4	2·8	2·2
Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland	..(2)	7·0	4·7	3·6	3·6	5·2	5·5	4·2	2·7	2·0	1·4
India and Pakistan	5·3	5·2	5·1	4·3	3·3	3·1	2·3	2·9	2·9	2·8	3·2
Ceylon	1·7	1·5	1·4	1·5	1·1	0·7	0·9	0·6	0·6	0·5	0·4
Australia	56·7	51·9	30·2	34·5	36·0	32·2	35·1	37·4	38·8	39·2	40·6
New Zealand	9·7	15·3	14·5	10·4	10·2	11·5	10·2	10·8	8·8	6·5	9·1
Canada	27·5	37·5	41·3	38·6	26·4	41·5	59·4	16·0	11·8	10·9	9·3
British West Indies and Bermuda	32·0	20·5	20·6	1·8	1·4	2·3	3·3	4·1	4·3	3·5	3·8
Other				17·9	14·1	13·0	14·5	12·6	11·6	11·3	10·9
Foreign countries:											
Total	17·8	18·4	19·9	17·2	15·4	15·5	17·0	11·3	9·7	9·2	8·3
United States of America	12·6	16·0	16·2	14·4	12·8	13·9	15·2	9·7	8·3	7·8	7·1
Central and South America	1·2	1·1	1·0	1·0	0·8	0·8	1·0	0·9	0·8	0·6	0·7
Other	4·0	1·3	2·6	1·9	1·7	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·5
Country not stated	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1·9
Aliens(3)	18·8	15·9	11·0	12·7	11·7	11·1	9·3	8·0	5·8	4·5	..
Country of intended future permanent residence(1):											
Commonwealth countries	7·3	7·9	3·4	2·7	1·9	2·4	2·2	1·3	1·1	0·7	..
Foreign countries:											
Total	11·5	8·0	7·6	10·0	9·8	8·7	7·1	6·6	4·7	3·8	..
United States of America	10·7	7·2	7·0	9·2	9·1	7·9	6·5	6·0	4·1	3·3	..
Central and South America	0·5	0·5	0·3	0·4	0·3	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·2	..
Other	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·5	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	..

(1) Residence for more than twelve months. (2) Included in " Other Commonwealth countries ".

(3) Statistics of alien migrants on the long sea routes are not available after 1960.

Source: Board of Trac

III. SOCIAL CONDITIONS

Expenditure on social services and housing.

The following notes explain some of the terms used in these tables.

Net expenditure

In all the tables the figures of total expenditure are 'net' in the sense that receipts from the public and other sources are deducted from each item of expenditure. Deductions made for the more important purchases of goods and services (for example, school meals, rents) are shown separately in the tables. Payments by local authorities for temporary houses and schools are regarded as purchases of services and are shown in the same way. Contributions by employers and employees towards national insurance and the national health service are regarded as a form of tax, not as payment for services, and are therefore not deducted from national insurance pensions and benefits.

Superannuation contributions paid by local authorities and by bodies operating the national health service are included in the current cost of the service but pensions paid to retired employees, for example to retired teachers and doctors, are excluded.

Grants to persons and private bodies

(*i*) *Current*

These consist of cash grants and grants in kind (net expenditure on welfare foods) to persons, and grants to universities and other private bodies for current purposes.

(*ii*) *Capital*

These consist of payments of compensation to doctors for loss of right to sell medical practices, grants to universities and, in the case of Northern Ireland, some grants under the headings education, child care and housing.

Grants from one public authority to another

In the consolidated Table 39 all transfers from one public authority to another have been eliminated to avoid double counting. In Tables 40, 41 and 43 these grants are shown in the table relating to the public authority paying them.

Grants from the National Insurance Funds towards the cost of the national health service ceased from 2 September, 1957. After this date separate national health service contributions became payable under the National Health Service Contributions Act, 1957. No deduction is made for the revenue received from these contributions. As a consequence, in 1957/58 net expenditure on grants by the central government is increased and expenditure by the National Insurance Funds reduced by comparison with earlier years, but the figures of consolidated expenditure by all public authorities in Table 39 are not affected.

In the case of grants from the central government to local authorities only the grants for specific social services are included. Owing to the introduction of the general grant system in 1959/60 most of these grants can no longer be shown. In addition to the current grants formerly made for specific social services the general grant is made for: (i) certain items of capital expenditure treated by the local authorities as expenditure met from revenue, but included here in Table 43, and (ii) a few services outside the category of social services on which expenditure is relatively small. (In 1958/59 grants under heading (ii) amounted to about £9 million.) The figures shown against the heading 'General grant and other grants not shown separately above' include also specific grants to local authorities from the government of Northern Ireland as the general grant system does not apply in Northern Ireland.

Capital expenditure

The figures shown in Table 43 exclude repayments of loans and payments to sinking funds but include expenditure on fixed assets financed by loans.

National insurance

Table 45 gives the number of persons for whom contributions were payable, analysed by class of contributor and by the main benefits for which contributions were payable. The numbers of persons receiving benefit are shown in Table 47.

There are three classes of contributor :—

Class 1 Employed persons, that is, persons working for employers. Their contributions are paid partly by themselves and partly by their employers. They are covered for all benefits.

Class 2 Self-employed persons, that is, persons working on their own account. They are covered for all benefits other than unemployment and industrial injuries.

Class 3 Non-employed persons, that is, persons who do not work for gain. They are covered for benefits other than unemployment, sickness, industrial injuries and maternity allowances.

An employer must pay a contribution for every employee unless the time worked is inconsiderable. Most employed persons pay the full employees' contribution, but retirement pensioners working for an employer contribute only for industrial injuries benefit and married women and some widows who are working need not, unless they so wish, contribute except for industrial injuries benefit. Thus the total numbers in the analysis by benefit for which the contributions were payable are less than the total numbers in the analysis by class of contributor.

Justice and crime

There are differences in the legal and judicial systems of England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland which make it impossible to provide tables covering the United Kingdom as a whole in this section. Some of these differences, such as those concerning the classification of offences, the meaning of certain terms used in the statistics and the effects of the several Criminal Justice Acts have been explained in previous issues of the *Annual Abstract* (see, for example, Issue No. 91, page 53).

Comparative table (Table 65). This table compares the criminal statistics of England and Wales and Scotland. A comparison of this type was recommended by the Inter-departmental Committee on Social and Economic Research and the problem was studied by a small working group of representatives of the Home Office, the Scottish Home (now Home and Health) Department and the Central Statistical Office. Although the statistical procedures in use in the two countries are basically similar, differences of the kind already referred to (particularly in the police systems and court procedures) and other less tangible differences makes any comparison of this kind somewhat hazardous. The main headings in the table have been selected specially to assist this comparison and do not correspond with the class headings used in the published statistics. The descriptions used for offences or groups of offences frequently represent a compromise between slightly differing descriptions for the same or similar offences.

Classification of offences. As a basis for a comparison of the numbers of persons disposed of according to offence, lists of comparable groups of offences are used. The differences between the two legal systems make complete correspondence unattainable, and a measure of approximation had to be introduced in forming groups for comparison. The method adopted is to show the Scottish offences in the smallest groups to which it is possible to construct an approximate equivalent for England and Wales. Offences are arranged under four headings :—

Offences relating to the person
Offences relating to property
Other serious offences
Less serious offences

Under each heading certain offences for which there is no equivalent, or no equivalent separately tabulated, are made to form a residual group; thus the numbers in the residual groups do not purport to be comparable. Certain other groups of offences, for instance, the group containing most of the sexual offences, have been extended over such a wide range of offences in order to secure approximate comparability that their usefulness is limited. Frequently the division between crimes and miscellaneous offences in Scotland does not correspond to the division between indictable and non-indictable offences in England and Wales and the borderline between the group of more serious and the group of less serious offences is difficult to draw. In dealing with arson and malicious damage to property, for example, the division between the Scottish crimes and offences does not correspond to the division between indictable and non-indictable offences in England and Wales. The two groups of offences described in Scotland as assaults and breach of the peace are thought to be only doubtfully comparable with the groups for England and Wales set against them, since it is possible that the range of offences dealt with in Scotland as breach of the peace may be wider than the range covered by the group comprising assaults, disorderly behaviour and attempted suicide in England and Wales.

Methods of disposal. It is also difficult to decide on the appropriate measures of guilt for comparison. In the statistics for England and Wales the term " persons found guilty " covers not only persons convicted but also those found guilty without conviction. The latter category includes juveniles dealt with summarily and, up to 31st July, 1949, adults dealt with summarily under the Probation of Offenders Act, 1907, by dismissal, binding over or probation order. From 1st August, 1949, as a result of the Criminal Justice Act, 1948, all adults found guilty in England and Wales are recorded as convicted. In the statistics for Scotland persons dismissed, bound over or placed on probation under the Probation of Offenders Act, 1907 (or, from 12th June, 1950 persons discharged absolutely or placed on probation under the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act, 1949) are not included in the term " persons convicted or found guilty" since there is, in Scotland, except in indictment cases, neither finding of guilt nor conviction in such cases. It would obviously be incorrect therefore to compare "persons found guilty." with " persons convicted or found guilty " A more promising comparison was between " persons found guilty " in England and Wales and " charges proved " in Scotland. This comparison is however affected by the fact that in England and Wales there is no equivalent of the Scottish procedure relating to the forfeiture of pledges. In Scotland the forfeiture of pledges (or bail) is a legally accepted method of disposing of trifling offences. Since it is probable that in England and Wales corresponding persons are mostly found guilty and fined, it seems appropriate when making a comparison to add the number of persons whose pledges were forfeited to the number fined and therefore also to the total against whom a charge was proved. For the purpose of the comparison in Table 65 this has been done, but it must be emphasised that there is room for difference of opinion as to the validity of this procedure.

The statistical basis of the tables of court proceedings is broadly similar in Scotland and in England and Wales; the tables show the number of persons dealt with, recording a person under the heading of the principal offence of which he is found guilty, ignoring additional findings of guilt at the same proceedings, and counting him once for each separate occasion on which he is proceeded against. They show the number of persons finally disposed of during the calendar year so that persons committed by magistrates' courts to Quarter Sessions in England and Wales for sentence, and still awaiting sentence at the end of the year, are excluded and persons sentenced at Quarter Sessions during the year after being found guilty at magistrates' courts during the previous year are included.

Prison statistics. For years shown prior to 1958, the prison statistics for Scotland (Table 77) are not altogether comparable with those for England and Wales and Northern Ireland (see Tables 70 and 83) by reason of the inclusion of criminal lunatics in the Scottish statistics for those years. In October 1957, the institutions in which criminal lunatics are detained in Scotland were removed from the control of the Scottish Home Department. This is in line with the position of such institutions in England and Wales and Northern Ireland where the institutions in which criminal lunatics are detained do not come under the control of the Prison Commission, though the statistics relating to prisons may include such persons if received as ordinary prisoners before they are removed to the appropriate institution either by order of a court or by certification.

Consolidated current expenditure on social services and housing by all public authorities

TABLE 39

Years ended 31 March (¹)

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Education							
Local education authority services	389·3	423·9	496·2	559·7	607·4	673·1	730·2
Other	42·7	46·4	50·2	53·3	62·5	68·6	81·5
Health and welfare							
Health	512·4	558·2	612·2	647·7	694·0	750·1	837·7
Welfare	118·6	126·5	138·2	128·1	131·1	137·1	144·6
Benefits and assistance							
National insurance	568·4	683·8	712·3	777·9	996·7	1,037·7	1,055·9
Other	341·5	333·5	350·8	370·0	387·0	416·3	438·8
Housing	103·9	98·7	103·8	108·2	110·7	114·9	121·5
Total expenditure	**2,076·8**	**2,271·0**	**2,463·7**	**2,644·9**	**2,989·3**	**3,197·8**	**3,410·2**
of which:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	1,004·2	1,122·1	1,176·2	1,250·7	1,497·4	1,574·8	1,633·8
Administration	109·7	117·4	129·5	136·7	145·3	158·6	167·3
Other expenditure	962·9	1,031·5	1,158·0	1,257·5	1,346·6	1,464·4	1,609·1
England and Wales							
Total expenditure	1,790·5	1,959·7	2,126·0	2,280·7	2,578·2	2,761·1	2,944·9
of which:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	867·6	970·4	1,018·7	1,082·1	1,295·1	1,362·1	1,414·0
Administration	95·6	102·3	112·9	119·3	126·8	138·1	145·7
Other expenditure	827·3	887·0	994·4	1,079·3	1,156·3	1,260·9	1,385·2
Scotland							
Total expenditure	234·1	253·2	275·7	296·2	334·2	354·0	376·6
of which:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	106·5	117·9	122·7	130·9	158·1	167·2	172·3
Administration	11·0	11·8	12·8	13·4	14·3	15·7	16·7
Other expenditure	116·6	123·5	140·2	151·9	161·8	171·1	187·6
Northern Ireland							
Total expenditure	52·2	58·1	62·0	68·0	76·9	82·7	88·7
of which:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	30·1	33·8	34·8	37·7	44·2	45·5	47·5
Administration	3·1	3·3	3·8	4·0	4·2	4·8	4·9
Other expenditure	19·0	21·0	23·4	26·3	28·5	32·4	36·3

(¹) The financial years of most local authorities in Scotland end during May.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current expenditure on social services and housing by the central government

TABLE 40 — Years ended 31 March — £ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Direct expenditure on goods and services and grants to persons and private bodies							
Education							
Grants to private bodies	10·5	11·3	12·9	14·8	16·3	18·3	22·3
Scholarships, students' maintenance allowances and training allowances	4·1	4·0	4·1	4·2	4·8	5·2	5·3
Grants to universities	23·3	26·0	27·7	28·3	35·2	38·9	47·3
Other expenditure	2·1	2·2	2·1	1·9	1·3	0·7	0·6
less Receipts from local authorities for temporary school accommodation	– 1·2	– 1·2	– 1·2	– 0·8	– 0·3	—	—
Administration	2·8	3·0	3·3	3·5	3·7	4·0	4·5
Health							
National health service:							
Hospital, etc., services	306·5	335·8	365·5	386·1	413·3	446·3	489·5
less Receipts from patients	– 4·1	– 4·2	– 4·1	– 4·4	– 4·7	– 5·2	– 5·6
General medical, etc., services	167·1	179·9	199·0	212·9	226·9	242·4	280·7
less Receipts from patients	– 20·6	– 22·1	– 23·8	– 27·5	– 27·5	– 29·0	– 30·3
Other services	2·6	2·8	3·0	3·2	3·5	3·8	4·1
Administration	15·7	16·8	18·4	19·3	20·4	23·1	26·2
Welfare							
National assistance:							
Expenditure on reception centres and hostels	0·4	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·4
Administration	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2
Industrial rehabilitation, training and employment of the disabled:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	3·3	2·8	3·0	3·1	3·3	3·2	3·3
Other expenditure	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·6
Child care:							
Grants to persons and private bodies:							
Approved schools and remand homes	1·5	1·4	1·6	1·5	1·6	1·9	2·2
Under the Children Act, 1948	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·2
Administration	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3
Welfare foods:							
Milk-in-schools scheme	6·0	1·2	0·5	—	0·1	0·1	0·1
Other welfare schemes	36·0	38·3	40·8	30·8	28·1	29·1	28·9
less Recoveries from the public	– 2·0	– 2·3	– 2·0	– 2·8	– 2·3	– 2·3	– 2·1
Administration	1·2	1·0	1·2	0·6	0·7	0·7	0·8
Benefits and assistance							
War and other service disablement, etc., pensions:							
1914–18 war pensions	34·0	34·1	34·2	35·3	38·9	38·6	36·9
Disablement, etc., payments by Service Departments (inter-war service)	0·9	1·0	1·0	1·0	1·1	1·1	1·1
Payments in respect of 1939–45 war and subsequent service	47·7	48·9	49·7	50·1	55·5	54·7	52·9
Pensions and grants to persons living overseas	5·0	5·2	5·1	5·3	5·9	5·9	6·0
Administration	4·6	4·5	4·7	4·7	4·8	5·0	4·7
Non-contributory old age pensions:							
Grants to persons	20·1	18·5	16·5	15·3	14·4	12·7	11·4
Administration	0·3	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·3
National assistance grants:							
Grants to old persons	59·9	52·6	61·3	67·1	63·2	79·3	94·9
Grants to unemployed persons	9·5	8·2	9·1	11·9	18·3	23·3	23·0
Grants to sick persons	22·0	22·6	23·1	23·5	23·5	28·1	32·2
Grants to other persons in need	19·1	16·9	16·7	16·6	17·7	21·0	24·6
Administration	6·5	6·8	7·3	8·0	8·4	9·6	10·2
Family allowances:							
Grants to persons	109·6	111·3	118·8	127·8	131·8	133·3	137·1
Administration	2·3	2·5	2·9	3·0	3·1	3·3	3·5
Housing							
Annuities under the Housing (Temporary Accommodation) Act, 1944	23·6	8·0	8·0	8·0	8·0	8·0	8·0
less Receipts from local authorities for the use of temporary houses	– 2·1	– 2·7	– 2·4	– 2·0	– 1·9	– 1·9	– 1·9
Grants to the National Service Hostels Corporation, Limited	0·6	0·3	—	—	—	—	—
Administration	0·9	0·7	0·8	0·8	0·8	0·8	0·8
Total direct expenditure	**920·6**	**937·9**	**1,010·6**	**1,053·0**	**1,119·8**	**1,206·1**	**1,325·2**
of which:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	410·6	402·1	424·2	433·9	457·5	492·5	527·6
Administration	34·7	36·1	39·5	40·8	42·8	47·4	51·5
Other expenditure	475·3	499·7	546·9	578·3	619·5	666·2	746·1

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current expenditure on social services and housing by the central government

TABLE 40 (*continued*)

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Grants to National Insurance Funds and local authorities							
National Insurance Funds							
Grants to the National Insurance Funds	72·5	94·9	98·9	103·1	166·5	172·0	173·2
Grants to the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Funds	6·8	8·3	8·5	9·2	13·0	13·0	13·3
less Grants from the National Insurance Funds towards the national health service	– 41·2	– 41·3	– 41·7	– 18·5	—	—	—
Total	38·1	61·9	65·7	93·8	179·5	185·0	186·5
Local authorities							
Education:							
General education services	212·7	232·2	272·4	308·8	334·0	..	..
School health services	5·3	6·0	6·5	6·9	7·3	..	..
Scholarships, students' maintenance allowances and training allowances	11·3	12·6	13·9	15·9	18·8	..	..
National health service	23·5	24·3	26·3	29·4	31·5	..	..
Welfare services:							
National assistance	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·8	0·7	..	..
Industrial rehabilitation training and employment of the disabled	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·6
Child care:							
Approved schools and remand homes	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·8	0·9	1·0
Services under the Children Act, 1948	7·4	7·3	7·9	8·4	8·9	..	..
Welfare foods:							
School meals and milk	37·1	47·1	52·7	50·8	53·4	55·9	58·9
Housing	57·5	64·6	67·7	71·0	73·8	77·5	80·3
General grant and other grants not shown separately above(¹)	—	—	—	—	—	412·4	496·5
Total	356·3	395·6	448·9	493·2	529·8	547·3	637·3
Total grants to other public authorities	**394·4**	**457·5**	**514·6**	**587·0**	**709·3**	**732·3**	**823·8**

(¹) See introductory notes on page 41.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current expenditure by the National Insurance Funds

TABLE 41

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
National Insurance Acts							
Retirement pensions (including pensions to widows over 60)	353·4	439·3	454·6	489·1	627·8	667·4	687·7
Other widows' benefits and guardians' allowances	33·1	37·0	39·6	45·2	59·5	63·5	67·6
Sickness benefits	87·8	103·8	101·0	115·6	137·9	134·9	139·9
Maternity benefits	13·4	14·5	15·4	16·5	20·2	20·6	21·3
Death grants	3·1	3·3	3·4	4·0	5·1	5·3	5·9
Unemployment benefits	18·0	18·5	23·7	29·0	54·2	45·8	33·8
Benefits paid to persons living overseas	1·6	1·6	2·0	2·4	2·6	3·8	3·3
Administration	27·6	28·8	32·5	34·3	37·4	40·7	39·7
National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts							
Industrial injuries benefits	25·9	32·5	34·9	36·2	46·5	49·4	49·8
Administration	4·5	4·5	5·2	5·6	5·5	6·3	6·9
Grants to the central government towards the national health service	41·2	41·3	41·7	18·5	—	—	—
Total expenditure	**609·6**	**725·1**	**754·0**	**796·4**	**996·7**	**1,037·7**	**1,055·9**
of which: Grants to the central government	41·2	41·3	41·7	18·5	—	—	—
Grants to persons	536·3	650·5	674·6	738·0	953·8	990·7	1,009·3
Administration	32·1	33·3	37·7	39·9	42·9	47·0	46·6

Source: Central Statistical Office

SOCIAL SERVICES

Current expenditure on social services and housing by local authorities

TABLE 42

Years ended 31 March(1)

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Education							
Schools, colleges and general services:							
Education services	320·5	345·1	405·9	455·3	489·7	541·4	584·6
School health services	8·9	10·1	11·1	11·7	12·3	13·5	14·3
Scholarships, students' maintenance allowances and training allowances	19·1	21·0	23·3	26·6	31·0	34·1	36·4
Loan charges	24·3	29·0	35·3	44·3	51·6	59·6	67·5
Payments for temporary schools	1·2	1·2	1·2	0·8	0·3	0·1	—
Administration	15·3	17·5	19·4	21·0	22·5	24·4	27·4
Grants to universities	1·1	1·1	1·3	1·4	1·5	1·5	1·5
Health							
National health service:							
Local authority services	39·2	42·3	46·8	50·1	53·4	59·2	62·7
Administration	6·0	6·9	7·4	8·0	8·7	9·5	10·4
Welfare							
National assistance:							
Local authority services	14·1	14·8	17·2	18·9	19·5	20·3	22·7
Administration	3·0	3·2	3·5	3·8	4·0	4·2	4·6
Child care:							
Approved schools and remand homes:							
Grants to private bodies	—	—	—	—	0·1	0·1	0·1
Other expenditure	2·4	2·5	2·3	2·8	3·0	3·2	3·5
Expenditure under the Children Act, 1948	11·9	11·8	12·5	13·4	13·9	14·5	14·9
Administration	2·8	3·0	3·4	3·7	4·0	4·5	5·0
School meals and milk:							
Cost of meals and milk	57·5	69·5	77·9	78·9	82·9	88·0	91·4
less Payments by parents	− 20·4	− 22·1	− 25·1	− 28·1	− 29·4	− 32·1	− 32·5
Housing							
Repairs, maintenance and general expenses	54·1	58·2	62·9	60·3	62·4	67·9	68·4
less Rents, etc., received	−121·3	−133·2	−154·5	−168·7	−184·8	−199·9	−218·5
Loan charges	130·2	147·3	168·0	188·3	203·9	216·5	241·0
Payments for temporary houses	2·1	2·7	2·4	2·0	1·9	1·9	1·9
Administration	15·8	17·4	18·6	19·5	20·4	21·6	21·8
Total expenditure	**587·8**	**649·3**	**740·8**	**814·0**	**872·8**	**954·0**	**1,029·1**
of which:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	57·3	69·5	77·4	78·8	86·1	91·6	96·9
Administration	42·9	48·0	52·3	56·0	59·6	64·2	69·2
Other expenditure	487·6	531·8	611·1	679·2	727·1	798·2	863·0

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(1) The financial years of most local authorities in Scotland end during May.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Capital expenditure on social services and housing by all public authorities

TABLE 43

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Direct expenditure on capital formation and grants and loans to persons and private bodies							
Education							
Central government expenditure:							
Grants to universities	6·7	7·0	8·8	11·3	15·7	20·1	21·1
Grants to private bodies	1·7	1·9	2·9	3·8	3·8	3·7	4·7
Loans to private bodies	0·4	0·4	0·8	0·9	1·1	1·4	1·3
Local authority expenditure	71·5	82·1	104·5	117·0	113·3	112·2	105·7
National health service							
Central government expenditure:							
Hospital, etc., services	16·3	17·2	18·8	24·1	26·9	28·5	31·9
Payments of compensation to doctors	2·7	2·6	2·4	2·4	3·9	3·2	3·1
Other services	—	0·2	0·2	0·1	—	—	0·1
Local authority expenditure	2·2	2·4	2·3	2·2	2·8	4·0	5·3
Welfare							
Central government expenditure:							
Industrial rehabilitation, training and employment of the disabled	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·4	0·3
Local authority expenditure:							
National assistance	2·8	3·0	3·6	3·5	3·6	4·8	6·2
Child care	1·2	0·9	0·7	0·4	0·6	1·8	1·5
School canteens	3·9	4·5	6·1	6·6	7·3	7·3	7·9
Housing							
Central government expenditure:							
Grants to private bodies	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2
Local authority expenditure:							
Grants to persons and private bodies	3·6	7·6	8·3	8·0	7·5	10·0	14·0
Other expenditure	348·4	307·2	295·1	273·2	242·9	260·5	250·2
Consolidated capital expenditure by all public authorities	**461·8**	**437·4**	**455·1**	**453·9**	**429·8**	**458·1**	**453·5**
Grants from the central government to local authorities							
Education	3·3	3·4	4·6	5·4	6·4	..	..
Welfare services							
National assistance	—	—	—	—	0·1	0·1	0·1
School canteens	3·0	3·6	4·6	5·1	5·4	5·3	5·8
Housing	4·4	4·3	3·8	2·3	1·9	1·6	1·7
Total grants to local authorities	**10·7**	**11·3**	**13·0**	**12·8**	**13·8**	..	..

Source: Central Statistical Office

NATIONAL INSURANCE

National Insurance and Industrial Injuries Funds

TABLE 44

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
National Insurance Funds								
Receipts:								
Total	915,643	973,126	1,119,698	1,075,871	1,119,606	1,293,249	1,298,944	1,273,235
Opening balance	307,583	347,510	393,391	325,884	361,513	363,914	347,632	316,045
Contributions	491,236	500,248	582,002	600,802	601,396	709,287	724,309	728,771
Parliamentary vote	73,411	72,540	94,935	98,958	103,150	166,482	171,985	173,210
Income from investments	7,214	8,769	9,464	9,062	11,550	12,028	12,562	15,252
Interest, etc., transferred from National Insurance (Reserve) Funds	36,187	43,959	39,062	41,155	41,228	41,222	42,058	39,562
Miscellaneous	12	100	844	10	769	316	398	395
Expenditure:								
Total	568,133	579,735	793,814	714,358	755,692	945,617	982,899	1,000,087
Total benefits	498,855	510,244	618,012	639,562	701,824	907,283	941,295	959,529
Unemployment:								
Standard and additional days	23,216	17,997	18,431	23,725	28,912	54,225	45,827	33,820
Extended benefit	1,615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sickness	88,112	87,734	103,887	100,940	115,588	138,247	135,494	139,868
Maternity	10,831	13,399	14,482	15,393	16,531	20,338	20,652	21,280
Widows' pensions	31,336	32,867	36,763	39,358	45,092	59,142	63,280	67,463
Guardians' allowances	405	344	366	336	357	475	457	448
Child's special allowance (1)	—	—	—	—	2	9	10	11
Retirement pensions	340,475	354,794	440,766	456,410	491,320	629,696	670,255	690,703
Death grants	2,865	3,109	3,317	3,400	4,022	5,151	5,320	5,936
Contributions to national health service(2)	41,281	41,217	41,293	41,719	18,558	187	—	—
Administration	27,433	27,614	28,759	32,530	34,220	37,379	40,664	39,724
Miscellaneous	564	660	105,750(3)	547	1,090	768	940	834
Accumulated funds	347,510	393,391	325,884	361,513	363,914	347,632	316,045	273,150
National Insurance (Reserve) Funds								
Receipts:								
Total	1,126,769	1,134,723	1,231,854	1,234,038	1,234,208	1,234,303	1,235,243	1,232,856
Opening balance	1,090,526	1,090,582	1,090,765	1,192,792	1,192,883	1,192,980	1,193,081	1,193,185
Income from investments	36,187	43,959	39,062	41,155	41,228	41,222	42,058	39,562
Miscellaneous	56	182	102,027(4)	92	97	101	104	109
Expenditure:								
Interest, etc., transferred to National Insurance Funds	36,187	43,959	39,062	41,155	41,228	41,222	42,058	39,562
Accumulated funds	1,090,582	1,090,765	1,192,792	1,192,883	1,192,980	1,193,081	1,193,185	1,193,294
Industrial Injuries Funds								
Receipts:								
Total	141,106	156,828	179,861	199,427	219,597	262,086	299,592	335,043
Opening balance	96,066	111,611	126,332	142,731	159,189	177,666	209,984	243,749
Contributions	34,828	34,063	40,618	42,908	45,144	64,337	67,841	66,807
Parliamentary vote	6,786	6,838	8,265	8,467	9,216	12,940	12,965	13,267
Income from investments	3,423	4,313	4,640	5,314	6,040	7,134	8,790	11,210
Miscellaneous	3	3	6	7	8	9	12	10
Expenditure:								
Total	29,495	30,496	37,130	40,238	41,931	52,101	55,843	56,778
Total benefits	25,191	25,945	32,584	34,998	36,246	46,543	49,423	49,816
Injury	11,210	10,728	12.984	12,992	12,725	17,674	18,334	17,390
Disablement	12,381	13,382	17,067	18,961	19,960	24,709	26,785	27,974
Death	1,035	1,203	1,630	1,899	2,240	2,901	3,116	3,318
Other(5)	565	632	903	1,146	1,321	1,259	1,188	1,134
Administration	4,284	4,530	4,525	5,218	5,662	5,532	6,390	6,938
Miscellaneous	20	21	21	22	23	26	30	24
Accumulated funds	111,611	126,332	142,731	159,189	177,666	209,984	243,749	278,265

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(1) Became payable on 18 November, 1957.

(2) Section 37 of the National Insurance Act, 1946, which provided for contributions to the national health service, ceased to have effect as from 2 September, 1957.

(3) Including transfers to Reserve Funds.

(4) Including market value of investments transferred from National Insurance Funds.

(5) Allowances under Workmen's Compensation (Supplementation) Act, 1951; allowances and death benefits under Industrial Diseases (Benefit) Acts, 1951 and 1954; allowances under the Workmen's Compensation and Benefit (Supplementation) Act, 1956.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, Northern Ireland

National Insurance Acts: Persons for whom contributions were payable(1)

TABLE 45

Average of the numbers at quarterly dates

Millions

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961(2)
Analysis by class of contributor										
Total	23·96	24·04	24·28	24·60	24·73	24·74	24·58	24·53	24·80	24·98
Males:										
Total	16·39	16·44	16·53	16·64	16·73	16·75	16·69	16·66	16·76	16·84
Employed	14·88	14·92	15·00	15·10	15·19	15·25	15·26	15·21	15·30	15·37
Self-employed	1·34	1·34	1·33	1·33	1·32	1·31	1·31	1·33	1·34	1·35
Non-employed	0·17	0·18	0·20	0·21	0·22	0·19	0·12	0·12	0·12	0·12
Females:										
Total	7·57	7·60	7·75	7·96	8·00	7·99	7·89	7·87	8·04	8·14
Employed	7·05	7·10	7·25	7·49	7·55	7·58	7·54	7·57	7·74	7·85
Self-employed	0·16	0·15	0·15	0·14	0·13	0·13	0·13	0·12	0·12	0·11
Non-employed	0·36	0·35	0·35	0·33	0·32	0·28	0·22	0·18	0·18	0·18
Analysis by benefit for which contributions were payable										
Unemployment benefit	19·84	19·83	19·89	19·93	19·95	19·91	19·77	19·68	19·74	19·82
Sickness benefit	21·34	21·32	21·37	21·40	21·40	21·35	21·21	21·13	21·20	21·28
Retirement pensions	21·90	21·88	21·96	21·99	22·01	21·93	21·64	21·44	21·50	21·58
Industrial injuries benefits	21·09	21·17	21·43	21·82	22·02	22·17	22·24	22·27	22·76	23·02

(1) Employed persons for whom the employer's contribution only is payable (for example, married women who elect not to pay contributions themselves) are included in the analysis by class but excluded from the analysis by benefit, except where these contributions count for benefit.

(2) Estimated.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance, Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, Northern Ireland and Government Actuary's Department

National insurance: Weekly contributions(1)

TABLE 46

Operating from dates shown

	5 July 1948		1 Oct. 1951		6 Oct. 1952		6 June 1955		2 Sept. 1957		3 Feb. 1958		7 July 1958		3 April 1961(2)		3 April 1961(3)		3 July 1961(2)		3 July 1961(3)	
Adults	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Men																						
Employed persons: Total	9	1	9	5	10	9	12	9	13	7	17	6	18	2	18	2	21	0	19	2	22	0
Employee	4	11	5	1	5	9	6	9	7	5	9	5	9	11	9	9	11	4	10	7	12	2
Employer	4	2	4	4	5	0	6	0	6	2	8	1	8	3	8	5	9	8	8	7	9	10
Self-employed	6	2	6	6	7	5	8	5	9	3	11	6	12	0	13	6	—		14	2	—	
Non-employed	4	8	5	0	5	7	6	6	7	4	9	1	9	7	10	9	—		11	5	—	
Women																						
Employed persons: Total	7	1	7	5	8	5	10	5	11	1	14	3	14	9	15	2	16	5	16	0	17	3
Employee	3	10	4	0	4	6	5	6	6	0	7	8	8	0	8	0	8	10	8	8	9	6
Employer	3	3	3	5	3	11	4	11	5	1	6	7	6	9	7	2	7	7	7	4	7	9
Self-employed	5	1	5	5	6	2	7	2	7	10	9	8	10	0	11	0	—		11	6	—	
Non-employed	3	8	4	0	4	5	5	2	5	10	7	3	7	7	8	3	—		8	9	—	
Juveniles(4)																						
Boys																						
Employed persons: Total	5	4	5	6	6	5	7	5	7	11	10	0	10	4	11	11	—		12	7	—	
Employee	2	10½	2	11½	3	5	3	11	4	3	5	3	5	5	6	3	—		6	9	—	
Employer	2	5½	2	6½	3	0	3	6	3	8	4	9	4	11	5	8	—		5	10	—	
Self-employed	3	7	3	9	4	4	4	10	5	4	6	7	6	9	7	7	—		7	11	—	
Non-employed	2	9	2	11	3	3	3	9	4	3	5	3	5	5	6	0	—		6	4	—	
Girls																						
Employed persons: Total	4	3	4	5	5	1	6	1	6	7	8	4	8	8	9	7	—		10	3	—	
Employee	2	4	2	5	2	9	3	3	3	7	4	6	4	8	5	1	—		5	7	—	
Employer	1	11	2	0	2	4	2	10	3	0	3	10	4	0	4	6	—		4	8	—	
Self-employed	3	1	3	3	3	9	4	3	4	9	5	9	5	11	6	5	—		6	9	—	
Non-employed	2	3	2	5	2	8	3	1	3	7	4	4	4	6	4	11	—		5	3	—	

(1) Including industrial injuries and national health service contributions.

(2) Contributions shown for employed adults are 'flat-rate' contributions payable in the case of persons not 'contracted out' of the graduated pensions scheme. In addition, a contribution at the rate of 4¼% of earnings between £9 and £15 is payable by both employer and employee.

(3) Contributions payable in the case of employed persons with equivalent pension rights from employers' superannuation schemes who have been 'contracted out' of the graduated pensions scheme.

(4) Boys and girls under 18 who have left school.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

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National Insurance Acts: Number of persons receiving benefit

TABLE 47

At 31 December

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961(1)
Persons receiving:										
Unemployment benefit(2)	336	262	193	154	175	211	311	325	213	209
Sickness benefit(3)(4)	885	970	957	957	949	981	937	980	927	964
Retirement pensions and contributory old age pensions:										
Total	4,263	4,389	4,519	4,633	4,741	4,845	5,426(5)	5,556	5,676	5,794
Males	1,438	1,461	1,486	1,502	1,524	1,544	1,794	1,843	1,887	1,930
Females	2,825	2,929	3,033	3,131	3,217	3,301	3,632	3,713	3,789	3,863
Widows' benefits(6)	453	452	452	450	452	466	500(7)	528	557	583
Guardians' allowances	6·3	6·1	6·0	5·8	5·9	6·0	6·0	6·1	6·0	5·8
Orphans' pensions and individual children's allowances	13·9	11·5	9·2	6·3	4·9	3·3	2·1	1·2	0·6	0·3
Injury benefit(3)	58	61	60	60	60	56	59	63	62	62
Industrial disablement pensions(8)	98	110	126	137	144	150	157	166	175	183

(1) Estimated. (2) Average of twelve monthly figures from 1952 to 1957. Average of quarterly figures from 1958. (3) Average of twelve monthly figures. (4) A relatively small number of claims do not result in the payment of benefit but are included here because they indicate notified incapacity for work. (5) Including about 400,000 late-age entrants who became entitled to pension under special conditions from 5 July 1958.
(6) Excluding widows' allowances paid during the first thirteen weeks of widowhood; the number of such allowances does not exceed 25,000. (7) Before 5 August 1957 widow's pension was converted to retirement pension at age 60; since that date, widow's pension continues to age 65 or date of retirement, if earlier. (8) At 31 October from 1953 onwards.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance, Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, Northern Ireland and Government Actuary's Department

Weekly rates of family allowances and the principal national insurance benefits

TABLE 48

Operating from dates shown

	July 1948		October 1951		July 1952		Sept. 1952		October 1953		May 1955		October 1956		February 1958		April 1961	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Family allowances:(1)																		
Second child	5	0	5	0	5	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0
Third and each subsequent child	5	0	5	0	5	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	10	0	10	0	10	0
Unemployment benefit:																		
Men, single women and widows	26	0	26	0	32	6	32	6	32	6	40	0	40	0	50	0	57	6
Married women	20	0	20	0	26	0	26	0	26	0	30	0	30	0	34	0	39	0
Boys and girls under 18 years of age	15	0	15	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	23	0	23	0	28	6	32	6
Sickness benefit:																		
Men, single women and widows	26	0	26	0	32	6	32	6	32	6	40	0	40	0	50	0	57	6
Married women	16	0	16	0	22	0	22	0	22	0	25	0	25	0	34	0	39	0
Boys and girls under 18 years of age	15	0	15	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	23	0	23	0	28	6	32	6
Maternity benefit:(2)																		
Maternity allowance for insured women	36	0	36	0	36	0	36	0	32	6	40	0	40	0	50	0	57	6
Widow's benefit:																		
Widow's pension	26	0	26	0	32	6	32	6	32	6	40	0(3)	40	0	50	0(4)	57	6
Widowed mother's allowance (including provision for one child)	33	6	40	0(5)	43	0	43	0	43	0	51	6(3)	56	6	70	0(4)	82	6
Each additional child	—		2	6(5)	2	6	2	6	2	6	3	6(3)	8	6	12	0(4)	17	0
Guardian's allowance	12	0	13	6(5)	13	6	15	0	15	0	18	0(3)	18	0	27	6(4)	32	6
Retirement pension:																		
Single person	26	0	30	0(6)	30	0	32	6	32	6	40	0(3)	40	0	50	0(4)	57	6
Married couple	42	0	50	0(6)	50	0	54	0	54	0	65	0(3)	65	0	80	0(4)	92	6
Industrial injuries benefit:																		
Injury benefit and disablement pension at 100 per cent. rate	45	0	45	0	55	0	55	0	55	0	67	6	67	6	85	0	97	6
Widow's or widower's pension	30	0	30	0	37	0	37	0	37	0	45	0(3)	45	0	56	0(4)	64	0
Increases for dependants:(7)																		
One adult	16	0	16	0	21	6	21	6	21	6	25	0	25	0	30	0	35	0
First child	7	6	10	0	10	6	10	6	10	6	11	6	11	6	15	0	17	6
Each additional child	—		2	6	2	6	2	6	2	6	3	6	3	6	7	0	9	6

(1) Family allowances, for each qualifying child in the family except the first, were introduced in August 1946. Until August 1956 the allowance continued while the child was at school or an apprentice, but not beyond 31 July following his 16th birthday. From August 1956, the upper limit was raised to the 18th birthday.
(2) The maternity allowance was originally paid to working mothers for 13 weeks. In October 1953 the period of payment was increased to 18 weeks subject to satisfying a contribution test A maternity grant (originally £4 and subsequently increased in steps to £12 10s) is payable through a woman's own insurance or that of her husband and there is also a special grant (at present £5) for home confinements.
(3) From 25 April, 1955. (4) From 27 January, 1958. (5) From 3 September, 1951
(6) Pensioners who had reached age 70 (65 for women) on 3 September, 1951 received the increased rate from that date; younger pensioners received the new rate from 1 October, 1951 persons not yet aged 65 (60 for women) on 1 October, 1951, could not qualify for the higher rate until they reached age 70 (65).
(7) An allowance for one adult dependant is payable where appropriate, with unemployment benefit, sickness benefit, retirement pension, injury benefit, certain disablement pensions and, since 1953, maternity allowance. Allowances for dependent children are payable with any of these benefits. Widowed mother's allowance includes provision for one child and is increased for additional children at a higher rate than other benefits. Changes in these increases take effect from the same date as the main benefit.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

Non-contributory pensions and national assistance

TABLE 49

Years ended 31 March

	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Non-contributory pensions(¹)										
Number of pensions payable(²) (Thousands):										
Total	401	366	335	305	275	250	220	193	169	145
Men	124	110	97	87	76	70	59	49	42	35
Women	277	256	238	218	200	180	162	144	127	109
Amount of pensions paid (£ thousand)	23.935	21,586	20.111	18,529	16.476	15,378	14,472	12,873	11,505	9,742
National assistance										
Number of cases current (³) (Thousands)	1,771	1,867	1,873	1,699	1.756	1,684	1,715	1,874	1,933	1,935
Amount of grants paid (£ thousand)	101,877	105,649	112,065	102,375	112 243	121,164	125,326	154,497	177,898	171,865

(¹) Payable from age 70 (age 40 in the case of blind persons).
(²) At 1 January.
(³) At 31 March.

Source: National Assistance Board and National Assistance Board, Northern Ireland

Family allowances

TABLE 50

Years ended 31 March

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Families receiving allowances(¹) (Thousands):									
Total	3,310	3,344	3,382	3,472	3,504	3,562	3,591	3,659	3,712
With 2 children(²)	2.107	2,124	2,145	2,197	2,199	2,223	2,234	2,246	2,263
3 children(²)	777	783	791	812	826	842	850	879	895
4 children(²)	267	275	277	287	295	305	304	318	329
5 or more children(²)	159	162	169	176	184	192	203	216	225
Expenditure (£ thousand):									
Total	110,359	111,860	113,711	121,570	130,731	134,862	136,593	140,646	143,970
Allowances	108,097	109,578	111,259	118,687	127,748	131,721	133,291	137,120	140,169
Administration(³)	2,262	2,282	2,452	2,883	2,983	3,141	3,302	3,526	3,801

(¹) At 31 January.
(²) Including the elder or eldest child for whom no allowance is payable but excluding children over the age limit.
(³) Estimated.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance, Northern Ireland

War pensions, grants and allowances(¹)

Expenditure

TABLE 51

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Total	85,786	83,936	91,220	87,726	91 387	92.937	93,741	95,504	105,250	104,233	100,730
Pensions, gratuities and allowances:											
Total	78,309	76,420	83,902	82,686	86,391	88 075	88,674	90 445	100 115	98,859	95,500
Services:											
1914-18 war and earlier wars:											
Officers, nurses and dependants	3,419	3 293	3,365	3,336	3,250	3,459	3 353	3,437	3,610	3,543	3 446
Other ranks and dependants	30 386	29,451	32,551	31,709	33,100	33,154	33,170	34,357	38 057	37,760	36,028
1939-45 war and after:											
Officers, nurses and dependants	6,907	6,783	6,999	7,053	7 149	7,747	7,803	7,948	8,562	8,921	8.499
Other ranks and dependants	33.267	32,683	36,413	36,104	38 221	38,907	39 554	39.820	44,459	43 323	42.152
Mercantile marine:											
1914-18 war:											
Officers and dependants, seamen and their dependants and fishermen	222	210	226	226	213	229	212	213	224	227	214
1939-45 war and after:											
Officers and dependants	935	912	949	935	921	1,018	984	974	1,077	1,069	1,000
Seamen and dependants	971	936	1,012	989	1,005	1,017	1,014	1,020	1,124	1,043	1,276
Civilians:											
1939-45 war:											
Men, women and dependants	2,202	2.152	2,387	2,334	2,532	2,544	2,584	2,676	3,002	2,973	2,885
Medical treatment to pensioners(²)	3,419	3,349	3 077	322	381	347	354	346	323	359	416
Miscellaneous	265	188	165	18	15	15	13	13	12	15	14
Administration: local and central(³)	3,793	3,979	4,076	4,700	4 600	4.500	4.700	4,700	4,800	5,000	4,800

(¹) Figures include overseas payments.
(²) From 1953/54 this figure relates only to treatment overseas and in Northern Ireland and to refunds to war pensioners of national health service charges for prescriptions, etc. Medical treatment of pensioners in Great Britain now forms part of the national health service.
(³) Including from 1953/54 the cost of administration incurred by departments other than the Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

War pensions, grants and allowances

Estimated number of beneficiaries

TABLE 51 *(continued)*

At 31 March in each year

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	2,069,091	2,026,464	1,974,373	1,922,232	1,866,560	1,807,800	1,740,100	1,680,650	1,607,100	1,548,300	1,488,500
Services											
1914-18 war and earlier wars:											
Total	767,650	728,450	693,000	653,000	618,450	583,500	552,750	520,650	487,950	458,000	426,550
Officers and dependants:											
Disabled officers	16,650	16,100	15,600	15,000	14,500	14,000	13,500	13,000	12,400	11,850	11,050
Widows	6,300	6,150	6,000	5,850	5,650	5,500	5,400	5,200	5,050	4,850	4,600
Adult dependants	1,290	1,190	940	890	795	695	595	545	450	450	250
Other(1)	12,950	12,300	12,200	11,750	11,300	10,750	10,350	10,050	9,750	9,200	8,400
Nurses and dependants:											
Disabled nurses	700	650	650	600	600	550	550	500	500	450	450
Dependants	10	10	10	10	5	5	5	5	—	—	—
Other ranks and dependants:											
Disabled other ranks	297,100	286,750	276,250	265,200	254,550	243,050	232,450	220,400	209,000	197,750	185,900
Widows	93,950	91,850	89,350	86,700	83,900	80,750	78,000	75,050	71,900	68,800	65,350
Adult dependants	66,600	58,350	50,900	43,150	36,750	31,000	26,400	22,000	17,700	14,550	11,650
Other(1)	272,100	255,100	241,100	223,850	210,400	197,200	185,500	173,900	161,200	150,100	138,900
1939-45 war and after:											
Total	1,226,600	1,225,950	1,212,400	1,201,950	1,183,750	1,162,850	1,129,250	1,104,550	1,066,400	1,039,700	1,013,450
Officers and dependants:											
Disabled officers	24,300	24,500	23,950	23,950	23,600	23,300	22,800	22,400	22,050	21,900	21,650
Widows	11,100	10,900	10,450	10,250	10,200	10,050	10,000	9,950	9,900	9,850	9,500
Adult dependants	3,500	3,600	3,150	3,200	3,250	3,300	3,300	3,300	3,250	3,250	3,000
Other(1)	53,350	54,650	54,450	55,550	55,100	54,850	53,650	52,050	51,200	50,600	48,350
Other ranks and dependants:											
Disabled other ranks	341,100	338,050	332,350	327,300	322,000	316,600	307,800	301,500	292,400	287,000	281,650
Widows	56,650	54,700	52,850	50,500	49,450	48,200	47,450	46,900	46,550	46,400	46,400
Adult dependants	42,400	42,350	42,000	41,700	41,550	42,000	41,750	41,100	40,450	40,000	39,050
Other(1)	694,200	697,200	693,200	689,500	678,600	664,550	642,500	627,350	600,600	580,700	563,850
Mercantile marine											
1914-18 war:											
Officers and dependants, seamen and their dependants and fishermen	1,841	1,764	1,673	1,582	1,510	1,450	1,350	1,250	1,200	1,100	1,050
1939-45 war and after:											
Total	28,950	28,100	26,950	26,100	25,000	23,800	22,300	21,150	19,950	19,000	18,000
Officers:											
Disabled officers	1,500	1,450	1,400	1,400	1,350	1,300	1,250	1,150	1,100	1,100	1,050
Widows	3,450	3,400	3,350	3,350	3,300	3,250	3,200	3,150	3,100	3,050	3,000
Adult dependants	900	900	850	850	850	850	850	850	800	800	700
Other(1)	4,350	4,100	3,900	3,750	3,550	3,300	2,950	2,750	2,500	2,300	2,000
Seamen:											
Disabled seamen	2,950	2,900	2,750	2,600	2,500	2,400	2,250	2,200	2,100	2,000	1,950
Widows	4,000	3,950	3,900	3,950	3,900	3,750	3,700	3,600	3,550	3,450	3,350
Adult dependants	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,450	2,350	2,300	2,200	2,150
Other(1)	9,200	8,800	8,200	7,700	7,050	6,450	5,650	5,100	4,500	4,100	3,800
Civilians											
1939-45 war:											
Disabled civilians	16,850	16,450	16,000	15,650	15,150	14,700	14,150	13,650	13,200	12,850	12,500
Widows	9,500	9,250	9,050	8,850	8,650	8,400	8,200	8,000	7,750	7,600	7,350
Dependants	1,050	1,050	1,000	950	900	900	850	850	800	750	750
Other(1)	16,650	15,450	14,300	14,150	13,150	12,200	11,250	10,550	9,850	9,300	8,850

(1) Wives of disabled officers or men, children living with parents, and orphans.

Source: Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

TABLE 52

National health service

Gross expenditure and receipts

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(1)
Gross expenditure by the central government:									
Total	499·2	524·6	567·7	620·7	661·4	710·8	734·6	822·9	849·3
Hospital, specialist and ancillary services(2)	304·6	323·6	354·4	387·7	414·3	444·5	481·0	528·4	572·2
General medical services	59·9	61·0	63·7	67·8	72·6	76·5	76·7	103·5(3)	89·2
Pharmaceutical services	46·4	49·7	51·6	60·6	61·7	67·2	74·9	83·5	76·1
General dental services	24·5	26·9	32·8	36·0	39·0	42·4	46·9	49·8	53·5
Supplementary ophthalmic services	7·6	8·3	9·0	9·6	10·1	10·1	11·3	11·6	10·4
Compensation for loss of right to sell medical practices	3·1	2·8	2·7	2·5	2·5	3·9	3·3	3·1	3·2
Grants to local health authorities(4)	22·5	23·6	24·2	26·3	29·4	31·6	3·2	2·0	0·1
Central purchase of medical supplies, stores and equipment(5)	7·2	6·5	6·8	6·7	7·5	8·9	9·5	9·8	10·4
Superannuation	7·3	8·6	9·4	10·4	11·3	12·6	13·8	16·1	17·8
Civil defence	5·1	2·0	1·1	0·9	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·9
Miscellaneous	10·9	11·6	12·0	12·1	12·3	12·5	13·6	14·5	15·4
Receipts by the central government:									
Total	75·1	75·2	77·3	80·2	105·9	148·0	160·0	174·7	209·7
Contributions from the National Insurance Funds:									
Grant from the National Insurance Funds	41·3	41·2	41·3	41·7	18·5	—	—	—	—
Contributions under the National Health Service Contributions Act, 1957	—	—	—	—	46·2	104·8	112·6	115·9	149·6
Hospital, specialist and ancillary services	4·4	4·5	4·6	4·9	5·2	5·5	6·0	6·5	7·0
Miscellaneous(2)(6)	29·5	29·5	31·4	33·5	36·0	37·7	41·4	52·4	53·1
Expenditure by persons:									
Total	24·4	25·0	26·7	28·6	32·7	33·0	35·0	36·7	50·9
Hospital, specialist and ancillary services	4·3	4·5	4·6	4·8	5·1	5·4	6·1	6·5	7·0
Pharmaceutical services	7·6	7·3	8·0	9·0	12·5	12·3	13·0	13·6	24·3
General dental services	7·3	7·7	8·2	8·8	9·2	9·5	10·0	10·5	12·0
Supplementary ophthalmic services	5·2	5·5	5·8	5·9	5·9	5·7	6·0	6·2	7·6

(1) Estimated.

(2) Figures are given after deduction of direct credits relating to recoveries from staff for board and lodging, payments by local authorities under user agreements and, for England and Wales, receipts from canteens and farms.

(3) The figure for 1960/61 includes arrears of an award to medical practitioners of increased remuneration for the period from 1 March 1957 to 31 December 1959.

(4) From 1 April 1959, this grant was absorbed into the new general grant under the Local Government Act, 1958, though balances of grant due for earlier years remain charged to the National Health Service Vote.

(5) Provision for purchases of medical supplies, etc., on behalf of other Government departments and for consequential recoveries was, after 1953/54, transferred on the administrative vote of the Ministry of Health. From 1954/55 the figures for Scotland include purchases of invalid tricycles, artificial limbs and X-ray and electro-medical equipment, previously included in Hospital, specialist and ancillary services expenditure.

(6) Mainly contributions and transfer values in respect of superannuation, recoveries for medical supplies, etc. (see (5) above), and receipts from the Hospital Endowments Fund.

Source: Ministry of Health, Scottish Home and Health Department and Ministry of Health and Local Government, Northern Ireland

Hospital and Executive Council services

TABLE 53

England and Wales

	Unit	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Hospital services									
In-patients:									
Staffed beds(1)	Thousand	482	482	483	483	483	482	479	478
Average daily occupation of beds:									
All departments	,,	428	426	424	420	418	413	410	404
Mental illness and mental deficiency	,,	204	205	205	204	202	200	198	196
Persons on waiting lists(1)	,,	474	455	431	440	443	476	466	474
Discharges or deaths	,,	3,630	3,652	3,739	3,794	3,889	4,000	4,136	4,269
Out-patients(2):									
New cases	,,	11,366	11,636	11,838	12,016	12,102	12,712	12,768	13,346
Total attendances	,,	39,115	39,584	39,811	39,781	39,814	41,238	41,748	42,398
Medical and dental staff(3)(4)	Number	11,152	11,433	11,756	11,994	12,060	12.300	12,645	12,888
Professional and technical staff(1)(3)	,,	15,513	16,375	16,819	17,111	17,504	17,896	18,570	18,907
Nursing and midwifery staff(5):									
Whole-time	,,	144,680	143,347	145,802	147,676	152,509	160,520	162,061	162,857
Part-time	,,	30,542	32,873	35,568	38,150	41,176	41,786	44,243	49,846
Administrative and clerical staff(6)(7)	,,	28,936	29,496	30,583	31,763	32,353	32,771	33,778	36,083
Mass radiography staff(7)	,,	708	700	719	736	740	729	747	747
Blood transfusion staff(7)	,,	1,573	1,644	1,676	1,750	1,784	1,802	1,884	2,026
Maintenance, transport and domestic(1):									
Whole-time	,,	133,271	135,694	138,072	141,161	147,302	147,614	148,492	153,488
Part-time	,,	41,730	44,692	46,992	48,222	48,025	47,843	50,351	51,439
Cost of services (gross)(8)	£ million	274·1	297·9	326·5	351·1	378·4	406·6	445·1	483·8
Payments by patients(8)	,,	3·8	3·9	4·1	4·4	4·7	5·1	5·6	6·1
Payments out of public funds(8)	,,	270·3	294·0	322·4	346·7	373·7	401·5	439·5	477·7
Executive Council services									
Medical services									
Doctors on the list(9)	Number	18,513	18,817	19,180	19,437	19,685	19,745	19,928	20,188
Number of patients per doctor	,,	2,293	2,283	2,272	2,273	2,267	2,282	2,287	2,292
Payments to doctors	£ million	51·4	53·6	57·1	60·6	64·3	65·1	77·6(10)	80·8(11)
Pharmaceutical services									
Prescriptions dispensed	Million	218·7	226·1	228·9	207·2	203·4	214·0	218·7	205·0
Payments to pharmacists(12)	£ million	46·0	50·3(13)	56·8(13)	60·9	65·5	72·9	79·2	83·1
Payments by patients(14)	,,	6·5	6·8	7·3	10·7	10·6	11·1	11·4	18·6
Payments out of public funds	,,	39·5	43·5(13)	49·5(13)	50·2	54·9	61·8	67·8	64·5
Average gross cost per prescription	Pence	50·4	53·4(13)	59·6(13)	70·5	77·2	81·8	86·9	97·3
Dental services									
Dentists on the list(1)	Number	9,276	9,359	9,448	9,646	9,718	9,833	9,853	10,026
Courses of treatment completed and emergency cases	Thousand	9,337	9,924	10,740	11,297	12,079	12,874	13,537	14,202
Payments to dentists	£ million	29·0	33·3	37·1	40·7	43·9	47·5	50·6	54·7
Payments by patients	,,	6·8	7·2	7·6	8·2	8·5	8·7	9·2	10·0
Payments out of public funds	,,	22·2	26·1	29·5	32·5	35·4	38·8	41·4	44·7
Average gross cost per course	£	3·2	3·4	3·5	3·6	3·6	3·8	3·8	3·9
Supplementary ophthalmic services									
Number of sight tests given	Thousand	4,441	4,770	4,927	5,077	5,036	5,306	5,606(15)	5,549(15)
Number of pairs of glasses paid for	,,	3,995(16)	4,208	4,432	4,539	4,477	4,585	4,794	4,776
Cost of services (gross)	£ million	12·1	13·0	13·5	14·2	14·0	15·0	15·6	15·6
Payments by patients	,,	4·8	5·1	5·2	5·3	5·1	5·2	5·4	6·1
Payments out of public funds:									
For sight testing	,,	3·4	3·6	3·7	3·8	3·8	4·5	4·8	4·8
For dispensing	,,	3·9	4·3	4·6	5·1	5·1	5·3	5·4	4·7

Source: Ministry of Health

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(1) At 31 December.
(2) At consultant and general practitioner clinics and casualty departments.
(3) Excluding officers holding part-time or honorary appointments.
(4) At 31 December except figures for senior medical and dental staff, which relate to 1 July from 1958.
(5) At 30 September from 1956; other years at 31 December.
(6) Includes headquarters staffs of regional hospital boards.
(7) At 30 June from 1959; other years at 31 December.
(8) Estimated from financial year figures.
(9) Principals providing unrestricted services. At 1 October from 1961. Other years at 1 July.
(10) Including arrears of an award of increased remuneration for the period from 1 March 1957 to 31 December 1959.
(11) Including arrears of an award of increased remuneration for the period April to December 1960.
(12) After 1954 these figures represent the gross cost of prescriptions dispensed.
(13) Including arrears of fees paid in 1957.
(14) These are not the actual charges made to patients but amounts calculated and deducted from payments to pharmacists.
(15) From quarter ended 30 June 1960, figures included are of sight tests paid for.
(16) Pairs of glasses supplied.

Hospital and Executive Council services

TABLE 54

Scotland

	Unit	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Hospital services									
In-patients:									
Beds available(¹)	Thousand	62·4	63·0	63·5	64·0	63·7	63·9	63·6	63·6
Average daily occupation of beds:									
All departments	,,	55·4	55·4	54·3	53·7	53·4	52·8	53·0	52·5
Mental and mentally deficient	,,	25·4	25·5	25·5	25·7	25·7	25·5	25·4	25·2
Discharges or deaths	,,	489	494	516	528	537	558	571	583
Out-patients(²):									
New cases	,,	2,022	2,131	2,191	2,536	2,558	2,337	2,238	2,270
Total attendances	,,	6,989	7,120	7,245	7,558	7,585	7,385	7,279	7,315
Medical and dental staff(³)(⁴):									
Whole-time	Number	1,919	2,017	2,074	2,133	2,155	2,193	2,248	2,370
Part-time	,,	1,146	1,151	1,139	1,149	1,142	1,172	1,226	1,227
Professional and technical staff(³):									
Whole-time	,,	2,320	2,505	2,596	2,670	2,777	2,879	3,069	3,280
Nursing and midwifery staff(³):									
Whole-time	,,	20,279	20,783	21,036	21,586	21,968	22,971	23,680	23,690
Part-time	,,	3,849	4,309	4,700	5,050	5,198	5,209	5,762	6,552
Administrative and clerical staff(³)									
Whole-time	,,	3,050	3,101	3,166	3,283	3,330	3,454	3,617	3,746
Part-time	,,	82	112	118	134	134	130	131	196
Domestic, transport, etc. staff(³):									
Whole-time	,,	18,575	18,228	18,372	18,348	18,698	18,399	18,392	18,885
Part-time	,,	4,743	5,008	5,351	5,765	5,755	5,710	6,385	6,476
Cost of services (gross)(⁵)	£ million	36·6	40·1	43·6	45·6	48·1	53·1	57·1	63·0
Payments by patients(⁵)	,,	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·6
Payments out of public funds(⁵)	,,	36·1	39·6	43·1	45·1	47·6	52·5	56·5	62·4
Executive Council services									
Medical services									
Doctors on the list(¹):									
Principals	Number	2,505	2,532	2,555	2,576	2,601	2,616	2,632	2,652
Assistants	,,	251	250	245	224	219	230	178	175
Average number of patients per principal doctor	,,	1,974	1,974	1,981	1,981	1,986	1,986	1,981	1,978
Payments to doctors	£ million	6·7	7·0	7·4	7·8	8·2	8·3	9·9(⁶)	10·3
Pharmaceutical services									
Prescriptions dispensed	Million	20·9	21·2	21·5	20·9	20·4	22·0	22·0	21·0
Payments to pharmacists (gross)	£ million	5·7	5·8	6·2	7·1	7·6	8·6	8·7	9·4
Payments by patients	,,	0·7	0·8	0·8	1·1	1·1	1·2	1·2	1·8
Payments out of public funds	,,	5·0	5·0	5·4	6·0	6·5	7·4	7·5	7·6
Average gross cost per prescription(⁷)	Pence	65·0	64·2	69·7	81·5	89·2	91·8	95·4	106·2
Average net cost per presciption	,,	56·4	55·4	60·5	68·7	76·4	79·1	82·6	83·9
Dental services									
Dentists on list	Number	1,163	1,152	1,142	1,120	1,091	1,075	1,064	1,048
Number of courses of treatment completed	Thousand	1,125	1,201	1,269	1,284	1,339	1,376	1,423	1,459
Payments to dentists (gross)	£ million	3·3	3·8	4·2	4·5	4·7	5·1	5·3	5·6
Payments by patients	,,	0·7	0·8	0·8	0·9	0·9	0·9	0·9	1·0
Payments out of public funds	,,	2·6	3·0	3·4	3·6	3·8	4·2	4·4	4·6
Average gross cost per course	£	2·8	3·1	3·2	3·3	3·4	3·6	3·6	3·6
Supplementary ophthalmic services									
Number of sight tests given	Thousand	407	442	477	485	477	497	513	519
Number of pairs of glasses supplied	,,	393	420	467	485	482	491	511	510
Cost of services (gross)	£ million	1·2	1·3	1·4	1·5	1·5	1·5	1·6	1·6
Payments by patients	,,	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·5	0·6	0·6
Payments out of public funds:									
For sight testing	,,	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·9	1·0	1·0	1·0
For dispensing	,,	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·6				

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

(¹) At 31 December.
(²) At out-patient, casualty and ancillary departments.
(³) At end September.
(⁴) Figures include all consultants, senior medical and dental officers and hospital registrars.
(⁵) Estimated from financial year figures.
(⁶) Including arrears of an award of increased remuneration for the period from 1 March 1957 to 31 December 1959.
(⁷) Estimated from actual cost of prescriptions dispensed. The series is not necessarily in phase with the payments made to pharmacists during each year.

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE

Hospital and general health services

TABLE 55

Northern Ireland

	Unit	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Hospital services									
In-patients:									
Beds available(1)	Number	15,442	15,895	15,965	16,515	16,633	16,790	16,592	16,988
Average daily occupation of beds...	Per cent.	91·2	92·1	91·4	90·0	89·8	83·9	88·2	88·8
Discharges or deaths	Thousand	121	128	130	134	142	146	145	155
Out-patients(2):									
New cases	,,	348	386	309	309	314	344	341	339
Total attendances	,,	1,171	1,193	1,203	1,208	1,236	1,327	968	1,025
Medical and dental staff(1):									
Whole-time	Number	413	456	486	518	514	528	560	584
Part-time	,,	198	210	202	223	231	238	237	283
Professional and technical staff(1) (3)...	,,	498	524	526	602	598	673	692	776
Nursing and midwifery staff(1):									
Whole-time	,,	5,085	5,204	5,772	5,831	5,780	6,058	6,193	6,392
Part-time	,,	50	51	41	38	139	173	225	234
Administrative and clerical staff(1) ...	,,	809	824	844	858	960	987	1,055	1,079
Mass radiography(1)	,,	32	32	30	32	33	27	31	29
Blood transfusion staff(1)	,,	51	53	53	59	55	57	73	67
Maintenance, transport and domestic(1):									
Whole-time	,,	3,928	3,955	4,019	4,039	5,077	5,109	4,749	5,898
Part-time	,,	141	161	148	171	342	344	463	539
Cost of services (gross)	£ thousand	8,860	9,649	10,576	11,882	12,851	14,084	14,615	15,414
Payments by patients	,,	259	221	192	188	195	216	218	255
Payments out of public funds	,,	8,601	9,427	10,384	11,694	12,656	13,868	14,397	15,159
General health services									
Medical services									
Doctors (principals) on the list(4)	Number	726	733	734	738	740	741	746	753
Number of patients per doctor ...	,,	1,845	1,853	1,869	1,892	1,903	1,913	1,914	1,914
Payments to doctors	£ thousand	1,683	1,702	1,878	1,997	2,074	2,099	2,487(5)	2,445
Pharmaceutical services									
Prescription forms dispensed	Thousand	4,088	4,453	4,577	4,639	4,671	4,993	4,916	5,051
Payments to pharmacists	£ thousand	1,721	1,954	2,171	2,306	2,548	2,915	3,060	3,374
Payments by patients	,,	211	232	241	351	353	378	375	617
Payments out of public funds	,,	1,510	1,722	1,930	1,955	2,195	2,537	2,685	2,756
Average gross cost per prescription	Pence	61·4	64·1	69·1	81·1	88·7	95·4	101·5	111·9
Dental services									
Dentists on the list(1)	Number	284	284	287	287	284	288	296	299
Number of courses of treatment completed	Thousand	253	278	301	318	341	361	386	399
Payments to dentists	£ thousand	728	845	945	1,033	1,129	1,276	1,399	1,492
Payments by patients	,,	139	147	161	174	182	197	211	226
Payments out of public funds	,,	589	698	784	859	947	1,079	1,188	1,266
Average gross cost per course	£	2·9	3·0	3·0	3·0	3·0	3·5	3·6	3·7
Supplementary ophthalmic services									
Number of sight tests given	Thousand	112	127	127	132	134	140	145	148
Number of pairs of glasses supplied	,,	91	96	122	126	127	134	138	141
Cost of services (gross)	£ thousand	337	294	342	350	347	378	393	391
Payments by patients	,,	119	91	101	100	98	105	109	126
Payments out of public funds	,,	218	203	241	250	249	273	284	265

(1) At 31 December.
(2) At out-patient, casualty and ancillary departments.
(3) Figures for medical, dental, professional and technical officers holding part-time appointments are not included.
(4) At 1 October.
(5) Including arrears of an award of increased remuneration for the period from 1 March 1957 to 31 December 1959.

Source: Ministry of Health and Local Government

Notifications of infectious diseases

TABLE 56

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
United Kingdom											
Diphtheria	849	482	317	192	166	59	40	81	111	53	51
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	1,506	1,310	552	795	1,289	703	516	480	664	403	469
Erysipelas	6,999	7,050	6,986	6,307	5,419	5,164	4,062	3,781	3,648	3,342	2,564
Scarlet fever	58,936	79,419	72,505	51,234	38,850	38,452	34,048	43,809	53,430	36,326	22,640
Whooping cough	194,968	127,444	177,276	120,196	88,061	106,312	94,206	38,260	39,740	66,628	27,305
Smallpox	27	135	30	—	—	—	4	6	1	1	1
Dysentery	34,172	18,199	24,271	42,708	49,734	57,919	37,979	45,961	44,829	52,011	27,494
Ophthalmia neonatorum	2,283	2,279	2,119	2,017	2,105	1,819	1,768	1,570	1,469	1,243	1,076
Pneumonia(¹)	53,397	43,209	46,461	34,217	36,926	34,943	45,399	31,548	36,971	21,819	25,930
Puerperal fever and pyrexia	8,040	12,997(²)	13,363	12,849	12,597	12,073	12,357	11,336	11,228	9,387	8,846
Tuberculosis: Total	60,683	58,600	57,041	52,216	47,071	43,443	42,411	36,869	32,395	28,381	26,161
Respiratory	52,204	50,795	49,858	45,481	41,293	38,356	37,734	32,523	28,834	24,837	22,761
Other	8,479	7,805	7,183	6,735	5,778	5,087	4,677	4,346	3,561	3,544	3,400
Acute poliomyelitis(³)	3,010	4,269	5,205	2,435	6,988	3,527	5,314	2,495	1,094	395	993
England and Wales(⁴)											
Diphtheria	664	376	266	173	155	53	37	80	102	49	51
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	1,301	1,174	454	670	1,069	576	435	347	502	331	344
Erysipelas	5,936	5,999	5,999	5,375	4,614	4,382	3,589	3,293	3,203	2,956	2,237
Scarlet fever	48,744	67,261	61,180	43,026	32,619	33,103	29,547	38,853	47,919	32,170	19,984
Whooping cough	169,441	114,869	157,842	105,912	79,133	92,410	85,018	33,404	33,253	58,030	24,469
Smallpox	27	135	30	—	—	—	4	6	1	1	1
Dysentery	28,590	14,535	18,426	31,858	36,718	49,009	28,910	38,107	35,626	43,285	20,412
Ophthalmia neonatorum	1,762	1,788	1,772	1,684	1,771	1,515	1,483	1,304	1,179	1,063	932
Pneumonia(¹)	43,259	31,736	37,214	26,562	27,930	25,460	32,732	22,323	26,816	14,563	18,452
Puerperal fever and pyrexia	7,418	12,351(²)	12,718	12,239	12,109	11,682	11,834	10,815	10,699	8,896	8,337
Tuberculosis(⁵): Total	49,440	48,093	46,546	42,348	38,134	35,504	32,669	29,838	27,100	23,605	21,747
Respiratory	42,696	41,904	40,917	36,973	33,580	31,342	28,870	26,391	24,280	20,799	19,051
Other	6,744	6,189	5,629	5,375	4,554	4,162	3,799	3,447	2,820	2,806	2,696
Acute poliomyelitis(³)	2,614	3,910	4,547	1,960	6,331	3,200	4,844	1,994	1,028	378	947
Scotland											
Diphtheria	168	102	48	17	7	6	1	1	2	—	—
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	136	93	78	104	150	110	66	124	111	65	109
Erysipelas	948	942	864	841	694	699	423	434	396	356	284
Scarlet fever	8,879	11,133	9,477	6,618	4,309	4,048	3,232	3,910	4,235	3,066	1,717
Whooping cough	22,928	8,925	17,093	12,723	5,635	11,415	8,884	3,091	4,767	7,869	2,432
Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dysentery	5,302	3,368	5,629	10,538	12,264	8,445	8,570	7,232	8,649	8,048	6,498
Ophthalmia neonatorum	512	485	336	324	327	301	284	264	289	180	144
Pneumonia(¹)	9,319	11,120	8,563	7,367	8,352	9,105	12,091	8,795	9,687	7,028	7,110
Puerperal fever and pyrexia	553	578	582	554	421	344	461	478	493	447	482
Tuberculosis(⁵): Total	9,200	8,688	8,844	8,204	7,562	6,650	8,587	5,889	4,314	3,862	3,593
Respiratory	7,776	7,374	7,516	7,094	6,541	5,915	7,891	5,189	3,733	3,310	3,036
Other	1,424	1,314	1,328	1,110	1,021	735	696	700	581	552	557
Acute poliomyelitis(³)	316	217	368	421	605	278	173	446	47	5	30
Northern Ireland											
Diphtheria	17	4	3	2	4	—	2	—	7	4	—
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	69	43	20	21	70	17	15	9	51	7	16
Erysipelas	115	109	123	91	111	83	50	54	49	30	43
Scarlet fever	1,313	1,025	1,848	1,590	1,922	1,301	1,269	1,046	1,276	1,090	939
Whooping cough(⁶)	2,599	3,650	2,341	1,561	3,293	2,487	304	1,765	1,720	369	404
Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dysentery	280	296	216	312	752	465	499	622	554	678	584
Ophthalmia neonatorum	9	6	11	9	7	3	1	2	1	—	—
Pneumonia(¹)	819	353	684	288	644	378	576	430	468	228	368
Puerperal fever and pyrexia	69	68	63	56	67	47	62	43	36	44	27
Tuberculosis: Total	2,043	1,819	1,651	1,664	1,375	1,289	1,155	1,142	981	914	821
Respiratory	1,732	1,517	1,425	1,414	1,172	1,099	973	943	821	728	674
Other	311	302	226	250	203	190	182	199	160	186	147
Acute poliomyelitis(³)	80	142	290	54	52	49	297	55	19	12	16

(¹) Acute primary and acute influenzal.
(²) New regulations introduced in England and Wales in 1951 changed the definition of this disease for notification purposes.
(³) Including acute polioencephalitis.
(⁴) The figures show the corrected number of notifications, incorporating revisions of diagnosis, either by the notifying medical practitioner or by the medical superintendent of the infectious diseases hospital.
(⁵) Formal notifications of new cases only.
(⁶) Only the first case in a household is required to be notified, unless a period of three months intervenes.

Source: Registrars General for England and Wales and Northern Ireland, Ministry of Health and Scottish Home and Health Department

Industrial diseases in Great Britain

TABLE 57

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Cases reported											
Total	725	740	667	728	840	734	755	697	738	791	722
Lead poisoning	64	48	52	49	67	49	55	55	64	55	71
Other poisoning	17	28	28	23	23	36	38	26	28	24	18
Anthrax	31	20	29	18	15	19	14	6	6	6	9
Epitheliomatous ulceration	178	157	154	173	211	199	197	176	226	173	167
Chrome ulceration	203	217	164	220	261	189	213	205	192	298	211
Compressed air illness	4	3	7	8	8	6	6	11	16	13	26
Gassing	228	267	233	237	255	236	232	218	206	222	220
Deaths reported											
Total	21	21	26	37	32	46	37	29	24	30	19
Lead poisoning	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Other poisoning	1	1	—	2	2	1	—	1	—	2	—
Anthrax	1	1	1	1	—	3	1	—	1	—	—
Epitheliomatous ulceration	1	2	2	12	18	23	14	16	9	6	5
Compressed air illness	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—
Gassing(1)	17	17	23	21	11	18	22	12	14	20	14

(1) These casualties are also included in Table 58.

Source: Ministry of Labour

Employees killed in industrial accidents in Great Britain

TABLE 58

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total employees killed (1)	1,762	1,618	1,630	1,522	1,574	1,364	1,490	1,389	1,298	1,281	1,293
Industries covered by Factories Acts											
Total (1)	828	792	744	708	703	687	651	665	598	675	669
Total in factories	511	471	454	454	428	426	414	368	350	354	368
Total in other places under Factories Acts	317	321	290	254	275	261	237	297	248	321	301
Docks, etc.	61	54	46	32	48	32	46	30	26	38	32
Warehouses, etc.	37	6	5	8	4	5	4	9	5	6	5
Building operations	213	207	187	172	184	186	156	207	169	217	174
Works of engineering construction(2)	6	54	52	42	39	38	31	51	48	60	90
Industries covered by other Acts											
Total (1)	934	826	886	814	871	677	839	724	700	606	624
Explosives Act	3	—	—	5	4	7	7	2	—	—	—
Mines producing coal	487	420	392	371	425	328	396	327	348	317	235
Mines of stratified ironstone, oil shale or fireclay						2	6	9	3	1	6
Metalliferous Mines Regulations Acts	7	9	9	6	7	6	9	11	4	2	4
Quarries Acts(3)	62	53	45	52	43	42	31	41	30	38	39
Railways	172	201	203	164	179	171	176	130	161	145	167
Shipping(4)	194	131	221	193	201	108	173	170	133	97	154
Commercial aviation(5)	9	12	16	23	12	13	41	34	21	6	19

(1) A very small number of fatal accidents may be included more than once, as the individual figures under the headings of the various Acts are not necessarily completely mutually exclusive.

(2) From mid-May 1960, the coverage of this definition was extended slightly.

(3) Including accidents on opencast coal sites.

(4) Deaths in vessels registered in the United Kingdom.

(5) Employees of United Kingdom corporations and other United Kingdom air transport operators killed in Great Britain or overseas.

Source: Ministry of Labour, Home Office, Ministry of Power, Ministry of Transport and Ministry of Aviation

Permanent houses completed(1)

TABLE **59**

Number

	United Kingdom				England and Wales			
	Total	For local housing authorities (2)	For private owners	Other (3)	Total	For local housing authorities (2)	For private owners	Other (3)
1945 (4)	3,095	1,936	1,099	60	1,445	508	937	—
1946	55,979	25,245	30,566	168	51,090	21,202	29,720	168
1947	140,885	98,028	41,487	1,370	127,541	86,567	39,626	1,348
1948	232,463	193,548	34,390	4,525	206,405	170,821	31,210	4,374
1949	205,257	170,806	28,457	5,994	171,780	141,766	24,688	5,326
1950	205,427	167,917	30,240	7,270	172,360	139,356	26,576	6,428
1951	201,856	166,483	25,485	9,888	171,903	141,587	21,406	8,910
1952	248,319	199,177	36,670	12,472	208,975	165,637	32,078	11,260
1953	326,804	244,916	64,867	17,021	279,231	202,891	60,528	15,812
1954	354,129	239,318	92,423	22,388	308,952	199,642	88,028	21,282
1955	324,423	196,024	116,093	12,306	283,326	162,525	109,934	10,867
1956	307,674	170,710	126,431	10,533	268,724	139,977	119,585	9,162
1957	307,590	169,629	128,784	9,177	268,653	137,584	122,942	8,127
1958	278,633	143,283	130,220	5,130	241,525	113,146	124,087	4,292
1959	281,568	124,545	153,166	3,857	249,381	99,456	146,476	3,449
1960	304,255	128,216	171,405	4,634	269,226	103,235	162,100	3,891
1961	303,161	116,118	180,727	6,316	268,832	92,880	170,366	5,586

	Scotland				Northern Ireland			
	Total	For local housing authorities (2)	For private owners	Other (3)	Total	For local housing authorities (2)	For private owners	Other (3)
1945	1,569	1,428	141	—	81	—	21	60
1946	4,310	3,811	499	—	579	232	347	—
1947	12,149	10,773	1,354	22	1,195	688	507	—
1948	21,211	19,547	1,541	123	4,847	3,180	1,639	28
1949	25,847	24,180	1,102	565	7,630	4,860	2,667	103
1950	25,811	24,314	782	715	7,256	4,247	2,882	127
1951	22,928	20,997	1,145	786	7,025	3,899	2,934	192
1952	30,947	27,623	2,242	1,082	8,397	5,917	2,350	130
1953	39,548	35,992	2,393	1,163	8,025	6,033	1,946	46
1954	38,853	35,331	2,608	914	6,324	4,345	1,787	192
1955	34,069	29,278	3,523	1,268	7,028	4,221	2,636	171
1956	31,901	26,290	4,576	1,035	7,049	4,443	2,270	336
1957	32,437	28,326	3,513	598	6,500	3,719	2,329	452
1958	32,170	27,373	4,061	736	4,938	2,764	2,072	102
1959	27,293	22,709	4,232	352	4,894	2,380	2,458	56
1960	28,592	21,503	6,529	560	6,437	3,478	2,776	183
1961	27,230	19,541	7,147	542	7,099	3,697	3,214	188

(1) Including flats, each flat being counted as one unit.
(2) Including New Towns Development Corporations, the Scottish Special Housing Association and the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.
(3) Houses provided for the families of police, prison staffs, the armed forces and certain other services. From April 1945 the figures include housing associations other than the Scottish Special Housing Association and the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.
(4) April to December for England and Wales.

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Scottish Development Department and Ministry of Health and Local Government, Northern Ireland

New permanent dwellings completed for local authorities (¹)

England and Wales
Analysis by bedroom types

TABLE 60

Number of dwellings

	Apr. 1945 to Dec. 1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All dwellings										
Total	858,882	202,835	199,604	162,508	139,965	137,584	113,146	99,456	103,235	92,880
One bedroom	50,901	16,678	16,666	15,959	14,864	18,287	20,132	21,840	27,057	24,257
Two bedrooms	183,430	75,236	71,023	57,965	48,523	49,361	40,863	34,339	35,463	29,690
Three bedrooms	597,903	106,674	108,345	85,648	73,876	67,017	49,681	41,347	39,050	37,018
Four or more bedrooms	26,648	4,247	3,570	2,936	2,702	2,919	2,470	1,930	1,665	1,915
Houses										
Total	739,436	157,188	154,383	121,096	102,567	95,167	72,967	59,091	59,485	53,659
One bedroom	16,467	5,105	5,090	5,161	4,606	5,557	6,121	6,832	8,941	7,885
Two bedrooms	123,943	48,128	45,369	34,880	28,614	27,725	21,217	16,133	16,708	13,589
Three bedrooms	575,645	100,365	100,975	78,532	67,016	59,319	43,415	34,445	32,323	30,755
Four or more bedrooms	23,381	3,590	2,949	2,523	2,331	2,566	2,214	1,681	1,513	1,430
Flats										
Total	119,446	45,647	45,221	41,412	37,398	42,417	40,179	40,365	43,750	39,221
One bedroom	34,434	11,573	11,576	10,798	10,258	12,730	14,011	15,008	18,116	16,372
Two bedrooms	59,487	27,108	25,654	23,085	19,909	21,636	19,646	18,206	18,755	16,101
Three bedrooms	22,258	6,309	7,370	7,116	6,860	7,698	6,266	6,902	6,727	6,263
Four or more bedrooms	3,267	657	621	413	371	353	256	249	152	485

(¹) Including New Towns Development Corporations. War-destroyed dwellings rebuilt are excluded.

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government

Composition of private households in 1951(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE 61

Thousands

	Total number of private households	Households analysed by size: number of persons constituting household									
		One person	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven	Eight	Nine	Ten or more persons
Total number of households	14,481·5	1,556·1	3,998·5	3,592·8	2,760·5	1,393·5	645·2	288·5	129·3	61·4	55·7
Analysed by marital condition of head:											
Married	10,973·6	192·2	2,971·4	3,057·8	2,455·4	1,236·6	579·4	257·1	117·3	55·5	50·9
Single, widowed or divorced:											
Men	917·6	317·7	265·8	151·8	95·2	51·1	20·6	7·9	3·8	2·6	1·1
Women	2,590·3	1,046·2	761·3	383·2	209·9	105·8	45·2	23·5	8·2	3·3	3·7
Analysed by number of children under 16 years of age:											
None	8,228·1	1,555·2	3,873·6	1,774·6	744·5	206·3	53·9	15·0	3·2	1·2	0·6
One child	3,079·9	0·9	123·9	1,749·6	687·9	343·8	122·6	36·6	11·6	2·2	0·8
Two children	1,997·8	—	1·0	68·3	1,299·1	364·3	167·9	65·3	22·4	6·3	3·2
Three or four children	1,010·0	—	—	0·3	29·0	479·1	296·1	115·0	52·9	23·8	13·8
Five or more	165·7	—	—	—	—	—	4·7	56·6	39·2	27·9	37·3
Analysed by number of earners:											
None	2,032·0	924·4	828·2	171·2	64·6	23·9	12·0	3·8	2·7	0·5	0·7
One earner	6,784·5	631·7	2,174·2	1,835·2	1,324·7	538·3	183·3	62·5	20·8	8·4	5·4
Two earners	3,807·7	—	996·1	1,326·7	796·9	408·4	177·7	63·6	22·3	9·6	6·4
Three or more	1,857·3	—	—	259·7	574·3	422·9	272·2	158·6	83·5	42·9	43·2

(¹) The figures are derived from the *Census* 1951, *Great Britain, One per cent. Sample Tables, Part* II. A "private household" means a single person living alone or a group of individuals voluntarily living together under a single menage. For further definition of the term, reference should be made to the *Census* 1951, *Great Britain, One per cent. Sample Tables, Part* I.

Source: Registrars General

Dwellings occupied by private households in 1951(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE 62

Thousands

	Number of private households	Dwellings occupied	Dwellings occupied by One household	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven or more households
England and Wales									
Total	13,117·9	12,079·7	11,281·0	655·5	97·8	25·2	9·2	4·5	6·4
Number of rooms in dwellings:									
1	94·7	94·6	94·6	0·1	—	—	—	—	—
2	458·3	456·6	454·9	1·6	—	—	—	—	—
3	1,356·1	1,346·0	1,336·5	8·9	0·6	—	—	—	—
4	3,480·9	3,399·4	3,321·5	74·9	2·6	0·5	—	—	—
5	4,471·5	4,270·0	4,079·0	182·2	7·4	1·0	0·4	—	—
6	1,815·6	1,548·3	1,307·8	219·1	17·8	2·4	0·8	0·4	—
7	625·6	486·9	378·5	86·3	17·0	3·1	1·1	0·6	0·3
8	369·8	245·7	165·2	50·6	21·6	5·3	1·5	0·8	0·7
9	188·1	110·4	69·3	17·5	16·4	4·1	1·4	0·7	0·8
10	98·9	54·3	34·0	7·5	7·0	3·1	1·2	0·6	0·9
11	52·2	25·2	14·5	3·1	3·6	2·1	0·8	0·4	0·7
12	36·5	17·0	10·1	1·7	2·1	1·6	0·6	0·3	0·6
13	19·0	7·4	4·0	0·7	0·8	0·8	0·4	0·2	0·5
14	14·2	5·8	3·6	0·4	0·5	0·5	0·3	0·1	0·4
15 or more	36·6	12·1	7·6	0·8	0·6	0·7	0·7	0·4	1·4
Scotland									
Total	..	1,375·1	1,319·9	49·9	3·8	1·5			
Number of rooms in dwellings:									
1	..	71·8	71·8	—	—	—			
2	..	361·4	354·5	6·9	—	—			
3	..	429·3	413·8	14·9	0·5	—			
4	..	295·3	279·3	14·7	1·1	0·1			
5	..	105·5	98·6	6·0	0·7	0·2			
6	..	46·1	42·5	2·9	0·5	0·2			
7	..	26·9	24·7	1·6	0·3	0·2			
8	..	17·6	16·1	1·2	0·2	0·2			
9	..	9·1	8·2	0·6	0·1	0·2			
10 or more	..	12·2	10·4	1·1	0·3	0·4			

(¹) A "dwelling" means a structurally separate dwelling and generally comprises any room or suite of rooms intended or used for habitation, having separate access to the street or to a common landing or staircase to which the public has access. A "private household" means a single person living alone or a group of individuals voluntarily living under a single menage.

Source: Registrars General

Number of houses occupied and unoccupied at each census from 1851(¹)

TABLE 63

Thousands

	1851	1861	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921	1931	1937	1951
England and Wales											
Total	3,432	3,924	4,520	5,218	5,824	6,710	7,550	7,979	9,400	..	12,389
Occupied	3,278	3,740	4,259	4,832	5,451	6,261	7,142	7,760	9,123	..	12,080(³)
Unoccupied	153	185	261	387	372	449	409	219	276	..	310
Scotland											
Total	..	..	..	799	869	986	1,102	1,109	1,197	..	1,442
Occupied	..	..	..	739	818	927	1,013	1,058	1,149	..	1,389
Unoccupied	..	..	..	60	51	59	89	52	48	..	52
Northern Ireland											
Total	267	269	267	273	274	291	291	..	285(²)	322	346
Occupied	251	256	256	249	250	259	265	..	269(²)	300	332
Unoccupied	16	13	11	24	24	32	26	..	17(²)	22	14

(¹) For definition of the term "house or dwelling," which has varied slightly from time to time, reference should be made to the *Census Reports of Great Britain* 1801-1931, *Guides to Official Sources*, No. 2. The term "unoccupied" includes houses from which the inhabitants were absent on census night in addition to those which were without tenants.

(²) Figures for 1926.

(³) The provisional corresponding figure for 1961 is 14,648.

Source: Registrars General

Police Force: Authorised establishment and strength

TABLE 64

End of year

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
England and Wales											
Regular police											
Authorised establishment(1):											
Men	71,557	71,865	72,100	72,792	73,423	73,942	74,850	75,264	75,933	77,056	78,215
Women	1,811	1,957	2,078	2,199	2,379	2,501	2,655	2,720	2,777	2,910	2,948
Strength(1):											
Men	61,610	64,007	64,054	64,037	63,716	65,979	67,668	69,029	70,156	69,932	72,829
Women	1,506	1,679	1,827	1,959	2,060	2,244	2,268	2,271	2,338	2,272	2,332
Seconded(2):											
Men	154	159	155	155	155	167	176	175	167	171	191
Women	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	5	8	
Additional constables(3):											
Men	535	552	540	524	506	501	487	481	475	469	462
Whole-time auxiliaries											
Strength:											
Men	195	184	175	178	213	215	218	214	192	192	163
Women	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Part-time auxiliaries(4)											
Strength:											
Men	67,037	65,905	63,852	60,977	58,804	56,550	54,606	52,982	50,401	47,975	46,973
Women	593	781	897	954	974	951	952	914	957	969	969
Scotland											
Regular police											
Authorised establishment:											
Men	7,519	7,558	7,588	7,664	8,403	8,468	8,499	8,594	8,676	8,862	9,261
Women	171	180	211	216	240	244	245	275	283	286	320
Strength:											
Men	7,149	7,290	7,281	7,336	7,519	7,871	7,933	8,106	8,307	8,396	8,730
Women	149	162	176	197	210	237	235	248	271	273	285
Seconded:											
Men	50	56	52	46	48	62	66	71	58	45	45
Women	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	1	1
Additional regular police											
Authorised establishment:											
Men	119	123	126	126	127	130	130	128	120	118	118
Strength:											
Men	114	118	121	121	123	122	120	120	116	110	115
Whole-time auxiliaries											
Strength:											
Men	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Part-time auxiliaries(4)											
Strength:											
Men	9,379	9,186	8,917	8,786	8,425	8,289	8,019	7,893	7,561	7,219	7,209
Women	44	151	167	165	155	152	144	133	136	96	103
Northern Ireland											
Royal Ulster Constabulary											
Strength:											
Men	2,707	2,685	2,758	2,754	2,752	2,788	2,815	2,840	2,845	2,865	2,943
Women	18	20	18	29	29	32	45	42	49	56	55
Ulster Special Constabulary											
Strength:											
Whole-time	110	108	109	109	108	109	109	107	108	107	108
Part-time(5)	9,899	9,929	9,911	10,362	10,291	10,543	13,458	13,796	13,753	13,290	12,739

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(1) Authorised establishment and strength for employment on ordinary police duties and, in the case of the Metropolitan police only, for employment as additional constables.

(2) Instructors at Training Establishments, liaison officers at Forensic Science Laboratories, etc.

(3) Excluding additional constables in the Metropolitan Police Force.

(4) Including special constables (enrolled strength) and members of the First Police Reserve not in whole-time employment (in England and Wales only).

(5) Including some members mobilised for whole-time duty with the Royal Ulster Constabulary. These numbered 1,378 at December 1960.

Source: Home Office, Scottish Home and Health Department and Ministry of Home Affairs, Northern Ireland

Comparison of criminal charges proved in England and Wales and Scotland(1)

TABLE 65

Number

	England and Wales					Scotland				
	Code number(2)	Persons found guilty				Code number(2)	Persons against whom charge proved(3)			
		1958	1959	1960	1961		1958	1959	1960	1961
All offences		993,445	1,040,796	1,035,212	1,152,397		148,852	161,625	170,476	165,450
Offences relating to the person										
Murder	1	30	42	42	51	1	6	6	5	4
Attempts to murder	2	37	35	40	52	2	—	3	3	2
Threats or conspiracy to murder, extortion	3, 10, 35,	125	113	155	160	5	20	25	29	31
Manslaughter (Culpable homicide)	4, 4A, 4B	85	88	94	105	3	14	14	21	13
Wounding and assaults	5, 8, 9	7,435	8,637	9,689	10,863	4	410	480	577	603
Cruelty to children	11, 12, 109	669	654	686	788	6	352	318	237	219
Procuring abortion	14	41	42	42	55	7	2	4	3	1
Concealment of birth (...of pregnancy)	15	16	12	8	13	8	1	2	2	1
Incest	23	137	151	152	178	9	9	9	12	21
Bigamy	26	116	97	102	99	16	30	32	29	33
Robbery and assaults with intent	34	882	1,031	1,039	985	19	133	117	109	159
Sexual offences	{16-22, 24, 25, 74, 187, 192}	5,862	6,862	6,667	7,177	10-15	583	630	828	736
Other offences(4)	4C, 6, 7, 13	202	249	290	330	17	322	380	401	487
Offences relating to property										
Breaking and entering (housebreaking)	27-33	28,834	30,014	31,823	36,240	18	8,056	8,143	7,916	9,341
Embezzlement, fraud (Breach of trust), etc.	37, 51, 52	2,265	2,295	2,293	2,579	23	235	257	238	294
Larceny (Theft), false pretences, forgery	38-50, 53, 58, 59, 174-177	93,428	96,040	102,101	112,911	21, 24, 26, 30	12,928	13,485	14,089	15,254
Coining	60, 61	8	17	19	6	31	6	13	3	8
Receiving (Reset)	54, 178, 181	6,581	7,008	7,629	9,221	22	518	538	463	501
Bankruptcy offences	55	20	25	20	26	25	4	2	4	4
Arson (fire raising) and malicious injuries	56, 57, 149	15,318	15,048	17,232	18,018	28, 29, 90	2,853	2,821	2,986	2,682
Other offences(4)		—	—	—	—	20	1	3	1	1
Other serious offences										
High treason and treason felony	62, 63	—	—	—	—	32	—	—	—	—
Riot, unlawful assembly, mobbing	64, 65	1	53	53	23	33	—	23	5	16
Other offences(4)	{66-68, 70-73, 75, 99, 138	10,184	11,616	12,958	13,656	27, 34, 35, 37	171	164	187	151
Less serious offences										
Adulteration of food and drugs	101	737	892	786	946	38	254	209	164	142
Aliens Acts	102	646	576	438	129	39	26	24	17	3
Betting, gaming, lotteries	106, 184	15,452	13,046	10,612	4,901	41	16,711	18,732	16,333	1,913
Cruelty to animals	108	625	621	614	836	48	54	80	77	93
Disease of Animals Act	110	970	724	782	838	49	92	54	66	75
Attempted suicides, disorderly behaviour, etc. (Breach of the peace)	69, 103-105, 162	25,512	27,046	26,156	27,202	42	21,287	22,508	24,842	27,709
Brothel keeping	107	214	173	135	169	44	9	16	9	7
Education Acts	112	4,569	4,241	4,723	5,280	51	1,670	1,555	1,308	1,249
Fishery Laws	116	976	1,307	1,012	1,039	54	239	272	290	287
Game Laws	118-121	1,698	2,156	2,889	3,273	56	212	275	296	301
Road Acts and vehicles:										
Pedal cycles	137	40,448	37,265	27,164	26,539	78	3,246	2,990	2,253	1,830
Stage and hackney carriages	173	1,380	1,134	1,413	1,734	83	96	76	104	87
Trams and trolleybuses	180	15	21	9	5	84	1	2	1	1
All other offences	122-136	546,745	587,408	583,444	673,542	55, 79-82	44,848	52,974	58,863	61,147
Indecent exposure	139	2,135	2,279	2,453	2,555	36	200	215	250	244
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:										
Drunkenness	140-141	62,396	62,535	65,170	71,614	59	13,380	13,157	13,577	15,106
Offences by licensed persons	142	672	630	606	515	60	80	70	64	79
Other offences	143	5,675	5,568	7,418	8,498	61	470	723	621	682
Labour Laws:										
General offences	145, 146, 148	1,308	1,276	1,434	1,368	62-65	837	964	859	782
Employment of children	147	303	264	345	259	52	313	214	156	181
Merchant Shipping Acts	150	431	332	532	728	66	66	69	40	25
Naval, Military and Air Force Law	153-155	134	196	265	186	67	19	35	17	6
Parks, commons and open spaces	156	1,567	1,538	1,264	1,954	68	660	574	557	487
Breaches of local regulations	161, 163, 164, 185, 186	14,405	14,877	12,810	13,399	71	11,336	11,068	11,564	12,285
Prostitution offences	166, 167	19,732	12,394	2,785	2,281	73	233	334	378	286
Railway offences	169	19,984	21,167	20,126	20,757	75	769	943	801	944
Revenue Laws	111, 170-172	27,649	30,302	34,436	32,808	50, 77	1,666	1,813	2,535	2,113
Vagrancy Acts	182, 183, 188	1,631	1,578	1,431	1,642	85, 58	543	539	498	504
Other offences(4)	(5)	23,160	29,121	30,826	33,864	(5)	2,881	3,671	5,788	6,320

Source: Home Office and Scottish Home and Health Department

(1) See introductory notes on pages 41 and 42. Where the Scottish description of an offence differs from the English one (for example, Theft and Larceny) the Scottish equivalent is given in brackets.

(2) As shown in the published criminal statistics for each country.

(3) Including pledges forfeited.

(4) This is a purely residual, non-comparable group.

(5) The relevant code numbers are those not specified elsewhere.

Offences known to police, proceedings taken and results of proceedings(¹)

TABLE 66 — England and Wales — Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Indictable offences											
Offences known to police(²)	524,506	513,559	472,989	434,327	438,085	479,710	545,562	626,509	675,626	743,713	806,900
Persons proceeded against	143,590	141,285	124,850	114,359	115,199	123,951	140,193	157,120	163,043	205,250	227,115
Tried at Magistrates' Courts	122,259	118,387	103,963	95,441	96,730	104,111	116,340	128,202	133,234	142,877	158,659
Tried at Assizes or Quarter Sessions	19,989	22,153	20,263	18,736	18,091	19,572	22,935	27,801	29,601	30,591	34,324
Found guilty at Magistrates' Courts	114,789	111,148	97,578	89,650	91,205	98,179	110,222	121,468	126,269	135,652	150,934
Absolute discharge	7,975	6,544	5,328	4,353	4,292	4,282	4,829	4,671	4,481	4,147	4,167
Probation order	26,401	25,763	22,604	21,299	21,658	22,778	25,314	27,221	27,306	28,766	30,598
Conditional discharge	17,095	17,232	16,457	14,807	15,526	17,034	20,317	22,755	23,713	24,568	26,783
Sent to: Approved schools	3,482	3,530	2,850	2,479	2,415	2,454	2,778	3,357	3,304	3,683	4,021
Remand homes	916	918	547	550	499	383	511	626	602	665	581
Fined	43,214	41,315	35,555	33,161	33,938	37,496	40,820	46,094	49,233	55,651	64,443
Sentenced to imprisonment	11,778	11,636	9,989	8,661	8,271	8,615	9,585	10,090	10,441	10,479	11,042
Otherwise dealt with(³)	3,928	4,210	4,248	4,340	4,606	5,137	6,068	6,654	7,189	7,693	9,299
Found guilty at Assizes or Quarter Sessions	18,092	19,971	18,259	16,740	16,249	17,700	20,728	25,305	26,931	27,830	31,283
Probation order	3,246	3,433	3,132	2,794	3,057	3,590	4,704	5,938	6,005	6,267	7,026
Conditional discharge	1,699	1,528	1,466	1,273	1,232	1,355	1,631	1,979	2,140	1,834	2,066
Sentenced to:											
Borstal training	1,495	1,652	1,399	1,211	1,104	1,355	1,710	2,293	2,274	2,495	2,808
Corrective training	694	556	492	439	328	304	403	405	333	283	358
Imprisonment	8,351	9,729	8,932	8,075	7,613	7,798	8,540	10,070	11,176	11,516	12,471
Preventive detention	174	209	190	217	156	139	172	164	170	173	191
Death	21	39	26	21	29	28	18	9	6	8	7
Otherwise dealt with	2,412	2,825	2,622	2,710	2,730	3,131	3,550	4,447	4,827	5,254	6,356
Non-indictable offences											
Persons proceeded against	632,560	662,950	627,421	657,159	665,299	704,747	771,116	886,536	927,908	912,535	1,013,642
Tried at Magistrates' Courts	620,683	651,411	615,959	646,500	655,137	694,690	760,242	875,853	916,778	901,956	1,002,648
Found guilty at Magistrates' Courts	590,439	621,893	588,604	619,188	627,834	668,318	733,525	846,672	887,596	871,730	970,180
Absolute discharge	22,089	20,883	19,373	17,809	16,925	16,258	15,529	15,933	15,857	12,133	12,534
Probation order	3,435	3,410	3,246	3,318	3,323	3,677	3,846	4,366	4,336	4,809	5,110
Conditional discharge	9,464	9,884	10,321	9,735	9,130	9,830	11,284	12,490	12,835	12,510	13,187
Sent to: Approved schools	136	133	122	130	155	165	210	256	279	509	480
Remand homes	46	51	24	28	33	30	35	35	48	46	45
Fined	542,266	573,844	542,622	575,952	585,538	626,003	689,680	798,780	838,930	825,760	923,128
Sentenced to imprisonment	7,286	7,412	7,015	6,577	6,389	6,404	6,883	7,820	8,230	9,362	9,940
Otherwise dealt with(³)	5,717	6,276	5,881	5,639	6,341	5,951	6,058	6,992	7,081	6,601	5,756

Source: Home Office

(¹) Including offences against Defence Regulations.

(²) Excluding certain offences which may be tried either on indictment or summarily.

(³) These figures include persons found guilty at Magistrates' Courts and committed to Quarter Sessions for sentence. The disposals by the higher courts of persons so committed are not shown in this table.

Persons found guilty: Analysis by type of offence

TABLE 67

England and Wales

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All offences(¹)	723,320	753,012	704,441	725,578	735,288	784,197	864,475	993,445	1,040,796	1,035,212	1,152,397
Indictable offences	132,817	131,047	115,784	106,371	107,446	115,874	130,920	146,714	153,190	163,482	182,217
Breaking and entering(²)	21,544	21,838	18,633	16,586	16,411	18,664	23,332	28,834	30,014	31,823	36,240
Frauds and false pretences(³)	3,461	3,975	3,920	3,669	3,511	3,430	3,675	4,188	4,366	4,469	4,888
Larceny	87,201	84,235	73,033	67,052	68,438	72,773	80,458	87,966	90,221	96,398	107,235
Receiving	6,386	6,319	5,077	4,216	4,366	4,808	5,309	6,120	6,565	7,127	8,701
Sexual offences	4,858	5,001	5,135	5,133	5,408	5,349	5,639	5,423	6,161	5,959	6,150
Violence against the person:											
Total	3,929	4,127	4,285	4,584	4,958	5,979	7,079	7,895	9,148	10,259	11,519
Murder	22	41	26	25	30	32	40	30	42	42	51
Manslaughter	71	67	54	56	45	51	69	73	75	78	92
Wounding	3,523	3,686	3,872	4,182	4,581	5,517	6,464	7,222	8,418	9,423	10,582
Other offences against the person	313	333	333	321	302	379	506	570	613	716	794
Other offences	5,438	5,552	5,701	5,131	4,354	4,871	5,428	6,288	6,715	7,447	7,484
Non-indictable offences	584,454	616,298	586,260	618,565	627,591	668,156	733,270	846,542	887,532	871,730	970,180
Assaults	11,847	11,374	10,728	10,297	10,465	10,317	10,999	11,043	11,614	12,042	11,937
Betting and gaming(⁴)	13,284	14,429	15,389	15,317	14,701	14,318	15,613	15,452	13,046	10,612	4,901
Breach of local and other regulations	25,263	24,688	22,766	23,113	21,111	21,814	24,389	25,172	26,662	23,258	24,862
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:											
Drunkenness(⁵)	51,239	51,488	51,461	51,127	52,026	57,574	64,513	62,396	62,535	65,170	71,614
Other offences	2,997	3,110	3,281	4,866	4,143	4,667	5,340	6,347	6,198	8,024	9,013
Education Acts	8,937	7,718	7,004	6,053	6,218	4,892	4,522	4,569	4,241	4,723	5,280
Game Laws	2,736	2,858	2,302	1,524	854	953	1,342	1,698	2,156	2,889	3,273
Labour Laws	1,598	1,569	1,513	1,605	1,865	1,497	1,513	1,611	1,540	1,779	1,627
Malicious damage	9,374	8,173	8,356	8,371	8,550	10,004	11,766	13,101	12,872	14,531	15,123
Offences by prostitutes	7,872	10,291	10,229	11,518	11,878	11,855	15,486	19,536	12,264	2,733	2,259
Railway offences	19,321	18,604	16,859	17,258	16,499	17,256	17,930	19,984	21,167	20,126	20,757
Revenue Laws	20,657	22,889	19,421	20,222	18,803	18,734	19,066	24,140	26,398	30,726	29,286
Stealing	2,681	3,027	2,234	1,789	1,671	1,772	1,695	1,784	1,844	1,485	1,300
Traffic offences	370,912	398,075	374,856	393,148	407,815	452,346	497,294	596,587	635,366	622,551	712,584
Vagrancy Acts(⁶)	4,998	5,223	4,939	4,354	3,886	4,042	4,678	5,526	5,689	5,563	6,324
Wireless Telegraphy Acts	2,691	4,576	5,604	16,699	15,683	5,824	6,440	4,312	6,357	7,778	9,516
Other offences	28,047	28,206	29,318	31,304	31,423	30,291	30,684	33,284	37,583	37,740	40,524

Source: Home Office

(¹) Including offences against Defence Regulations. Until 1959, these are included in the total only, from 1960 they are included in "other offences", mostly non-indictable.
(²) This group includes the offence of sacrilege.
(³) Including offences in connection with bankruptcy.
(⁴) Including gaming offences under the Vagrancy Acts.
(⁵) Excluding " driving under the influence of drink " under the Highway Acts.
(⁶) Excluding gaming offences under the Vagrancy Acts.

Juveniles found guilty of offences(1)

TABLE 68 — England and Wales — Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Juveniles found guilty											
All offences(2)	75,857	72,834	63,770	59,992	60,666	67,724	78,189	90,560	99,559	107,000	120,198
Indictable offences	47,473	45,078	38,690	34,829	35,513	38,815	45,107	51,775	53,183	57,360	64,284
Larceny	30,481	28,929	24,844	22,207	23,337	24,879	27,993	31,497	31,265	33,261	37,340
Breaking and entering	12,166	11,265	9,226	8,461	8,530	9,532	12,043	14,284	15,363	16,779	18,944
Receiving	1,349	1,413	1,142	1,059	1,116	1,304	1,554	1,977	2,186	2,320	2,939
Sexual offences	951	1,030	1,046	946	880	1,073	1,185	1,118	1,267	1,217	1,180
Frauds, etc.	115	144	146	151	119	155	154	203	225	232	268
Violence against the person	349	320	386	435	454	608	760	1,039	1,231	1,583	1,717
Other offences	2,062	1,977	1,900	1,570	1,077	1,264	1,418	1,657	1,646	1,968	1,896
Non-indictable offences	28,331	27,732	25,071	25,162	25,153	28,909	33,081	38,785	46,376	49,640	55,914
Highway Acts:											
Total	11,021	11,302	10,616	9,944	10,550	12,003	14,568	17,033	22,727	25,223	30,140
Offences with pedal cycles	7,218	7,702	6,919	5,755	5,839	6,491	7,544	7,856	8,954	7,500	8,600
Other	3,803	3,600	3,697	4,189	4,711	5,512	7,024	9,177	13,773	17,723	21,540
Breach of local and other regulations:											
Total	1,757	1,448	1,267	1,719	1,386	1,394	1,670	2,124	2,238	2,493	2,771
Games in street	726	494	354	348	233	163	146	164	183	120	131
Other	1,031	954	913	1,371	1,153	1,231	1,524	1,960	2,055	2,373	2,640
Malicious damage	5,750	4,868	4,670	4,628	4,483	5,075	5,895	6,629	6,321	7,130	7,121
Railway offences	4,736	4,578	4,265	4,614	4,389	4,986	5,221	6,060	6,964	5,718	6,076
Stealing	1,751	1,987	1,345	1,118	984	1,115	982	1,078	1,054	902	745
Betting and gaming	333	393	357	268	180	248	172	195	272	181	180
Other offences	2,983	3,156	2,551	2,871	3,181	4,088	4,573	5,666	6,800	7,993	8,881
Disposal by Courts											
Magistrates' Courts:											
Total dealt with	75,258	72,162	63,191	59,460	60,170	67,155	77,416	89,430	98,372	105,754	118,691
Absolute discharge	10,776	8,848	7,282	6,227	6,087	6,427	6,683	6,966	6,599	5,727	5,423
Conditional discharge	11,550	11,883	11,580	10,826	11,605	13,417	16,130	18,485	19,234	20,131	21,830
Placed on probation	20,300	19,216	16,330	15,142	15,183	16,222	17,597	19,321	19,620	20,967	22,812
Fined	26,724	26,077	22,593	21,952	21,849	25,319	30,220	36,342	43,985	48,794	57,323
Committed to:											
Remand homes	962	969	571	578	532	413	546	661	650	711	626
Approved schools	3,618	3,663	2,972	2,609	2,570	2,619	2,988	3,613	3,583	4,192	4,501
Borstal institutions	5	2	7	—	—	2	3	1	4	6	3
Otherwise dealt with(3)	1,323	1,504	1,856	2,126	2,344	2,736	3,249	4,041	4,697	5,226	6,173
Assizes and Quarter Sessions:											
Total dealt with	599	672	579	532	496	569	772	1,130	1,187	1,246	1,507
Conditional discharge	37	31	29	18	33	27	33	96	99	78	105
Placed on probation	283	310	271	223	234	259	371	510	537	590	654
Committed to Borstal institutions	120	123	112	96	83	97	118	193	158	171	248
Sentenced to imprisonment	7	7	12	19	7	12	8	14	29	27	27
Otherwise disposed of	152	201	155	176	139	174	242	317	364	380	473

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(1) Persons under 17 years of age.

(2) Including offences against Defence Regulations. From 1960, these are included in "other offences", mostly non-indictable.

(3) These figures include persons found guilty at Magistrates' Courts and committed to Quarter Sessions for sentence. The disposals by the higher courts of persons so committed are not shown in this table.

Source: Home Office

Persons found guilty of offences: Analysis by sex and age

TABLE 69

England and Wales

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Males											
All offences(¹):											
All ages	653·0	677·4	632·1	650·5	660·7	712·5	784·9	901·7	957·4	964·0	1,069·5
Under 17 years	70·8	67·5	59·0	55·6	56·6	63·5	73·5	84·8	93·3	100·1	111·8
17 and under 21 years	49·3	49·1	45·3	47·4	55·9	64·8	85·7	108·4	123·7	138·7	153·7
21 years and over	532·9	560·8	527·8	547·5	548·2	584·2	625·7	708·5	740·4	725·2	804·0
Indictable offences:											
All ages	117·0	114·9	100·5	92·0	93·4	101·9	115·9	129·3	135·7	143·9	158·7
Under 17 years	43·8	41·3	35·3	31·8	32·6	35·8	41·8	47·7	48·9	52·4	58·1
17 and under 21 years	12·4	12·4	10·7	10·1	11·3	13·4	17·0	21·3	22·4	25·1	27·7
21 years and over	60·8	61·2	54·5	50·1	49·5	52·7	57·1	60·3	64·4	66·4	72·9
Non-indictable offences:											
All ages	530·9	557·7	529·5	557·9	567·0	610·4	668·7	772·2	821·6	820·1	910·8
Under 17 years	26·9	26·2	23·6	23·9	23·9	27·6	31·6	37·1	44·4	47·7	53·7
17 and under 21 years	36·9	36·7	34·6	37·2	44·6	51·4	68·7	87·1	101·3	113·7	126·0
21 years and over	467·1	494·8	471·3	496·8	498·5	531·4	568·4	648·0	675·9	658·7	731·1
Females											
All offences(¹):											
All ages	70·3	75·6	72·4	75·1	74·6	71·7	79·6	91·7	83·4	71·2	82·9
Under 17 years	5·0	5·4	4·8	4·4	4·1	4·3	4·7	5·7	6·2	6·9	8·4
17 and under 21 years	5·0	5·1	4·9	4·5	4·9	5·2	6·7	8·7	7·6	6·8	7·7
21 years and over	60·3	65·1	62·7	66·2	65·6	62·2	68·2	77·3	69·6	57·5	66·8
Indictable offences:											
All ages	15·8	16·2	15·3	14·4	14·0	13·9	15·0	17·4	17·5	19·6	23·5
Under 17 years	3·6	3·8	3·4	3·1	2·8	3·0	3·3	4·1	4·3	5·0	6·1
17 and under 21 years	1·8	1·9	1·9	1·8	1·8	1·7	2·0	2·5	2·2	2·7	3·2
21 years and over	10·4	10·5	10·0	9·5	9·4	9·2	9·7	10·8	11·0	11·9	14·2
Non-indictable offences:											
All ages	53·6	58·6	56·8	60·7	60·5	57·8	64·6	74·3	65·9	51·6	59·4
Under 17 years	1·4	1·5	1·5	1·3	1·2	1·3	1·5	1·6	2·0	1·9	2·3
17 and under 21 years	3·2	3·2	3·0	2·7	3·1	3·5	4·6	6·2	5·4	4·1	4·5
21 years and over	49·0	53·9	52·3	56·7	56·2	53·0	58·5	66·5	58·5	45·6	52·6

(¹) Including offences against Defence Regulations.

Source: Home Office

Prisons, borstals and detention centres: Receptions and average population

TABLE 70

England and Wales

Number

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Receptions											
Convicted prisoners:											
Imprisonment(¹):											
Total	30,677	32,993	35,091	31,934	29,141	27,535	28,041	30,808	33,586	36,306	37,558
Under 3 years	29,077	31,313	33,000	30,012	27,388	25,891	26,367	29,040	31,733	34,411	35,686
3 years and over	1,600	1,680	2,091	1,922	1,753	1,644	1,674	1,768	1,853	1,895	1,872
Corrective training	1,237	821	669	597	524	395	378	465	456	371	319
Preventive detention	222	220	245	227	270	200	179	221	193	224	219
Borstal training	1,978	2,089	2,277	1,947	1,642	1,559	1,997	2,463	3,162	3,164	3,595
Detention centre	—	—	75	210	247	586	818	1,093	1,302	1,356	1,295
Others under sentence and convicted prisoners awaiting sentence or inquiry	. .	. .	5,130	5,561	6,985	7,380	8,038	9,440	10,682	10,559	10,886
Untried and civil prisoners:											
Untried prisoners	. .	. .	25,811	22,905	20,022	19,859	21,791	25,561	28,821	29,839	27,824
Civil prisoners(²)	5,265	5,342	5,955	6,155	6,346	5,874	6,253	7,253	9,336	7,959	8,231
Daily average population											
Total	20,175	21,370	23,680	23,610	22,421	21,134	20,807	22,602	25,379	26,623	27,099
Convicted prisoners:											
Imprisonment(¹):											
Total	13,035	13,513	15,068	15,234	14,580	13,727	13,478	14,239	15,539	16,894	17,633
Under 3 years	8,871	9,525	10,679	10,217	9,467	8,851	8,866	9,797	11,081	12,237	12,860
3 years and over	4,164	3,988	4,389	5,017	5,113	4,876	4,612	4,442	4,458	4,657	4,773
Corrective training	1,768	2,213	1,814	1,477	1,298	1,095	883	873	959	997	847
Preventive detention	423	623	827	984	1,073	1,208	1,249	1,311	1,319	1,342	1,337
Borstal training	3,200	3,276	3,586	3,591	3,248	2,898	2,849	3,409	4,268	4,454	4,510
Detention centre	—	—	10	43	108	124	165	234	271	274	275
Others under sentence and convicted prisoners awaiting sentence or inquiry	. .	. .	448	453	437	474	519	670	755	719	672
Untried and civil prisoners:											
Untried prisoners	1,153	1,130	1,244	1,097	936	915	973	1,113	1,414	1,459	1,437
Civil prisoners(²)	596	615	683	731	741	693	691	753	854	484	388

(¹) Including sentences by courts-martial.

(²) Mainly for failure to comply with orders for payments of monies.

Source: Prison Commission for England and Wales

Prisoners with previous sentences

TABLE 71

England and Wales

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	
Receptions(¹):											
Total	33,722	35,710	32,532	29,632	27,822	28,358	31,242	34,009	36,730	37,920	
Males	30,987	32,939	29,770	27,215	25,664	26,456	29,279	31,746	34,604	35,558	
Females	2,735	2,771	2,762	2,417	2,158	1,902	1,963	2,263	2,126	2,362	
Prisoners or inmates with known previous sentences(²):											
Total	17,869	18,589	17,600	16,580	15,576	15,975	17,137	18,294	19,862	20,115	23,215
1 sentence	4,518	4,954	4,514	4,220	3,862	3,342	3,784	3,856	4,153	4,115	4,796
2 sentences	3,564	3,724	3,394	3,162	2,944	3,270	3,495	4,267	4,861	4,919	5,249
3 sentences	2,265	2,429	2,305	1,995	2,006	2,068	2,413	2,555	2,777	2,766	3,160
4–10 sentences	5,570	5,720	5,574	5,297	5,006	5,494	5,543	5,645	6,013	6,353	7,667
Over 10 sentences	1,952	1,762	1,813	1,906	1,758	1,801	1,902	1,971	2,058	1,962	2,343
Males	16,562	17,299	16,324	15,464	14,575	15,086	16,353	17,506	18,999	19,007	22,037
1 sentence	4,179	4,617	4,128	3,902	3,599	3,114	3,566	3,655	3,965	3,903	4,551
2 sentences	3,321	3,468	3,185	2,976	2,788	3,133	3,358	4,098	4,616	4,620	4,938
3 sentences	2,129	2,271	2,143	1,876	1,908	1,972	2,329	2,471	2,670	2,617	3,003
4–10 sentences	5,250	5,372	5,225	4,985	4,702	5,227	5,350	5,450	5,822	6,083	7,381
Over 10 sentences	1,683	1,571	1,643	1,725	1,578	1,640	1,750	1,832	1,926	1,784	2,164
Females	1,307	1,290	1,276	1,116	1,001	889	784	788	863	1,108	1,178
1 sentence	339	337	386	318	263	228	218	201	188	212	245
2 sentences	243	256	209	186	156	137	137	169	245	299	311
3 sentences	136	158	162	119	98	96	84	84	107	149	157
4–10 sentences	320	348	349	312	304	267	193	195	191	270	286
Over 10 sentences	269	191	170	181	180	161	152	139	132	178	179

(¹) Figures relate only to persons received under sentence of imprisonment, corrective training or preventive detention. Persons sentenced by courts-martial are excluded throughout.

(²) Figures before 1960 relate to sentences of imprisonment (other than for non-payment of fines), penal servitude, corrective training or preventive detention. From 1960 they relate to all previous institutional sentences, that is, they include committals to approved school, borstal and detention centre. For purposes of comparison 1960 is shown on both old and new bases.

Source: Prison Commission for England and Wales

Expenditure on prisons

TABLE 72

England and Wales

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Gross expenditure	6,601	7,924	9,164	9,579	10,330	10,345	11,079	12,402	13,812	16,995	19,648
Superintendence and staff(¹)	3,268	3,868	4,254	4,652	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maintenance(²)	1,263	1,335	1,481	1,646							
New buildings	581	694	779	810							
Materials and tools for manufactures	738	1,104	1,703	1,371							
Other expenditure	751	923	947	1,100							
Central charges	..	..	..	..	744	807	910	1,006	1,139	1,675	1,902
Staff in establishments					4,512	4,659	5,411	6,195	7,226	8,229	9,221
Inmate maintenance					772	764	818	914	1,031	1,168	1,169
New buildings					896	758	756	1,005	822	1,722	2,959
Building maintenance, etc.					965	1,054	1,233	1,402	1,570	1,715	1,896
Manufacturing, farms, etc.(²)					1,737	1,569	1,150	968	988	1,239	1,081
Miscellaneous					704	734	801	912	1,036	1,247	1,420
Met from:											
Parliamentary grant	5,688	6,706	7,309	7,712	8,653	8,520	9,729	11,315	12,850	15,999	18,595
Proceeds of sale of manufactures, surplus stocks, etc.	913	1,218	1,855	1,867	1,677	1,825	1,350	1,087	962	996	1,053

(¹) Including superannuation and stationery.

(²) From 1954/55 the cost of materials for manufacture of clothing, bedding and equipment for prison use, previously included in "Maintenance" is included in "Manufacturing, farms etc."

Source: Prison Commission for England and Wales

Crimes and offences known to police, proceedings taken and results of proceedings

TABLE **73**

Scotland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Crimes(1)											
Crimes made known to police	83,008	82,282	76,866	74,974	74,773	79,751	80,231	91,983	95,672	102,617	108,920
Persons proceeded against	25,871	26,833	24,195	22,872	23,226	24,456	24,185	25,938	26,728	27,215	30,220
Disposed of summarily	24,266	25,202	22,589	21,362	21,736	22,906	22,533	23,913	24,556	25,080	27,852
Disposed of after full committal	1,605	1,631	1,606	1,510	1,490	1,550	1,652	2,025	2,172	2,135	2,368
Results of proceedings:											
Charge proved without conviction or finding of guilt	4,894	4,709	4,369	4,411	4,607	4,794	4,793	4,695	4,922	5,074	5,618
Convicted or found guilty	18,942	19,973	18,062	16,747	17,014	17,949	17,862	19,600	20,140	20,569	22,753
Sentenced to:											
Death	1	3	1	3	1	1	—	2	—	3	—
Preventive detention	—	1	2	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corrective training	—	6	32	22	13	9	5	3	4	4	4
Imprisonment	3,864	4,213	3,949	3,605	3,595	3,922	4,433	5,236	5,195	4,364	4,660
Borstal training	178	231	259	234	229	269	285	358	289	306	365
Fined	9,794	9,997	9,175	8,585	8,889	9,300	9,023	9,449	9,576	10,639	11,698
Committed to approved schools	555	605	505	470	434	469	471	588	561	638	790
Admonished, placed on probation or otherwise disposed of	4,550	4,917	4,139	3,827	3,848	3,981	3,645	3,964	4,515	4,615	5,236
Miscellaneous offences(1)(2)											
Miscellaneous offences made known to police	101,748	106,486	112,274	117,948	120,979	128,772	136,165	150,817	161,126	180,038	188,297
Persons proceeded against	87,143	91,112	95,934	100,145	105,575	114,851	119,534	129,132	141,800	150,121	142,236
Disposed of summarily	86,925	90,965	95,749	100,009	105,409	114,700	119,327	128,953	141,683	149,973	142,078
Disposed of after full committal	218	147	185	136	166	151	207	179	117	148	158
Results of proceedings:											
Charge proved without conviction or finding of guilt	908	880	1,000	938	1,015	1,122	1,731	1,645	1,831	1,875	1,941
Convicted or found guilty	75,206	78,829	83,063	87,293	92,255	100,291	104,625	115,310	128,084	136,231	128,341
Sentenced to:											
Imprisonment	1,849	2,124	2,131	2,111	2,039	2,236	2,448	2,637	2,654	2,207	2,270
Borstal training	4	15	7	5	11	21	22	33	39	34	37
Fined	64,809	68,174	72,069	75,681	81,085	88,549	91,616	101,578	113,198	121,894	114,096
Committed to approved schools	14	14	9	10	15	25	20	34	38	38	64
Admonished, placed on probation or otherwise disposed of	8,530	8,502	8,847	9,486	9,105	9,460	10,519	11,028	12,155	12,058	11,874

(1) From 1 January 1957, petty cases of malicious injuries to property and cases of false fire alarms were reclassified as offences. From 1 January 1958, all cases of taking a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner were reclassified as offences.

(2) Including offences against war legislation.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Persons convicted or found guilty: Analysis by type of crime or offence

TABLE **74**

Scotland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All crimes and offences	94,148	98,802	101,125	104,040	109,269	118,240	122,487	134,910	148,224	156,800	151,094
Crimes(1)(2)	18,942	19,973	18,062	16,747	17,014	17,949	17,862	19,600	20,140	20,569	22,753
Frauds and false pretences(3)	903	976	962	976	851	894	966	968	1,068	1,082	1,164
Housebreaking	3,608	4,173	3,646	3,465	3,338	3,821	4,726	6,147	6,141	6,018	7,038
Malicious injuries to property(1)	2,344	2,277	2,410	2,089	2,110	2,118	197	181	158	167	161
Reset (Receiving)	508	555	414	341	388	340	379	479	486	432	468
Sexual offences (4)	480	612	558	513	544	590	679	624	663	813	805
Theft(5)	9,855	9,937	8,622	7,900	8,360	8,632	9,092	9,647	10,019	10,424	11,304
Violence against the person:											
Total	682	763	761	754	785	749	979	1,125	1,150	1,176	1,253
Murder	1	3	4	3	1	1	2	6	6	5	4
Culpable homicide	10	8	12	10	18	5	8	14	14	21	13
Assaults	306	348	330	287	298	298	411	404	460	551	579
Other crimes against the person	365	404	415	454	468	445	558	701	670	599	657
Other crimes(2)	562	680	689	709	638	805	844	429	455	457	560
Miscellaneous offences(1)(2)	75,206	78,829	83,063	87,293	92,255	100,291	104,625	115,310	128,084	136,231	128,341
Betting and gaming	4,287	4,638	5,510	6,630	8,221	11,697	12,865	16,402	18,424	16,063	1,828
Breach of the peace	15,212	15,550	17,545	17,238	17,633	19,138	20,059	20,457	21,243	23,421	26,252
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:											
Drunkenness(6)	5,366	5,880	6,566	6,779	7,236	7,864	8,524	7,992	8,320	8,520	9,713
Other offences	406	504	574	551	559	779	649	533	765	665	728
Education Acts	1,364	1,283	1,291	1,304	1,415	1,644	1,530	1,665	1,553	1,306	1,247
Game Laws	359	396	361	223	124	112	147	209	272	296	301
Labour Laws	337	370	350	549	866	960	878	832	960	857	778
Malicious mischief(1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,916	2,111	2,127	2,224	1,963
Police Regulations	8,801	9,367	9,024	8,893	8,373	9,298	9,114	10,139	10,032	10,714	11,533
Prostitution	69	91	122	156	198	187	182	223	325	357	277
Railway offences	1,008	1,015	1,214	1,184	1,149	877	852	740	898	795	894
Revenue Laws	647	684	616	701	703	828	856	1,081	1,159	1,847	1,476
Road Acts(7)	32,701	33,302	34,167	37,311	38,710	41,040	41,217	47,363	55,652	60,830	62,670
Vagrancy Acts	691	742	874	788	711	574	612	511	473	467	465
Other offences(2)(8)	3,958	5,007	4,849	4,986	6,357	5,293	5,224	5,052	5,881	7,869	8,216

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(1) From 1 January 1957, petty cases of malicious injuries to property and false fire alarms were reclassified as offences.

(2) From 1 January 1958, all cases of taking a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner were reclassified as offences.

(3) Including offences in connection with bankruptcy.

(4) Including indecent exposure.

(5) Including embezzlement.

(6) Including " drunk and incapable " and " drunk and disorderly " but excluding " drunk in charge " under the Road Traffic Act.

(7) Including cases of " furious and reckless driving ".

(8) Including offences against war legislation.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Juveniles(¹): Charges proved/with or without finding of guilt

TABLE **75**

Scotland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Charges proved without finding of guilt											
Crimes:											
Total	4,264	4,069	3,674	3,716	3,763	3,886	3,765	3,653	3,686	3,805	4,402
Housebreaking	1,588	1,468	1,344	1,326	1,255	1,207	1,400	1,515	1,527	1,503	1,937
Malicious injuries to property(²)	525	488	481	525	414	507	100	60	40	58	61
Theft, reset and embezzlement	2,021	1,972	1,681	1,721	1,915	2,005	2,066	1,915	1,932	2,017	2,177
Other crimes	130	141	168	144	179	167	199	163	187	227	227
Miscellaneous offences:											
Total	505	398	471	478	485	430	1,014	946	1,029	1,043	1,100
Betting and gaming	15	9	9	16	24	6	20	9	21	8	10
Breach of peace	170	126	142	154	171	150	163	192	203	259	253
Malicious mischief(²)	—	—	—	—	—	—	515	468	439	489	440
Police Regulations	128	137	172	143	108	95	162	85	99	54	108
Road Acts	102	61	65	79	92	76	60	128	147	141	121
Vagrancy Acts	7	6	17	20	17	20	9	1	10	7	14
Other offences(³)	83	59	66	66	73	83	85	63	110	85	154
Disposal by Courts:											
Total	4,769	4,467	4,145	4,194	4,248	4,316	4,779	4,599	4,715	4,848	5,502
Absolute discharge	1,737	1,489	1,436	1,505	1,408	1,577	1,959	1,696	1,867	1,766	2,076
Probation order	3,029	2,973	2,705	2,686	2,836	2,737	2,817	2,899	2,847	3,080	3,422
Otherwise disposed of	3	5	4	3	4	2	3	4	1	2	4
Charges proved with finding of guilt											
Crimes:											
Total	6,155	6,417	5,569	5,006	4,974	5,021	4,195	4,840	5,246	5,616	6,477
Housebreaking	1,431	1,638	1,327	1,220	1,139	1,216	1,449	1,917	2,072	2,264	2,721
Malicious injuries to property(²)	1,611	1,495	1,476	1,298	1,258	1,191	111	100	91	83	74
Theft, reset and embezzlement	2,871	3,026	2,570	2,266	2,389	2,348	2,373	2,581	2,827	2,890	3,299
Other crimes	242	258	196	222	188	266	262	242	256	379	383
Miscellaneous offences:											
Total	6,412	5,958	6,799	6,425	6,315	5,992	7,153	8,007	8,564	9,843	9,767
Betting and gaming	474	349	465	321	280	404	365	352	302	336	156
Breach of peace	1,747	1,710	2,290	2,017	1,892	1,878	1,908	2,320	2,493	2,865	2,977
Malicious mischief(²)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,156	1,288	1,352	1,369	1,021
Police Regulations	1,368	1,333	1,005	970	782	683	727	844	840	1,058	1,064
Road Acts	2,161	1,799	2,168	2,275	2,344	2,277	2,260	2,335	2,594	3,163	3,398
Vagrancy Acts	77	54	75	94	112	65	99	63	42	50	37
Other offences(³)	585	713	796	748	905	685	638	805	941	1,002	1,114
Disposal by Courts:											
Total	12,567	12,375	12,368	11,431	11,289	11,013	11,348	12,847	13,810	15,459	16,244
Probation order	23	3	9	1	3	2	4	9	8	6	1
Admonished	4,760	4,783	4,316	4,629	4,291	4,211	4,368	4,714	5,534	5,588	5,768
Fined	6,360	6,061	6,634	5,533	5,780	5,469	5,605	6,630	6,736	8,179	8,461
Committed to:											
Approved schools	567	618	516	482	449	489	492	629	598	680	858
Remand homes	346	445	400	406	363	371	426	533	577	603	733
Borstal institutions	38	56	67	46	55	74	56	83	77	92	138
Otherwise disposed of	473	409	426	334	348	397	397	249	280	311	285

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

(¹) Persons under 17 years of age.
(²) From 1 January 1957, petty cases of malicious injuries to property and false fire alarms were reclassified as offences.
(³) Including offences against war legislation.

Persons convicted or found guilty of crimes and offences: Analysis by sex and age

TABLE **76** Scotland Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Males											
All crimes and offences(1):											
All ages	86·6	90·3	92·5	95·6	100·0	109·6	113·4	125·7	138·4	145·8	139·4
Under 17 years	12·0	11·8	11·6	10·9	10·7	10·5	10·8	12·2	13·2	14·7	15·4
17 and under 21 years	9·4	9·4	9·9	10·3	11·2	12·6	14·6	17·2	18·9	20·6	21·3
21 years and over	65·2	69·1	71·0	74·4	78·1	86·5	88·0	96·3	106·3	110·5	102·7
Crimes:											
All ages	17·0	17·9	16·1	14·9	15·3	16·3	16·1	17·5	18·0	18·6	20·3
Under 17 years	5·8	6·1	5·2	4·8	4·7	4·8	4·0	4·5	4·9	5·3	6·0
17 and under 21 years	2·2	2·3	2·1	1·9	2·0	2·3	2·7	2·7	3·0	3·1	3·4
21 years and over	9·0	9·4	8·8	8·2	8·4	9·2	9·4	10·0	10·1	10·2	10·9
Miscellaneous offences(1):											
All ages	69·6	72·5	76·4	80·7	84·9	93·3	97·3	108·3	120·4	127·2	119·1
Under 17 years	6·2	5·7	6·4	6·1	6·0	5·8	6·8	7·6	8·3	9·4	9·4
17 and under 21 years	7·2	7·1	7·8	8·4	9·2	10·2	11·9	14·5	15·9	17·5	17·9
21 years and over	56·2	59·7	62·2	66·2	69·7	77·3	78·6	86·2	96·2	100·3	91·8
Females											
All crimes and offences(1):											
All ages	7·5	8·5	8·6	8·4	9·2	8·7	9·0	9·1	9·7	10·9	11·7
Under 17 years	0·5	0·6	0·7	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·7	0·8
17 and under 21 years	0·7	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·9	1·0
21 years and over	6·3	7·1	7·1	7·2	7·9	7·5	7·8	7·7	8·3	9·3	9·9
Crimes:											
All ages	1·9	2·1	2·0	1·8	1·9	1·7	1·7	1·9	2·0	1·9	2·4
Under 17 years	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·3	0·4
17 and under 21 years	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3
21 years and over	1·4	1·5	1·4	1·3	1·3	1·2	1·3	1·4	1·4	1·5	1·7
Miscellaneous offences(1):											
All ages	5·6	6·4	6·7	6·6	7·3	7·0	7·3	7·2	7·7	9·0	9·3
Under 17 years	0·2	0·3	0·4	0·2	0·3	0·2	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·4
17 and under 21 years	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·7	0·7
21 years and over	4·9	5·6	5·7	5·9	6·5	6·3	6·5	6·4	6·9	7·8	8·2

(1) Including offences against war legislation.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Prisons and Borstal institutions: Receptions and average population (1)

TABLE **77** Scotland Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Receptions under sentence											
Imprisonment(2):											
Total	8,596	9,848	9,874	9,376	8,779	9,440	10,716	12,171	12,444	11,128	12,370
Under 3 years	8,525	9,729	9,758	9,266	8,675	9,339	10,611	12,035	12,290	10,994	12,238
3 years and over	71	119	116	110	104	101	105	136	154	134	132
Corrective training	—	6	31	33	13	11	8	3	4	5	6
Preventive detention	—	1	3	2	7	1	5	—	—	—	—
Borstal training	192	260	264	266	276	303	349	430	338	345	424
Detention Centre	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	175	311
Criminal lunatics(3)	13	15	10	10	12	16	6	—	—	—	—
Other	5	3	4	4	1	1	—	1	4	4	3
Committals by civil process	4	2	1	2	5	—	—	—	5	7	4
Daily average population											
Total	1,851	2,089	2,152	2,169	2,176	2,268	2,435	2,672	2,866	2,821	2,997
Males	1,765	1,984	2,034	2,063	2,076	2,170	2,327	2,555	2,753	2,720	2,890
Females	86	105	118	106	100	98	108	117	113	101	107
Analysis by type of prisoner:											
Untried	140	151	155	148	150	168	200	249	277	288	314
Sentences of imprisonment(2):											
Total	1,326	1,491	1,499	1,446	1,473	1,541	1,680	1,893	2,064	2,013	2,150
Under 3 years	1,131	1,243	1,220	1,159	1,183	1,248	1,383	1,603	1,763	1,674	1,793
3 years and over	195	248	279	287	290	293	297	290	301	339	357
Corrective training	—	1	20	55	65	49	30	18	12	11	11
Preventive detention	—	—	2	4	7	11	11	9	5	5	4
Borstal training	286	342	375	415	379	392	429	502	505	443	449
Detention Centre	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	56	63
Criminal lunatics(3)	97	102	100	98	99	105	84	—	—	—	—
Other	2	2	1	3	3	2	1	1	3	5	6

(1) See introductory note on page 42.

(2) Including sentences by courts-martial.

(3) Responsibility for care and custody of criminal lunatics (now State Mental Hospital patients) was transferred to the General Board of Control, Department of Health for Scotland, on 1 October 1957

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Prisoners with previous sentences

TABLE **78**

Scotland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Convicted persons admitted to prison(¹):											
Total	8,762	10,083	10,144	9,628	9,033	9,727	11,049	12,584	12,754	11,630	13,090
Males	7,922	9,041	9,191	8,702	8,308	8,969	10,256	11,725	11,889	10,961	12,302
Females	840	1,042	953	926	725	758	793	859	865	669	788
Number admitted with known previous sentences of imprisonment:											
Total	5,476	6,192	6,279	6,077	5,621	5,888	6,752	7,765	7,898	7,475	8,330
1 sentence	1,156	1,317	1,287	1,312	1,210	1,334	1,541	1,694	1,753	1,672	1,740
2 sentences	799	870	835	796	789	870	956	1,105	1,160	1,037	1,183
3 sentences	630	729	664	626	581	662	791	936	899	847	954
4–10 sentences	2,099	2,281	2,417	2,400	2,161	2,109	2,492	2,961	3,045	2,927	3,355
Over 10 sentences	792	995	1,076	943	880	913	972	1,069	1,041	992	1,098
Males	4,954	5,601	5,749	5,543	5,217	5,473	6,332	7,290	7,430	7,108	7,895
1 sentence	1,070	1,208	1,181	1,215	1,138	1,264	1,460	1,591	1,663	1,599	1,657
2 sentences	734	785	778	745	742	816	903	1,053	1,102	986	1,114
3 sentences	584	662	604	573	543	601	754	878	866	817	910
4–10 sentences	1,962	2,134	2,250	2,207	2,024	1,987	2,362	2,831	2,894	2,823	3,241
Over 10 sentences	604	812	936	803	770	805	853	937	905	883	973
Females	522	591	530	534	404	415	420	475	468	367	435
1 sentence	86	109	106	97	72	70	81	103	90	73	83
2 sentences	65	85	57	51	47	54	53	52	58	51	69
3 sentences	46	67	60	53	38	61	37	58	33	30	44
4–10 sentences	137	147	167	193	137	122	130	130	151	104	114
Over 10 sentences	188	183	140	140	110	108	119	132	136	109	125

(¹) Including Borstal institutions.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Expenditure on prisons(¹)

Scotland

TABLE **79**

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Gross expenditure	646	790	741	826	846	951	1,037	1,202	1,491	1,727	1,912
Superintendence and staff	346	387	423	461	496	571	632	721	813	979	1,025
Maintenance	90	101	110	132	137	151	175	196	218	229	282
New buildings	105	179	88	83	65	88	90	134	197	286	309
Materials and tools for manufactures	51	73	63	87	93	77	66	65	151	138	188
Other expenditure	54	50	57	63	55	64	74	86	112	95	108
Met from:											
Parliamentary grant	562	692	624	705	717	833	919	1,086	1,319	1,522	1,677
Proceeds of sale of manufactures, surplus stores, etc.	84	98	117	121	129	118	118	116	172	205	235

(¹) See introductory note on page 42.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Offences known to police, proceedings taken and results of proceedings

TABLE 80

Northern Ireland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Indictable offences											
Offences known to police	8,048	7,498	6,890	6,428	6,049	6,427	6,555	7,594	7,606	8,460	9,850
Persons proceeded against	3,446	3,284	3,022	2,917	2,687	2,959	2,929	3,278	3,420	3,436	3,629
Tried in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction	2,741	2,553	2,424	2,407	2,196	2,480	2,340	2,641	2,737	2,863	2,893
Tried at Assizes or Quarter Sessions	734	773	620	565	533	500	537	636	716	606	759
Results of proceedings:											
Found guilty	3,109	2,964	2,707	2,716	2,532	2,772	2,729	3,111	3,231	3,267	3,444
Absolute discharge	398	368	375	255	233	230	213	197	219	217	253
Probation order	552	459	390	458	397	421	459	528	483	494	584
Conditional discharge	425	254	191	336	323	406	442	501	517	569	494
Committed to certified schools	113	90	106	109	133	111	159	187	226	229	178
Fines	885	772	819	896	817	936	766	904	931	980	1,093
Sentenced to:											
Borstal training(1)	31	28	32	30	29	41	37	36	58	53	74
Imprisonment	538	676	534	517	473	474	524	538	581	535	537
Penal servitude	11	19	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Preventive detention	—	—	3	5	2	3	4	4	7	7	6
Corrective training	—	—	6	15	19	10	14	21	12	8	12
Death	—	—	—	—	1(2)	—	—	—	1(2)	—	3
Otherwise dealt with	156	298	235	95	105	140	111	195	196	175	210
Non-indictable offences(3)											
Persons proceeded against	41,668	44,377	42,723	45,654	46,314	47,255	38,885	44,121	47,639	48,496	49,883
Tried in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction	41,656	44,352	42,677	45,647	46,292	47,236	38,810	44,113	47,620	48,435	49,839
Results of proceedings:											
Found guilty	38,896	41,966	40,255	42,990	43,442	44,588	36,695	41,879	45,426	46,371	47,940
Absolute discharge	2,033	1,648	2,073	2,312	2,637	2,169	1,560	1,754	1,513	1,342	1,430
Probation order	84	72	46	136	86	46	86	106	68	96	79
Conditional discharge	188	174	183	330	338	338	386	445	387	433	470
Committed to certified schools	5	7	7	10	29	13	2	36	20	27	32
Fined	35,894	39,126	37,292	39,782	39,888	41,301	34,016	38,897	42,731	43,703	45,075
Sentenced to:											
Borstal training(1)	3	—	2	6	4	—	2	4	9	2	4
Imprisonment	367	450	423	391	370	469	489	423	460	607	508
Otherwise dealt with	322	489	229	23	90	252	154	214	238	161	342

Source: Ministry of Home Affairs

(1) Prior to the passing of the Summary Jurisdiction (Northern Ireland) Act, 1953, these were sentences of Borstal detention.

(2) Commuted to life imprisonment.

(3) Including offences against Defence Regulations.

Persons found guilty: Analysis by type of offence

TABLE 81

Northern Ireland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All offences	42,005	44,930	42,962	45,706	45,974	47,360	39,424	44,990	48,657	49,638	51,384
Indictable offences	3,109	2,964	2,707	2,716	2,532	2,772	2,729	3,111	3,231	3,267	3,444
Breaking and entering	626	553	548	546	488	576	623	814	855	894	933
Frauds and false pretences(¹)	97	115	152	138	122	96	121	166	151	179	182
Larceny	1,836	1,751	1,489	1,545	1,414	1,447	1,388	1,473	1,558	1,522	1,658
Receiving	191	210	142	123	150	169	129	175	152	152	144
Sexual offences	32	40	60	49	57	92	67	88	144	114	132
Violence against the person:											
Total	112	73	100	106	126	136	129	121	171	157	146
Murder	—	1	—	2	2	—	1	—	1	1	5
Manslaughter	3	1	5	8	1	2	4	3	3	6	—
Wounding	61	37	41	55	87	80	80	103	118	127	103
Other offences against the person	48	34	54	41	36	54	44	15	49	23	38
Other offences	215	222	216	209	175	256	272	274	200	249	249
Non-indictable offences(²)	38,896	41,966	40,255	42,990	43,442	44,588	36,695	41,879	45,426	46,371	47,940
Assaults	744	694	741	730	687	778	700	675	697	762	685
Betting and gaming(³)	3,228	3,058	3,327	3,523	3,574	3,490	3,336	712	97	57	142
Byelaws and Police Regulations	1,699	1,888	2,159	2,117	2,305	2,079	1,585	2,062	2,109	2,773	2,625
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:											
Drunkenness(⁴)	1,830	1,852	1,918	1,749	1,605	1,479	1,238	1,151	1,238	1,468	1,536
Other offences	777	681	718	737	749	765	619	876	385	539	541
Education Acts	1,272	1,307	1,088	1,180	989	862	820	837	610	1,041	1,171
Game Laws	55	59	47	39	41	21	48	63	65	52	63
Labour Laws	466	403	497	642	765	516	655	593	387	367	301
Malicious damage	439	444	422	371	373	424	454	475	464	349	374
Offences by prostitutes	17	67	36	15	10	2	10	15	8	24	17
Railway offences	74	93	96	65	71	48	82	67	35	6	—
Revenue Laws	1,058	1,247	1,236	1,133	1,108	1,037	563	885	880	1,080	1,079
Stealing	101	162	98	97	120	108	64	132	80	44	40
Traffic offences	23,475	26,276	24,578	26,940	27,706	29,069	23,630	29,881	34,303	33,775	35,115
Vagrancy Acts(⁵)	209	209	138	121	144	106	132	157	187	167	183
Wireless Telegraphy Acts	17	10	37	—	125	105	71	84	164	166	240
Other offences(²)	3,435	3,516	3,119	3,531	3,070	3,699	2,688	3,214	3,717	3,701	3,828

Source: Ministry of Home Affairs

(¹) Including offences in connection with bankruptcy.
(²) Including offences against Defence Regulations.
(³) Including gaming offences under the Vagrancy Acts.
(⁴) Excluding "driving under the influence of drink" under the Highway Acts.
(⁵) Excluding gaming offences under the Vagrancy Acts.

Juveniles found guilty of offences(¹)

TABLE 82

Northern Ireland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Juveniles found guilty											
All offences	2,645	2,717	2,514	2,799	2,948	3,407	2,908	3,757	3,749	3,778	3,664
Indictable offences	1,067	972	867	987	920	1,069	1,118	1,330	1,417	1,431	1,390
Larceny	575	510	449	521	526	519	587	606	693	642	674
Breaking and entering	335	263	267	330	269	351	350	478	471	559	531
Receiving	57	74	37	27	42	37	46	79	71	60	35
Sexual offences	—	7	17	15	7	17	8	17	26	21	22
Frauds, etc.	3	2	2	5	2	3	1	7	5	7	12
Violence against the person	13	8	13	8	8	20	20	20	22	17	24
Other offences	84	108	82	81	66	122	106	123	129	125	92
Non-indictable offences	1,578	1,745	1,647	1,812	2,028	2,338	1,790	2,427	2,332	2,347	2,274
Highway Acts:											
Total	749	877	890	973	1,080	1,452	1,079	1,353	1,330	1,455	1,313
Offences with pedal cycles	482	608	547	663	704	1,066	743	926	882	827	720
Other	267	269	343	310	376	386	336	427	448	628	593
Police Regulations:											
Total	374	341	373	411	467	379	239	470	467	499	571
Games in street	235	206	228	269	278	211	138	262	291	211	282
Other	139	135	145	142	189	168	101	208	176	288	289
Malicious damage	205	188	179	190	211	222	238	219	209	136	166
Railway offences	42	60	54	51	61	22	39	45	30	5	—
Stealing	63	132	57	45	60	84	43	81	48	24	17
Betting and gaming	20	15	13	20	44	28	7	21	2	13	—
Other offences	125	132	81	122	105	151	145	238	246	215	207
Disposal by Courts											
Total dealt with	2,645	2,717	2,514	2,799	2,948	3,407	2,908	3,757	3,749	3,778	3,664
Absolute discharge	407	346	314	410	475	387	341	364	338	338	340
Conditional discharge	100	26	18	157	166	294	222	330	301	326	275
Placed on probation	433	339	278	390	318	367	425	479	436	468	429
Fined	1,487	1,688	1,576	1,702	1,795	2,170	1,673	2,260	2,317	2,284	2,305
Committed to:											
Remand homes	—	—	—	5	48	37	44	90	92	77	65
Certified schools	118	96	113	114	114	87	117	133	154	179	136
Borstal institutions	5	5	4	12	9	7	12	9	10	9	12
Otherwise dealt with	95	217	211	9	23	58	74	92	101	97	102

(¹) Persons under 17 years of age.

Source: Ministry of Home Affairs

Prisons and Borstal institutions: Receptions and average population

TABLE 83

Northern Ireland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Receptions											
Total	1,704	1,813	1,606	1,553	1,443	1,538	1,582	1,560	1,654	1,799	1,836
Males	1,476	1,508	1,374	1,341	1,252	1,362	1,424	1,413	1,510	1,658	1,718
Females	228	305	232	212	191	176	158	147	144	141	118
Committals on remand or for trial(1)	327	249	213	186	176	153	178	175	189	221	245
Committals by civil process(2)	70	76	73	83	70	82	88	90	75	96	80
Committals in default of payment of fines	399	393	363	321	381	376	373	338	376	375	374
Sentences of imprisonment without the option of a fine(3)	866	1,046	899	909	762	875	888	893	930	1,044	1,043
Sentences of penal servitude(3)	11	20	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sentences of preventive detention(4)	—	—	3	5	2	3	4	4	7	7	6
Sentences of corrective training(4)	—	—	6	15	19	9	12	21	12	5	12
Sentences of Borstal training(5)	31	29	33	34	33	40	39	39	65	51	76
Daily average population											
Total	356	386	402	390	378	396	367	395	437	454	439
Unconvicted(6)	33	32	31	25	22	21	30	31	28	24	25
Convicted	323	354	371	365	356	375	337	364	409	430	414

(1) Not followed by return to prison on conviction.
(2) For example, non-payment of monies. Including committals in default of sureties.
(3) Including sentences imposed by courts-martial. The figures for sentences of penal servitude in 1953 cover the period to 30 September only.
(4) New sentences introduced from 1 October 1953 by the Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Act, 1953.
(5) Prior to the passing of the Summary Jurisdiction (Northern Ireland) Act, 1953, these were sentences of Borstal detention.
(6) Prisoners on remand (before conviction) or awaiting trial and prisoners committed by civil process.

Source: Ministry of Home Affairs

Expenditure on prisons

Northern Ireland

Years ended 31 March

TABLE 84

£ thousand

	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(1)
Gross expenditure	140	144	141	148	163	177	216	252	267	273	275
Superintendence and staff	81	93	91	94	104	115	137	156	167	178	185
Maintenance	35	30	28	32	39	38	54	74	74	64	60
New buildings	1	1	1	3	1	4	4	—	—	4	2
Materials and tools for manufactures	18	15	13	11	12	12	10	11	12	13	14
Other expenditure	5	5	8	8	7	8	11	11	14	14	14
Met from:											
Parliamentary grant	127	129	128	135	152	164	204	243	258	264	261
Proceeds of sale of manufactures, etc.	13	15	13	13	11	13	12	9	9	9	14

(1) Figures are subject to audit.

Source: Ministry of Home Affairs

Divorce proceedings

TABLE **85**

England and Wales(¹)

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Dissolution of marriage(²)											
Petitions filed(³)	37,637	33,770	29,845	28,347	27,656	27,753	27,210	25,584	25,689	27,870	31,124
On grounds of: Adultery	14,084	13,326	12,299	11,907	11,800	11,795	11,879	11,553	11,719	12,896	13,876
Desertion	18,243	15,133	12,672	11,622	11,031	10,713	9,910	8,880	8,638	9,074	8,820
Cruelty	4,792	4,910	4,528	4,485	4,443	4,912	5,117	4,869	5,020	5,622	5,144
Adultery and desertion	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,395
Adultery and cruelty											717
Desertion and cruelty											752
Adultery, desertion and cruelty											100
Unsound mind	418	284	225	238	211	222	177	188	205	162	147
Presumed decease	83	92	96	66	83	85	94	72	80	89	100
Rape, etc.	17	25	25	29	38	26	33	22	27	27	12
Cruelty and rape, etc.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	61
By husbands	16,265	14,705	13,159	12,708	12,527	12,538	12,400	11,540	11,507	12,109	13,321
By wives	21,372	19,065	16,686	15,639	15,129	15,215	14,810	14,044	14,182	15,761	17,803
Suits disposed of(⁴)	30,419	32,523	29,824	28,091	26,646	26,455	26,085	24,026	24,494	24,531	27,716
Decrees nisi granted	29,936	31,966	29,275	27,353	26,093	25,991	25,489	23,456	24,017	23,989	26,360
Decrees absolute granted	28,265	33,274	29,736	27,471	26,262	25,718	23,323	22,195	23,837	23,369	24,936
Nullity of marriage(⁵)											
Petitions filed	745	797	697	689	658	673	648	655	638	672	781
By husbands	414	464	381	364	357	377	362	365	345	344	417
By wives	331	333	316	325	301	296	286	290	293	328	364
Suits disposed of(⁴)	570	676	618	603	579	581	589	517	557	550	..
Decrees nisi granted	559	655	596	577	556	562	561	496	534	531	506
Decrees absolute granted	502	648	590	556	554	547	462	459	449	499	458
Judicial separation											
Petitions filed	107	119	103	104	130	153	146	158	183	200	200
By husbands	25	23	12	14	19	19	16	12	36	17	23
By wives	82	96	91	90	111	134	130	146	147	183	177
Suits disposed of(⁴)	57	87	68	84	75	91	107	97	109	132	..
Decrees granted	51	77	60	74	65	87	94	88	92	118	124

(¹) Excluding proceedings for restitution of conjugal rights. (²) Excluding petitions in which divorce is asked for in alternative to nullity. (³) In the years preceding 1961, petitions based on two or more grounds were shown only under the first of these grounds. (⁴) Both in and out of Court. From 1961, nullity and judicial separation suits disposed of are included under dissolution of marriage. (⁵) Including cases in which dissolution is asked for in the alternative.

Source: Lord Chancellor's Department

Scotland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Divorce											
Actions in which final judgment given	1,957	2,756	2,420	2,271	2,132	1,951	1,801	1,848	1,742	1,856	1,879
On grounds of: Adultery	728	1,059	920	861	839	811	749	801	790	793	829
Desertion	1,086	1,460	1,265	1,153	1,045	849	766	726	629	675	634
Insanity	22	29	21	14	21	20	17	18	18	14	14
Cruelty	121	208	212	241	227	271	269	303	305	373	401
Sodomy	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
At instance of: Husbands	920	1,256	1,057	996	991	898	842	840	785	786	802
Wives	1,037	1,500	1,363	1,275	1,141	1,053	959	1,008	957	1,070	1,077
Divorce granted	1,927	2,701	2,353	2,200	2,054	1,865	1,723	1,759	1,684	1,804	1,804
Separation											
Actions in which final judgment given	2	9	8	9	3	4	3	4	3	7	6
Separation granted	1	5	4	6	2	2	—	3	2	6	4
Duration of marriages where divorce or separation granted:											
Under 1 year	1	2	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	2
1– 2 years	11	9	17	12	15	10	13	16	14	18	20
2– 5 years	198	250	216	225	236	195	195	210	228	249	270
5–10 years	734	939	769	750	681	586	507	552	527	582	591
10–20 years	701	1,055	914	835	761	760	657	687	616	641	610
20 years and over	283	451	441	383	363	315	350	297	301	318	315
Actions in which there were											
Children of marriage	1,222	1,830	1,674	1,546	1,414	1,348	1,243	1,299	1,141	1,274	1,320
No children	737	935	754	734	721	607	561	553	604	589	565

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Northern Ireland

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Petitions filed											
Nullity of marriage	5	3	10	9	2	7	3	3	4	4	1
Divorce	173	159	169	136	116	115	124	146	118	152	123
Judicial separation	2	2	1	1	2	—	1	1	—	1	2

Source: High Court of Justice

TABLE **86**

Control of intoxicating liquors

Licensed premises and registered clubs

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
England and Wales											
Licences current(1): Total	94,969	95,054	95,038	95,006	94,792	94,406	93,870	93,443	93,026	92,854	92,870
On licences	71,778	71,790	71,674	71,524	71,244	70,875	70,353	69,913	69,455	69,184	68,936
Off licences	23,191	23,264	23,364	23,482	23,548	23,531	23,517	23,530	23,571	23,670	23,934
Premises closed: Total	310	370	445	558	766	1,039	1,173	908	1,136	1,282	1,192
On licences:											
On payment of compensation	48	54	53	46	48	85	86	102	94	55	100
Otherwise	145	186	252	330	499	632	779	564	696	806	734
Off licences	117	130	140	182	219	322	308	242	346	421	358
Premises opened(2): Total	520	388	417	423	552	653	637	481	719	1,110	1,203
On licences	279	179	193	157	267	348	343	226	332	590	586
Off licences	241	209	224	266	285	305	294	255	387	520	622
Registered clubs(3)	19,508	19,903	20,348	20,767	21,164	21,438	21,988	22,567	23,232	23,773	24,418
Scotland											
Applications for grant or renewal	8,379	8,354	8,435	8,532	8,544	8,612	8,687	8,690	8,797	8,971	9,267
Certificates granted or renewed:											
Full	8,061	8,057	8,144	8,205	8,217	8,274	8,344	8,391	8,461	8,620	8,883
Partial	210	211	199	201	192	182	173	165	157	133	128
Granted to:											
Hotels	1,768	1,770	1,800	1,826	1,821	1,846	1,872	1,893	1,942	1,987	2,042
Public houses	4,123	4,111	4,134	4,156	4,162	4,176	4,201	4,181	4,177	4,186	4,191
Off licence premises	2,380	2,387	2,409	2,424	2,426	2,434	2,444	2,482	2,499	2,580	2,778
Registered clubs(4)	944	966	990	1,021	1,056	1,132	1,169	1,219	1,245	1,297	1,343
Northern Ireland											
Licences issued to:											
Retailers: On licences	2,512	2,513	2,495	2,473	2,442	2,454	2,437	2,427	2,410	2,410	2,410
Off licences	123	118	118	119	120	118	120	126	129	132	344
Dealers and manufacturers	232	228	225	226	216	246	232	246	214	216	205
Registered clubs (At 31 December)	113	118	125	135	135	138	139	144	147	148	151

(1) At 30 June. The figures exclude licences suspended and represent premises open for the sale of intoxicating liquor. There were 1,747 suspended licences in 1961.

(2) Excluding provisional grants from 1954.

(3) At 30 June except for clubs registered in the County of London which relate to 31 December before 1954.

(4) Number of applications (including renewals) granted during the year.

Source: Home Office, Scottish Home and Health Department and Ministry of Home Affairs, Northern Ireland

Cinemas: Admissions and distribution of takings(1)

Great Britain

TABLE **87**

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of cinemas reporting(2)	4,542	4,509	4,483	4,391	4,194	3,996	3,643	3,262	2,896
Number of admissions (Millions)	1,285	1,276	1,182	1,101	915	755	601	521	471
Gross box office takings (£ million):									
Total	108·8	110·0	105·8	104·2	92·9	83·4	69·3	65·4	61·8
Entertainments duty	37·4	35·9	33·4	33·9	27·8	15·6	8·0	2·1(3)	—
Payment to the British Film Production Fund	2·7	2·7	2·7	2·7	2·5	3·9	3·8	3·9	4·0
Payments for film hire	24·0	25·0	24·5	23·6	21·5	21·8	19·7	20·2	19·5
Exhibitors' share	44·6	46·4	45·3	44·1	41·0	42·1	37·8	39·3	38·3
Average price of admission (Pence)	20·3	20·7	21·5	22·8	24·4	26·5	27·7	30·3	31·5

(1) The figures in this table before 1959 are derived from quarterly returns from all cinemas known to be operating commercially at any time during the year. From 1959, figures of admissions and box office takings are estimates based on information collected throughout the year relating to a sample of cinemas. Cinemas showing only 16mm. film are excluded throughout. News cinemas are included.

(2) The average number of cinemas during the year.

(3) Duty was abolished in April 1960.

Source: Board of Trade

Cinemas in Great Britain

Regional analysis by size of cinema(¹)

TABLE **88**

At 31 December 1961

	Total	Under 501 seats	501—1,000	1,001—1,500	1,501—2,000	Over 2,000 seats
Number of cinemas						
Great Britain	2,711	570	1,045	607	353	136
Northern	225	50	105	42	19	9
East and West Ridings	238	33	123	51	20	11
North Midland	176	42	67	45	18	4
Eastern	160	49	52	34	22	3
London and South Eastern	435	53	125	97	107	53
Southern	134	31	54	27	17	5
South Western	169	65	58	29	14	3
Wales	253	97	111	30	13	2
Midland	212	29	72	75	30	6
North Western	320	33	138	94	41	14
Scotland	389	88	140	83	52	26
Number of seats (Thousands)						
Great Britain	2,649·0	206·5	780·2	740·5	607·1	314·7
Northern	201·1	17·7	81·0	50·3	31·9	20·3
East and West Ridings	226·0	12·2	93·7	61·3	34·3	24·5
North Midland	160·4	15·2	51·1	53·8	31·5	8·8
Eastern	141·4	17·0	38·0	41·4	38·5	6·5
London and South Eastern	541·7	19·4	92·2	121·1	185·5	123·4
Southern	122·4	11·4	37·6	33·6	28·5	11·3
South Western	134·4	23·4	43·0	36·4	24·6	7·0
Wales	173·0	35·7	74·9	35·9	21·1	5·4
Midland	221·0	9·8	55·3	92·0	50·8	13·0
North Western	337·1	12·9	106·5	114·6	70·1	33·0
Scotland	390·5	31·8	106·9	100·1	90·3	61·4

(¹) Excluding cinemas showing only 16mm. films and 26 cinemas temporarily closed at the end of the year. News cinemas are included.

Source: Board of Trade

Films registered in Great Britain(¹)

TABLE **89**

Years ended 31 March

Number

	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Cinematograph films registered(²):											
Total	1,397	1,276	1,205	1,243	1,102	1,043	1,046	886	924	1,028	1,049
Long	590	566	533	536	465	489	561	474	454	400	450
Short	807	710	672	707	637	554	485	412	470	434	390
Newsreels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	194	209
British films:											
Long	114	117	138	150	110	108	138	121	122	122	117
Short	260	326	294	326	279	267	229	234	303	272	237
Newsreels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	194	209
Foreign films:											
Long	476	449	395	386	355	381	423	353	332	278	333
Short	547	384	378	381	358	287	256	178	167	162	153

(¹) Registered under the Cinematograph Film Acts, 1938 to 1957.

(²) Long films are 3,000 feet and over. Newsreels did not qualify for registration until 1960/61.

Source: Board of Trade

Public libraries(1)

TABLE **90**

Years ended 31 March

	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Books issued by lending libraries(2) (Thousands)	359,700	370,605	386,300	398,730	419,428	431,779	397,000	440,095	441,534
Book stock at end of period (Thousands)	56,056	57,418	61,500	63,400	66,216	68,600	71,000	73,000	75,000
Expenditure (£ thousand):									
Total	11,184	11,804	12,810	13,870	15,906	17,537	18,773	20,496	22,276
On books	2,869	3,002	3,180	3,410	3,863	4,276	4,550	5,054	5,512
Number of full-time staff at end of period(3)	11,730	12,160	12,390	12,700	12,760	12,960	14,127	14,443	14,871

Source : The Library Association

(1) The figures in this table have been partly estimated to cover all rate-supported libraries in the United Kingdom. There were over 40,000 service points at 31 March, 1961. These comprised 548 municipal central libraries and county headquarters, 1,764 full-time branches, 18,776 school libraries and 22,000 other part-time branches, including hospital and prison libraries. In addition there were 287 mobile libraries.

(2) School library issues are included up to 1957/58 and thereafter excluded. In 1960/61 the number of issues, including school library issues, is estimated to be 490,000.

(3) Figures from 1959/60 include part-time staff expressed as an equivalent of full-time staff in hours worked.

Number of electors and number of votes recorded at Parliamentary elections(1)

TABLE **91**

Thousands

	1929	1931	1935	1945	1950	1951	1955	1959
United Kingdom								
Total	28,855	29,952	31,374	33,240	34,412	34,919	34,852	35,397
Men	13,659	14,098	14,801	..	..	..	..	..
Women	15,196	15,855	16,572	..	..	..	..	..
Number of votes recorded	22,648	21,656	21,997	25,095	28,771	28,597	26,760	27,863
England and Wales								
Total	25,096	26,136	27,396	28,992	30,177	30,626	30,591	31,109
Men	11,867	12,289	12,912	..	..	..	..	..
Women	13,229	13,847	14,484	..	..	..	..	..
Number of votes recorded	19,870	19,200	19,195	21,950	25,483	25,356	23,570	24,619
Scotland								
Total	2,984	3,039	3,169	3,407	3,370	3,421	3,388	3,414
Men	1,416	1,435	1,499	..	..	..	..	..
Women	1,569	1,605	1,669	..	..	..	..	..
Number of votes recorded	2,268	2,174	2,351	2,423	2,727	2,778	2,543	2,668
Northern Ireland								
Total	775	777	809	841	865	872	873	875
Men	377	375	391	..	..	..	..	..
Women	398	402	418	..	..	..	..	..
Number of votes recorded	510	282	451	722	561	463	647	576

(1) Number of votes recorded applies only to voting for contested seats.

Source : Home Office and Scottish Home and Health Department

IV. EDUCATION

The following notes explain some of the terms in common use in the series of tables on schools:

(*a*) As a result of the Education Act, 1944 and the Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947 the " elementary school " and the term " elementary education " have ceased to exist in England and Wales and Northern Ireland. Under the provisions of these Acts, education is divided into three stages :

Primary education (up to the age of 11 or 12)

Secondary education (from 11 or 12 until the pupil leaves school)

Further education (all education and training provided after full-time schooling ends).

Under the Act of 1944 secondary education is provided, broadly speaking, in three different types of school—the secondary modern, secondary grammar and secondary technical schools. Certain schools are still organised with single departments containing children of both primary and secondary ages. Such schools, not yet re-organised into separate primary or secondary schools are known as " all-age schools ". For convenience, they have been arranged under the " primary " heading in the tables.

The terms " primary " and " secondary " were already in use in Scotland before the introduction of the Education (Scotland) Act of 1946. Scotland has not adopted the classification of secondary schools into three types as in England and Wales, but corresponding provision for all types of secondary courses is made. At individual schools one or other type of secondary course may predominate.

In Northern Ireland, from 1st April, 1948, the three types of secondary schools are called secondary intermediate, technical intermediate and grammar schools.

(*b*) Special schools, either day or residential, provide education exclusively for children who are so severely handicapped physically or mentally as to prevent their profiting fully from education in normal primary and secondary schools.

(*c*) "Grant-aided" schools in England and Wales fall into two categories :

Those maintained by local education authorities whose expenditure on the education service is taken into account in the assessment of general grant under the Local Government Act, 1958;

and " direct grant " schools for which grant is payable by the Education Department direct to the governors or managers of the schools themselves.

In Scotland, the term "grant-aided" is applied only to the latter category. Schools under the management of education authorities are termed "public" schools.

(*d*) Schools " recognised as efficient " are schools in England and Wales which are not grant-aided, but which have sought and obtained recognition by the Ministry of Education after inspection by Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

Educational building. The method of calculation of the number of new places provided differs in England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

In England and Wales (Table 104) the figures refer to the number of pupils for which new school accommodation is designed.

In Scotland (Table 111) the figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms. This sum will normally exceed the number of pupils for which accommodation is designed.

In Northern Ireland (Table 119) the figures shown refer to the maximum intended number of pupil places.

Summary tables: Schools

England and Wales

TABLE **92**

At January in each year

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total child population (Thousands) (¹)										
Aged 2–4	2,287	2,116	2,025	1,973	1,968	1,970	1,960	1,984	2,031	2,108
Aged 5–14	6,137	6,393	6,540	6,683	6,799	6,909	6,939	6,959	6,910	6,932
Aged 15–18	2,214	2,249	2,274	2,273	2,255	2,230	2,257	2,318	2,469	2,565
All schools (²):										
Schools or departments	30,694	30,976	31,244	31,567	31,774	31,988	35,197	35,047	34,938	34,683
Pupils on registers:										
Total	6,367,198	6,617,268	6,795,262	6,947,787	7,092,924	7,233,975	7,532,326	7,589,791	7,619,814	7,657,566
Aged 2–4	203,805	178,924	177,057	181,930	185,608	193,728	210,622	205,717	219,139	227,137
Aged 5–14	5,874,463	6,135,787	6,301,746	6,436,683	6,569,904	6,691,378	6,921,347	6,938,885	6,899,514	6,926,158
Aged 15 and over	288,930	302,557	316,459	329,174	337,412	348,869	400,357	445,189	501,161	504,271
Full-time teachers	247,197	253,560	260,186	268,487	275,546	283,525	301,283	306,631	312,399	318,120
Pupils in grant-aided schools:										
Total	6,132,334	6,373,096	6,545,815	6,688,840	6,824,870	6,954,934	7,027,156	7,093,734	7,123,007	7,162,125
Aged 2–4	200,062	175,160	173,602	178,157	181,671	189,531	190,383	186,252	198,744	204,312
Aged 5–14	5,694,680	5,949,479	6,112,195	6,239,497	6,364,089	6,473,730	6,509,374	6,541,661	6,508,055	6,536,577
Aged 15 and over	237,592	248,457	260,018	271,186	279,110	291,673	327,399	365,821	416,208	421,236
Percentage of children attending grant-aided schools:										
Aged 2–4	*8·7*	*8·3*	*8·6*	*9·0*	*9·2*	*9·6*	*9·7*	*9·4*	*9·8*	*9·7*
Aged 5–14	*92·8*	*93·1*	*93·5*	*93·4*	*93·6*	*93·7*	*93·9*	*94·0*	*94·2*	*94·3*
Aged 15 and over (³)	*10·7*	*11·1*	*11·4*	*11·9*	*12·4*	*13·1*	*14·6*	*15·8*	*16·9*	*16·4*

(¹) Estimates provided by the Registrar General.
(²) Excluding other independent schools in 1957 and earlier years.
(³) As a percentage of the age group 15–18.

Source: Ministry of Education

Scotland

At 15 January in each year(¹)

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Pupils on registers of public and grant-aided schools:										
Total	812,669	833,280	829,916	839,745	849,335	858,223	860,060	867,296	880,414	886,918
Aged 2–4(²)	22,211	19,023	7,937	8,037	8,144	8,110	6,738	6,715	6,973	7,461
Aged 5–14(²)	764,883	787,867	792,987	801,304	810,158	817,199	817,681	820,659	828,779	835,745
Aged 15–18(²)	25,575	26,390	28,992	30,404	31,033	32,914	35,641	39,922	44,662	43,712
Percentage of children attending public and grant-aided schools:										
Aged 2–4	*7·8*	*7·1*	*3·1*	*3·1*	*3·2*	*3·1*	*2·6*	*2·5*	*2·6*	*2·7*
Aged 5–14	*96·0*	*95·7*	*95·1*	*95·0*	*95·3*	*95·6*	*95·4*	*95·6*	*96·2*	*96·1*
Aged 15–18	*8·7*	*8·5*	*9·5*	*9·9*	*10·2*	*10·9*	*11·8*	*13·1*	*14·4*	*14·3*
Public and grant-aided primary and secondary schools or departments (including nursery, but excluding special schools):										
Schools	3,816	3,801	3,754	3,755	3,758	3,760	3,765	3,758	3,767	3,704
Pupils on registers	802,379	822,942	819,840	829,628	839,069	848,036	849,826	857,087	870,123	876,493
Full-time teachers	33,374	34,108	34,521	34,792	35,200	35,709	35,989	37,007	37,640	38,257
Public and grant-aided special schools:										
Schools	92	81	81	88	95	104	110	116	116	122
Pupils	10,290	10,338	10,076	10,117	10,266	10,187	10,234	10,209	10,291	10,425

(¹) At 31 March in 1952 and 1953, except for "Full-time teachers" which are at 1 October in each year.
(²) At 31 December of the previous year.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Pupils in schools: all schools

England and Wales

TABLE 93

At January in each year

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All schools										
Total	6,367,198	6,617,268	6,795,262	6,947,787	7,092,924	7,233,975	7,532,326	7,589,791	7,619,814	7,657,566
Aged 15 and over	288,930	302,557	316,459	329,174	337,412	348,869	400,357	445,189	501,161	504,271
In maintained primary and secondary schools (other than special):										
Total	5,992,476	6,228,660	6,398,451	6,538,803	6,672,408	6,799,483	6,861,671	6,922,933	6,946,038	6,982,836
Aged 15 and over	208,569	218,177	228,476	238,643	245,810	258,101	290,223	326,565	373,634	379,039
In direct grant schools (other than special):										
Total	88,267	90,061	90,970	92,003	93,287	95,034	103,360	106,560	111,019	112,426
Aged 15 and over	24,680	25,885	26,822	27,578	28,149	28,543	31,849	33,623	36,503	36,535
In special schools:										
Total	51,591	54,375	56,394	58,034	59,175	60,417	62,125	64,241	65,950	66,863
Aged 15 and over	4,343	4,395	4,720	4,965	5,151	5,029	5,327	5,633	6,071	5,662
In independent schools recognised as efficient:										
Total	234,864	244,172	249,447	258,947	268,054	279,041	281,394	288,151	294,286	300,569
Aged 15 and over	51,338	54,100	56,441	57,988	58,302	57,196	58,522	63,044	67,498	66,811
In other independent schools										
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	223,776	207,906	202,521	194,872
Aged 15 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,436	16,324	17,455	16,224

Source: Ministry of Education

Pupils in schools: maintained primary and secondary schools(¹)

England and Wales

TABLE 94

At January in each year

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All schools or departments										
Pupils on registers	5,970,012	6,205,988	6,375,815	6,515,676	6,649,086	6,776,549	6,839,478	6,901,187	6,924,281	6,961,517
Full-time teachers	220,962	226,618	232,699	240,345	246,772	253,814	258,186	263,803	269,178	274,564
Pupils per full-time teacher	27·0	27·4	27·4	27·1	26·9	26·7	26·5	26·2	25·7	25·4
Infant and junior classes:										
Pupils on registers	3,947,299	4,193,537	4,337,769	4,402,110	4,404,635	4,418,071	4,363,252	4,184,231	4,098,651	4,046,008
Full-time teachers	126,300	130,800	135,200	139,800	142,007	143,606	142,669	139,584	138,123	137,710
Pupils per full-time teacher	31·2	32·1	32·1	31·5	31·0	30·8	30·6	30·0	29·7	29·4
Classes: Total	112,702	117,464	121,706	125,762	127,813	129,269	128,845	126,514	125,459	125,120
1-30 pupils	33,195	31,434	32,535	35,893	38,628	40,188	40,989	43,249	44,641	46,016
31-40 pupils	44,344	45,984	48,724	52,858	55,596	57,174	58,670	60,337	60,752	61,039
41-50 pupils	33,983	38,716	39,302	36,094	32,968	31,349	28,753	22,740	19,928	17,936
51 or more pupils	1,180	1,330	1,145	917	621	558	433	188	138	129
Senior classes:(²)										
Pupils on registers	2,022,713	2,012,451	2,038,046	2,113,566	2,244,451	2,358,478	2,476,226	2,716,956	2,825,630	2,915,509
Full-time teachers	94,600	95,900	97,500	100,600	104,765	110,208	115,517	124,219	131,055	136,854
Pupils per full-time teacher	21·4	21·0	20·9	21·0	21·4	21·4	21·4	21·9	21·6	21·3
Classes: Total	67,836	68,047	69,114	71,300	74,771	78,449	82,499	89,393	94,168	98,032
1-30 pupils	33,820	35,114	35,767	36,052	35,831	37,313	38,996	40,189	43,784	46,786
31-40 pupils	30,153	29,777	30,043	31,514	34,759	37,021	39,846	44,907	46,674	48,199
41-50 pupils	3,803	3,106	3,260	3,698	4,117	4,059	3,614	4,234	3,645	2,972
51 or more pupils	60	50	44	36	64	56	43	63	65	75

Source: Ministry of Education

(¹) Excluding nursery and special schools.
(²) Some large classes are composed of pupils grouped together for registration, but divided for instructional purposes.

Further education

England and Wales

Further education establishments(1)

TABLE 95

Academic years

	1954–55	1955–56	1956–57	1957–58	1958–59	1959–60	1960–61	1961–62
Number of establishments								
Total	9,886	9,872	9,320	9,036	8,938	8,884	8,237	8,244
National colleges	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5
Colleges of Advanced Technology	. .	. .	8	8	8	8	9	9
Regional colleges	. .	. .	22	22	22	22	21	21
Art establishments	192	192	187	181	181	174	172	172
Other major establishments	550	555	525	520	558	551	548	558
Evening institutes	9,138	9,119	8,572	8,299	8,163	8,123	7,482	7,479
Number of students (Thousands)								
Full-time:								
Total	53·8	56·5	62·7	72·6	91·0	98·2	106·2	119·2
Aged 15–17	29·6	31·7	35·1	40·1	49·3	56·9	61·0	70·4
Aged 18–20	13·3	13·8	15·7	17·5	19·7	21·0	23·7	26·1
Advanced courses (all ages)	8·42	8·76	9·32	10·44	13·37	14·84	16·68	21·34
Sandwich:								
Total	1·4	2·3	4·0	6·5	8·5	10·0	11·3	12·9
Aged 15–17	0·1	0·1	0·3	0·4	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·7
Aged 18–20	0·7	1·2	2·0	3·3	4·5	5·0	5·5	6·3
Advanced courses (all ages)	1·24	2·03	3·62	5·84	7·57	8·93	10·09	11·35
Part-time day:								
Total (2)	361·2	390·5	421·8	437·0	443·6	452·3	487·8	556·0
Aged 15–17	175·1	183·0	189·8	187·3	190·0	194·5	212·8	259·3
Aged 18–20	108·1	120·4	135·3	146·0	148·8	150·2	158·7	167·2
Advanced courses (all ages)	27·11	30·57	34·50	37·59	37·36	38·88	42·12	47·95
Evening:								
Major establishments:								
Total	576·1	633·8	635·0	633·1	684·8	687·3	713·1	783·7
Aged 15–17	96·9	103·2	103·0	100·8	123·5	133·8	137·0	152·7
Aged 18–20	104·4	112·8	116·2	121·2	121·3	119·9	125·1	133·6
Advanced courses (all ages)	. .	. .	. .	. .	31·36	30·82	35·37	45·93
Evening Institutes:								
Total	821·7	837·7	780·8	777·0	795·7	808·1	877·0	962·6
Aged 15–17	233·5	238·6	231·9	237·3	242·6	244·7	257·6	265·7
Aged 18–20	70·1	71·7	74·2	77·8	82·0	82·6	92·1	95·9
Students aged 15–17 as percentage of 15–17 age group:								
Full-time	*1·7*	*1·9*	*2·1*	*2·4*	*2·8*	*2·9*	*3·1*	*3·4*
Sandwich	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Part-time day	*10·3*	*10·8*	*11·5*	*11·1*	*10·7*	*10·1*	*10·9*	*12·4*
Evening:								
Major establishments	*5·7*	*6·1*	*6·2*	*6·0*	*7·0*	*6·9*	*7·0*	*7·3*
Evening institutes	*13·7*	*14·1*	*14·0*	*14·1*	*13·7*	*12·7*	*13·2*	*12·7*
Students aged 18–20 as percentage of 18–20 age group:								
Full-time	*0·8*	*0·8*	*0·9*	*1·0*	*1·2*	*1·3*	*1·4*	*1·5*
Sandwich	—	*0·1*	*0·1*	*0·2*	*0·3*	*0·3*	*0·3*	*0·4*
Part-time day	*6·4*	*7·1*	*7·9*	*8·5*	*8·8*	*9·0*	*9·3*	*9·4*
Evening:								
Major establishments	*6·2*	*6·7*	*6·8*	*7·0*	*7·1*	*7·2*	*7·3*	*7·5*
Evening institutes	*4·2*	*4·2*	*4·3*	*4·5*	*4·8*	*4·9*	*5·4*	*5·4*
Students following advanced courses (Thousands):								
Total	36·77	41·36	47·44	53·87	89·66	93·47	104·26	126·57
First degree	7·49	6·71	6·61	6·97	9·58	9·34	9·35	9·48
Diploma in Technology	—	—	0·31	1·33	2·60	3·75	4·92	6·04
Higher National Certificate/Higher National Diploma	18·58	22·60	25·23	28·64	44·93	46·75	47·85	51·97
Other advanced	10·70	12·05	15·29	16·93	32·55	33·63	42·14	59·08

Adult education (3)

Years ended 31 July

Number

	Courses						Registered students					
	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Tutorial classes	875	868	817	785	762	742	13,705	13,303	12,477	12,206	12,140	12,088
Sessional courses	1,649	1,662	1,740	1,741	1,863	1,884	28,013	28,483	29,165	29,491	31,044	31,642
Terminal courses	2,127	2,172	2,074	2,205	2,232	2,230	37,116	37,356	34,414	36,012	37,439	37,095
Training courses	44	11	15	17	36	14	1,552	204	415	473	761	277
Residential courses	396	359	351	416	526	528	9,186	10,621	10,364	12,398	15,498	15,250
Other courses	2,824	3,032	2,944	3,159	3,331	3,418	68,937	75,068	72,776	80,110	83,493	83,046

(1) Maintained or assisted by local education authorities or in receipt of direct grant from the Ministry of Education.

(2) Including students released by employers during working hours. In the educational year 1960–61, up to 1 March, these numbered 410,213 male and 71,570 female students.

(3) Courses organised by university extra-mural departments and certain voluntary bodies. Direct grant is paid by the Ministry of Education.

Source: Ministry of Education

Teachers in full-time service in all grant-aided schools and establishments

England and Wales

TABLE 96

At 31 March in each year

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Men and women										
Total(1)	243,262	249,737	256,506	264,319	271,620	280,841	287,415	295,000	304,046	312,251
Maintained primary and secondary schools	219,896	225,463	231,210	237,876	244,168	251,706	255,988	261,539	267,551	272,804
Men										
Total(1)	98,771	101,350	104,136	107,196	109,944	114,540	119,304	125,227	131,663	137,817
In maintained schools and establishments:										
Total	96,170	98,594	101,316	104,276	106,951	111,416	115,846	121,565	127,798	133,720
Primary and secondary schools	84,794	86,628	88,579	90,693	92,640	95,842	98,733	102,789	106,822	110,545
Special schools	1,019	1,091	1,224	1,307	1,367	1,500	1,588	1,697	1,822	1,914
Training colleges	375	380	376	384	383	423	452	505	659	830
Establishments for further education	7,549	8,178	8,832	9,581	10,336	11,528	12,893	14,453	16,621	18,572
Other	2,433	2,317	2,305	2,311	2,225	2,123	2,180	2,121	1,874	1,859
In direct grant schools and establishments:										
Total	2,579	2,756	2,820	2,920	2,993	3,124	3,458	3,662	3,865	4,097
Grammar schools	1,841	1,914	1,971	2,049	2,097	2,168	2,456	2,608	2,714	2,835
Other	738	842	849	871	896	956	1,002	1,054	1,151	1,262
Women										
Total(1)	144,491	148,387	152,370	157,123	161,676	166,301	168,111	169,773	172,383	174,434
In maintained schools and establishments:										
Total	140,836	144,666	148,582	153,280	157,859	162,377	164,056	165,688	168,070	170,077
Primary and secondary schools	135,102	138,835	142,631	147,183	151,528	155,864	157,255	158,750	160,729	162,259
Special schools	1,918	1,969	2,055	2,126	2,174	2,263	2,362	2,442	2,519	2,627
Training colleges	1,012	1,042	1,048	1,038	1,046	1,059	1,071	1,073	1,107	1,210
Establishments for further education	1,517	1,604	1,670	1,762	1,910	2,046	2,189	2,376	2,725	3,053
Other	1,287	1,216	1,178	1,171	1,201	1,145	1,179	1,047	990	928
In direct grant schools and establishments:										
Total	3,625	3,721	3,788	3,843	3,817	3,924	4,055	4,085	4,313	4,357
Grammar schools	2,475	2,526	2,570	2,603	2,609	2,685	2,805	2,814	2,988	3,046
Other	1,150	1,195	1,218	1,240	1,208	1,239	1,250	1,271	1,325	1,311

(1) Excluding, in 1952, 22 men and 30 women for whom full particulars were not available. Most of these were employed in primary and secondary schools.

Source: Ministry of Education

Teachers in full-time service in maintained primary and secondary schools(¹)

Classified by qualifications
England and Wales
At 31 March in each year

TABLE **97**

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Men and women										
Total	219,896	225,463	231,210	237,876	244,168	251,706	255,988	261,539	267,551	272,804
Qualified teachers	214,954	220,728	226,466	232,908	238,948	246,045	250,368	255,212	261,215	266,502
Other teachers	4,942	4,735	4,744	4,968	5,220	5,661	5,620	6,327	6,336	6,302
Men										
Total	84,794	86,628	88,579	90,693	92,640	95,842	98,733	102,789	106,822	110,545
Qualified teachers:										
Total	84,523	86,410	88,350	90,429	92,364	95,483	98,179	101,442	105,292	109,139
Graduates:										
Trained(²)	16,011	16,983	17,909	18,728	19,369	20,289	21,276	22,416	23,510	24,490
Not trained	4,769	4,880	5,096	5,339	5,661	6,269	6,896	7,651	8,528	9,147
Graduate equivalent(³):										
Trained(²)	216	365	542	724	872	1,051	1,203	1,367	1,507	1,686
Not trained	401	418	465	478	512	538	577	641	671	685
Qualified by long service	431	406	387	381	365	355	344	328	307	281
Other:										
Trained(²)	58,078	58,790	59,415	60,238	60,933	62,075	62,700	63,489	64,733	66,381
Not trained	4,617	4,568	4,536	4,541	4,652	4,906	5,183	5,550	6,036	6,469
Other teachers:										
Total	271	218	229	264	276	359	554	1,347	1,530	1,406
Former uncertificated teachers	11	10	8	10	10	10	10	12	10	10
Other (including temporary)	260	208	221	254	266	349	544	1,335	1,520	1,396
Women										
Total	135,102	138,835	142,631	147,183	151,528	155,864	157,255	158,750	160,729	162,259
Qualified teachers:										
Total	130,431	134,318	138,116	142,479	146,584	150,562	152,189	153,770	155,923	157,363
Graduates:										
Trained(²)	11,865	12,207	12,733	13,279	13,780	14,086	14,218	14,436	14,591	14,702
Not trained	2,816	2,887	3,042	3,255	3,570	4,028	4,406	4,841	5,393	5,709
Graduate equivalent(³):										
Trained(²)	249	330	465	572	677	742	810	878	888	937
Not trained	502	535	569	634	704	781	832	900	942	953
Qualified by long service	9,222	8,730	8,197	7,587	7,261	6,218	6,606	6,054	5,617	5,170
Other:										
Trained(²)	99,524	103,619	107,352	111,299	114,760	117,922	119,363	120,832	122,651	123,999
Not trained	6,253	6,010	5,758	5,853	5,832	6,785	5,954	5,829	5,841	5,893
Other teachers:										
Total	4,671	4,517	4,515	4,704	4,944	5,302	5,066	4,980	4,806	4,896
Supplementary teachers	1,632	1,540	1,425	1,330	1,263	1,191	1,112	1,008	908	837
Former uncertificated teachers	1,902	1,930	2,045	2,204	2,315	2,423	2,402	2,435	2,498	2,529
Other (including temporary)	1,137	1,047	1,045	1,170	1,366	1,688	1,552	1,537	1,400	1,530

Source: Ministry of Education

(¹) Excluding special schools.
(²) For the purposes of this table trained teachers are those trained in England and Wales under the Training of Teachers Regulations and awarded qualified teacher status by an area training organisation.
(³) Teachers with special qualifications who are treated as graduates for salary purposes.

Training of teachers

England and Wales

University departments of education and training colleges: Students in courses of initial training

TABLE 98

Academic years

Number

	1952–53	1953–54	1954–55	1955–56	1956–57	1957–58	1958–59	1959–60	1960–61	1961–62
Men										
Postgraduate										
In university departments of education	1,636	1,463	1,370	1,272	1,366	1,571	1,648	1,937	1,881	1,928
In training colleges	135	110	91	76	96	117	144	113	83	130
Four-year combined degree and training	—	—	—	—	31	100	206	283	296	427
General										
One-year(1)										
In university departments of education	—	—	3	11	18	9	8	5	11	7
In training colleges	103	102	75	44	35	65	107	151	175	143
Two-year	4,647	4,716	4,929	5,062	5,135	5,579	6,278	7,406	4,641	966
Three-year	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,045	8,007
One-year specialist										
Art	265	239	195	206	177	195	185	209	232	249
Technical	211	195	195	217	238	274	368	386	425	424
Other(1)										
In university departments of education	..	..	..	—	1	2	1	26	23	28
In training colleges	..	..	..	31	30	32	38	55	68	109
All men students										
In university departments of education	1,636	1,463	1,373	1,283	1,385	1,582	1,657	1,968	1,915	1,963
In training colleges	5,361	5,362	5,485	5,636	5,742	6,362	7,326	8,603	9,965	10,455
Total	6,997	6,825	6,858	6,919	7,127	7,944	8,983	10,571	11,880	12,418
Women										
Postgraduate										
In university departments of education	1,116	1,103	1,144	1,100	1,108	1,055	1,124	1,249	1,256	1,227
In training colleges	134	132	113	134	123	159	196	201	213	210
Four-year combined degree and training	—	—	—	—	—	6	22	52	65	130
General										
One-year(1)										
In university departments of education	—	—	2	13	18	7	6	6	10	6
In training colleges	154	127	95	45	68	66	105	123	74	63
Two-year	15,289	15,303	15,659	15,974	16,452	17,109	17,810	18,549	10,288	1,183
Three-year	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,962	18,318
One year specialist										
Art	239	208	243	223	225	218	232	220	255	239
Technical	67	64	68	64	92	88	79	97	100	89
Other(1)										
In university departments of education	..	..	..	—	1	—	2	43	36	39
In training colleges	..	..	..	27	15	36	41	50	70	54
Three-year specialist										
Housecraft	1,974	2,070	2,134	2,208	2,282	2,375	2,420	2,418	2,433	2,472
Physical education	848	851	877	902	939	979	1,000	1,056	1,149	1,210
All women students										
In university departments of education	1,116	1,103	1,146	1,113	1,127	1,062	1,132	1,298	1,302	1,272
In training colleges	18,705	18,755	19,189	19,577	20,196	21,036	21,905	22,766	23,609	23,968
Total	19,821	19,858	20,335	20,690	21,323	22,098	23,037	24,064	24,911	25,240
All students										
In university departments of education	2,752	2,566	2,519	2,396	2,512	2,644	2,789	3,266	3,217	3,235
In training colleges	24,066	24,117	24,674	25,213	25,938	27,398	29,231	31,369	33,574	34,423
Total	26,818	26,683	27,193	27,609	28,450	30,042	32,020	34,635	36,791	37,658

(1) Separate figures for students following one-year specialist (other than technical and art) courses are not available prior to 1955–56. For earlier years these students have been included with those following one-year general courses.

Source: Ministry of Education

Training of teachers

England and Wales

University departments of education and training colleges: Students successfully completing courses of initial training

TABLE 99

Academic years

Number

	1951–52	1952–53	1953–54	1954–55	1955–56	1956–57	1957–58	1958–59	1959–60	1960–61
Men:										
Total	4,544	4,410	4,258	4,094	4,175	4,295	4,664	5,080	6,009	6,639
Two-year students	2,084	2,188	2,224	2,272	2,415	2,360	2,487	2,691	3,211	3,847
Four year combined degree and training	—	—	—	—	—	10	14	15	50	—
One-year students:										
Postgraduate or equivalent	1,905	1,684	1,520	1,378	1,263	1,432	1,612	1,721	1,963	1,903
Art	322	234	224	180	196	180	183	175	200	217
Technical	182	202	190	184	211	232	261	332	363	427
Other(1)	51	102	100	80	90	81	107	146	222	245
Women:										
Total	9,464	9,686	9,554	9,909	9,990	10,259	10,567	10,954	11,613	11,961
Two-year students	7,107	7,205	7,116	7,361	7,564	7,697	8,006	8,212	8,603	8,994
Four year combined degree and training	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
One-year students:										
Postgraduate or equivalent	1,135	1,223	1,222	1,214	1,161	1,182	1,170	1,288	1,403	1,411
Art	230	230	191	234	211	218	209	216	213	238
Technical	53	68	61	67	59	88	85	75	90	96
Other(1)	54	145	128	103	91	88	110	135	196	186
Domestic subjects students	618	569	559	660	652	691	694	733	783	730
Physical education students	267	246	277	270	252	295	293	295	325	303

(1) Courses of general or specialist training.

Source: Ministry of Education

Awards

England and Wales

Scholarship awards offered by the Ministry of Education(1)

TABLE 100

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	3,880	4,310	4,238	4,119	4,003	4,373	4,033	4,373	4,576	4,600
State scholarships:										
School examination(2)	2,403	2,700	2,525	2,410	2,249	2,324	2,015	2,366	2,530	2,414
University examination(3)	1,172	1,444	1,561	1,557	1,575	1,471	1,441	1,417	1,457	1,616
Technical	120	120	121	120	152	258	254	271	252	247
Mature students	30	30	30	30	27	32	25	27	27	25
State studentships	—	—	—	—	—	288	298	292	310	298

Awards made by local education authorities during academic year

Years ended 31 July

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of new awards taken up	18,457	17,386	19,383	20,092	23,307	25,865	28,584	31,662	32,918	36,743
Number of current awards	42,380	44,783	47,241	49,365	54,293	60,350	66,998	74,525	80,262	86,335
Value of current awards (£ thousand)	6,888	7,575	8,230	8,753	10,678	11,830	13,136	16,532	17,771	18,708
Universities, university colleges and university departments of education(4):										
Number of new awards taken up	10,746	10,034	10,218	11,174	12,995	14,474	15,675	16,451	16,592	18,147
Number of current awards	26,816	29,250	30,721	32,261	35,479	39,495	43,658	47,365	50,032	52,322
Value of current awards (£ thousand)	5,170	5,806	6,329	6,726	8,187	8,987	9,883	12,310	13,005	13,391
Establishments for further education:										
Number of new awards	7,711	7,352	9,165	8,918	10,312	11,391	12,909	15,211	16,326	18,596
Number of current awards	15,564	15,533	16,520	17,104	18,814	20,855	23,340	27,160	30,230	34,013
Value of current awards (£ thousand)	1,718	1,769	1,901	2,027	2,491	2,843	3,253	4,222	4,766	5,317

Source: Ministry of Education

(1) Awards made to students to enable them to pursue courses of study at universities and other institutions of further education. Some of these awards are refused and not all of them are taken up in the year in which the award is made.

(2) Scholarships offered on results of General Certificate of Education.

(3) Offered to holders of university awards.

(4) From 1956 no awards have been made by local education authorities to students in university departments of education.

School meals and milk

England and Wales

TABLE **101**

On a selected day in autumn each year

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957(1)	1958	1959	1960	1961
Meals(2)										
Day pupils present	5,761	5,948	6,109	6,246	6,386	6,205	6,471	6,507	6,499	6,584
Day pupils taking dinners	2,956	2,680	2,795	3,018	3,059	2,847	3,093	3,232	3,408	3,560
Percentage taking dinners	*51·3*	*45·1*	*45·8*	*48·3*	*47·9*	*45·9*	*47·8*	*49·7*	*52·4*	*54·1*
Milk(3)										
Day pupils and boarders present	5,863	6,052	6,214	6,354	6,989	6,724	7,093	7,132	7,117	7,204
Day pupils and boarders taking milk	4,938	5,126	5,253	5,379	5,843	5,607	5,954	5,969	5,832	5,927
Percentage taking milk	*84·2*	*84·7*	*84·5*	*84·7*	*83·6*	*83·4*	*83·9*	*83·7*	*81·9*	*82·3*

(1) The figures reflect low attendance in many areas owing to the influenza epidemic.
(2) Maintained primary and secondary schools, nursery schools and day special schools.
(3) Maintained primary and secondary schools, (including nursery schools and day special schools), direct grant schools and independent schools taking part in "Milk in Schools Scheme."

Source: Ministry of Education

School meals: Gross cost per meal

England and Wales

TABLE **102**

Years ended 31 March

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Dinners served (Thousands)	596,176	549,352	575,783	610,190	643,940	595,603	620,307	684,791	689,011
Gross cost per meal (Pence):									
Total	16·64	17·82	18·57	19·71	21·05	22·91	23·30	22·72	23·69
Food	7·82	8·20	8·70	9·15	9·16	9·52	9·61	9·53	9·51
Overheads:									
Total	8·82	9·62	9·87	10·56	11·89	13·39	13·69	13·19	14·18
Salaries and wages	6·43	6·93	6·99	7·48	7·98	9·08	9·31	8·92	9·66
Other	2·39	2·69	2·88	3·08	3·91	4·31	4·38	4·27	4·52

Source: Ministry of Education

School health service in maintained schools

Pupils inspected and treated

England and Wales

TABLE **103**

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Medical inspection and treatment:										
Pupils inspected in routine medical inspections(1)	1,889	1,989	2,068	2,140	2,132	2,150	2,113	2,080	2,139	2,112
Special inspections and re-inspections(2)	2,531	2,491	2,389	2,534	2,215	2,130	2,034	1,853	1,745	1,762
Defects treated or under treatment:										
Defective vision and squint	491	516	533	540	552	556	560	553	560	560
Defects of ear, nose and throat	218	215	211	204	178	173	146	164	159	149
Orthopaedic and postural defects	140	136	130	137	126	119	121	128	129	121
Child guidance treatment	25	27	28	30	31	31	32	35	36	40
Speech therapy	28	34	40	45	48	46	49	52	56	58
Minor ailments(3)	1,147	1,088	1,037	1,004	934	615	645	634	605	604
Dental inspection and treatment:										
Pupils inspected(1)	2,446	2,788	3,194	3,391	3,489	3,524	3.434	3,570	3,595	3,722
Pupils found to require treatment	1,729	1,897	2,192	2,343	2,419	2,429	2,324	2,403	2,381	2,420
Pupils treated	1,249	1,382	1,494	1,532	1,488	1,424	1,350	1,343	1,601	1,254

(1) No child is included more than once in the figures for any one year.
(2) The same child may be included more than once in any one year.
(3) Reclassified in 1956.

Source: Ministry of Education

TABLE 104

Educational building(1)

England and Wales

	1945 to 1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
New school places							
Number of new places brought into use:							
Total	1,533,725	238,170	280,425	294,910	246,075	216,830	203,615
Primary	933,340	107,595	117,855	98,080	86,810	83,305	91,035
Secondary	600,385(2)	130,575	162,570	196,830	159,265	133,525	112,580
Approvals and progress (£ thousand)							
Value of projects approved(3)	467,988	86,739	88,616	74,869	76,322	101,246	121,878
Primary and secondary	375,268(2)	70,822	67,420	51,842	52,123	64,639	91,398
Further education	44,087	9,645	14,063	17,521	17,251	18,215	17,811
Training of teachers	11,176(4)	570	1,742	969	2 527	14,848	8,433
Special schools and school health	8,415	2,463	1,512	1,397	1,775	2,613	3,722
School meals(5)	16,488	789	559	1,128	1,154	661	..
Other(6)	12,554	2,450	3,320	2,012	1,492	270	514
Value of projects under construction (end of period)	131,094	152,823	154,419	127,676	119,641	136,534	175,034
Value of projects completed	322,260	68,749	88,330	98,656	85,374	80,978	78,982

Source: Ministry of Education

(1) Excluding building work wholly financed from private sources.

(2) Including hutting operation for the raising of the school leaving age (H.O.R.S.A.) which provided 167,880 places from 1 April 1945 to 1 February 1952.

(3) Including projects not requiring the specific approval of the Minister of Education.

(4) Including work on Emergency Training Colleges, estimated to cost £1,132,000. This work was started mainly in 1946 without formal approval of estimates.

(5) As from 1 April 1960, the cost of school meals projects has not been seperately recorded. The value of such projects has been included as appropriate under "Primary and secondary" or "Special schools and school health".

(6) Minor works for which no analysis between type of project is available.

TABLE 105

Finance of local education authorities(1)

England and Wales

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962(2)
Receipts from:											
Specific Exchequer grants	185,598	204,150	214,061	238,198	262,706	306,305	338,426	364,745	.. (3)	.. (3)	.. (3)
Rates, etc	114,749	123,308	130,088	143,362	155,064	182,144	205,557	223,362	.. (3)	.. (3)	.. (3)
Net expenditure:											
All services	300,347	327,458	344,149	381,560	417,770	488,449	543,983	588,107	651,573	704,554	777,449
Primary (including nursery) schools	101,523	110,115	115,301	127,819	135,922	160,201	174,551	178,679	190,321	197,387	210,901
Secondary schools	73,596	78,861	83,443	93,002	103,346	129,551	149,848	166,152	190,409	209,407	226,268
Special schools	4,571	5,228	5,611	6,277	6,801	8,079	9,066	9,737	10,651	11,420	12,562
Further education(4)	18,474	19,997	21,592	23,819	27,133	33,499	39,323	44,304	52,857	60,620	70,053
Training of teachers (including emergency scheme)	4,516	4,871	4,999	5,377	7,398	8,878	9,909	10,868	11,297	12,759	15,434
Medical inspection and treatment	6,340	6,916	7,409	7,920	8,860	9,780	10,303	10,915	12,045	12,735	14,063
Aid to pupils	12,995	14,466	15,675	16,604	18,215	20,417	22,763	26,309	28,973	31,002	36,104
Administration and inspection(5)	13,906	14,477	14,913	15,935	15,623	17,412	18,854	20,317	21,952	24,852	26,010
Loan charges(6)	11,886	15,119	18,550	21,773	25,869	31,540	39,329	45,792	52,823	59,611	69,743
Milk in schools	8,477	9,694	10,288	10,528	10,957	11,215	11,696	11,465	11,893	11,160	11,993
School meals	24,458	27,826	25,301	29,326	34,291	38,714	36,741	39,776	41,508	45,232	51,555
Employers' contributions:											
Teachers' Superannuation Acts(7)	6,467	6,962	7,180	8,042	8,467	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other services(8)	13,138	12,926	13,887	15,138	14,888	19,163	21,600	23,793	26,844	28,369	32,763
Percentage met from rates, etc.	*39·3*	*38·8*	*39·0*	*38·1*	*37·2*	*37·3*	*37·8*	*38·0*	.. (3)	.. (3)	.. (3)

Source: Ministry of Education

(1) The table covers only expenditure by local education authorities on services within the purview of the Ministry of Education, except that the figures for milk in schools also include expenditure met, up to 1955, by the Ministry of Food. Expenditure made by the Ministry of Education to persons or bodies other than local education authorities is excluded.

(2) Estimated.

(3) From 1 April 1959 specific grant for education (other than milk and meals and the removal of defence works) has been discontinued and a general grant covering a number of services including education has been paid by the Ministry of Housing and Local Government. As this grant is not apportioned between services, it is no longer possible to say how much of the expenditure is met from grants and how much from rates.

(4) Including agricultural education from 1 April 1959.

(5) Expenditure under Local Government Superannuation Acts is included under "Administration and Inspection" up to 31 March 1955 and under the appropriate headings thereafter.

(6) Loan charges for school meals service and, up to 1959, for training of teachers are excluded from this heading but included as part of the expenditure under the respective services.

(7) Expenditure under Teachers' Superannuation Acts is included under the appropriate headings (Primary, secondary schools, etc.) from 1 April 1956.

(8) Including capital expenditure met from revenue, except in the case of the school meals service for which the expenditure is included.

Pupils on registers of public and grant-aided schools

Scotland

TABLE 106

At 15 January in each year(¹)

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
In public schools:										
Total	798,077	818,527	814,975	824,530	834,042	842,659	844,249	851,239	858,636	865,130
Nursery	4,163	4,187	4,357	4,382	4,339	4,306	4,496	4,525	4,928	5,229
Primary(²)	555,471	574,977	584,132	591,606	596,129	597,018	599,296	597,045	584,220	574,731
Secondary(³):										
Pupils taking three-year courses	142,315	142,052	131,608	132,021	133,974	137,663	134,472	137,661	147,481	156,254
Pupils taking five-year courses	86,344	87,470	85,279	86,916	89,854	94,007	96,304	102,400	112,379	119,203
Special	9,784	9,841	9,599	9,605	9,746	9,665	9,681	9,608	9,628	9,713
In grant-aided schools:										
Total	14,592	14,753	14,941	15,215	15,293	15,564	15,811	16,057	21,778	21,788
Nursery	140	136	138	158	156	155	157	156	217	220
Primary(²)	6,363	6,423	6,445	6,405	6,333	6,409	6,423	6,485	8,911	8,656
Secondary(³):										
Pupils taking three-year courses	589	617	639	632	571	579	501	507	728	676
Pupils taking five-year courses	6,994	7,080	7,242	7,508	7,713	7,899	8,177	8,308	11,259	11,524
Special	506	497	477	512	520	522	553	601	663	712

(¹) At 31 March in 1952 and 1953.
(²) Including primary departments of secondary schools.
(³) Excluding pupils in primary departments of secondary schools.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Public and grant-aided primary and secondary schools(¹)

Scotland

TABLE 107

At 15 January in each year(²)

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Primary(³):											
Schools or departments	2,939	2,947	2,930	2,937	2,946	2,955	2,973	2,980	2,982	2,976	2,933
Pupils on registers	550,748	566,137	585,723	595,072	602,551	606,957	607,888	610,372	608,211	598,276	588,836
Full-time teachers	18,906	19,353	19,873	20,047	19,696	19,835	20,176	20,138	20,178	19,694	20,081
Pupils per full-time teacher	29·1	29·3	29·5	29·7	30·5	30·6	30·1	30·3	30·1	30·4	29·3
Classes: Total	16,641	16,892	17,298	17,543	17,736	17,902	17,955	18,137	18,148	18,151	18,025
1–30 pupils	5,979	5,689	5,542	5,534	5,561	5,578	5,648	5,791	5,864	6,223	6,438
31–40 pupils	6,478	6,846	7,223	7,350	7,317	7,546	7,508	7,774	7,825	7,908	7,906
41–45 pupils	3,004	3,186	3,312	3,375	3,570	3,596	3,663	3,557	3,470	3,222	2 970
46–50 pupils	1,022	1,019	1,074	1,105	1,141	1,053	1,008	902	912	720	647
51 and over	158	152	147	179	147	129	128	113	77	78	64
Secondary(⁴):											
Schools	909	869	871	817	809	803	787	785	776	791	771
Pupils on registers	232,897	236,242	237,219	224,768	227,077	232,112	240,148	239,454	248,876	271,847	287,657
Full-time teachers	13,845	14,021	14,235	14,474	15,096	15,365	15,533	15,851	16,829	17,946	18,176
Pupils per full-time teacher	16·8	16·8	16·7	15·5	15·0	15·1	15·5	15·1	14·8	15·1	15·8
Classes: Total	6,812	6,758	6,863	6,719	6,782	6,895	6,832	6,904	7,121	7,679	8 104
1–30 pupils	4,311	4,393	4,479	4,636	4,733	4,807	4,624	4,796	4,948	5,148	5,481
31–40 pupils	2,141	2,079	2,101	1,882	1,849	1,874	1,958	1,911	1,968	2,257	2,354
41–45 pupils	310	257	250	187	182	195	224	171	186	248	251
46–50 pupils	44	25	29	11	17	18	21	20	16	21	15
51 and over	6	4	4	3	1	1	5	6	3	5	3

(¹) Including nursery but excluding special schools.
(²) At 31 March in 1952 and 1953, except for "Full-time teachers" which are at 1 October in every year.
(³) Including primary departments of secondary schools.
(⁴) Excluding pupils and teachers in primary departments of secondary schools.

Source: Scottish Education Department

TABLE 108

Further education(1)

Scotland

Years ended 31 July

	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of establishments							
Total	1,154	1,194	1,101	1,095	1,085	1,119	1,135
Central institutions	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Further education centres:							
Day	73	77	79	75	78	76	81
Evening	1,065	1,101	1,006	1,004	991	1,027	1,038
Number of students							
Total	237,108	246,959	241,429	242,634	259,944	266,359	274,182
Central institutions	28,555	29,599	30,159	29,482	29,545	28,367	28,658
Further education centres	208,553	217,360	211,270	213,152	230,399	237,992	245,524
Full-time students: Total	10,694	10,532	11,195	11,774	12,077	12,549	12,743
Students aged 15 and under 18 years as percentage of that age group	*2·3*	*2·2*	*2·3*	*2·4*	*2·5*	*2·5*	*2·7*
Central institutions:							
All students	6,071	6,169	6,374	6,615	6,945	7,053	7,184
Students aged 15 and under 18 years	1,161	1,225	1,089	1,020	1,129	1,015	1,019
Further education centres:							
All students	4,623	4,363	4,821	5,159	5,132	5,496	5,559
Students aged 15 and under 18 years	4,125	3,754	4,127	4,474	4,565	4,888	5,069
Part-time students(2): Total	226,414	236,427	230,234	230,860	247,867	253,810	261,439
Students aged 15 and under 18 years as percentage of that age group	*28·0*	*29·1*	*29·2*	*28·8*	*30·4*	*30·7*	*32·8*
Central institutions:							
All students	22,484	23,430	23,785	22,867	22,600	21,314	21,474
Students aged 15 and under 18 years	3,430	3,252	3,204	2,694	2,416	2,275	2,575
Further education centres:							
All students	203,930	212,997	206,449	207,993	225,267	232,496	239,965
Students aged 15 and under 18 years	60,756	63,013	63,678	63,103	68,157	68,964	72,556

(1) Establishments managed or assisted by education authorities or in receipt of direct grant from the Education (Scotland) Fund, including adult education centres.

(2) Including students released by employers during working hours.

Source: Scottish Education Department

TABLE 109

Training of teachers

Students completed training for Teacher's Certificate(1)

Scotland

Years ended 30 June

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Men:										
General Certificate	345	262	159	178	183	176	191	228	227	237
Special Certificate(2)	224	145	135	100	101	118	142	153	213	224
Technical Certificate(3)	240	233	286	201	182	183	174	190	231	233
Women:										
General Certificate	890	845	789	776	914	947	1,069	1,115	1,150	1,231
Special Certificate(2)	59	57	67	71	70	59	54	70	99	93
Technical Certificate(3)	272	270	256	264	264	243	264	262	326	321

(1) Figures include Emergency Training Scheme students.

(2) Including combined course for Teacher's General and Special Certificate.

(3) Including combined course for Teacher's General and Technical Certificate.

Source: Scottish Education Department

TABLE 110

School meals and milk(1)

Scotland

On a selected day in September/October each year

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Pupils present	757	773	780	794	808	767	820	820	832	838
Day pupils taking dinners	289	246	256	271	267	225	244	253	272	289
Percentage of pupils taking dinners	*38·3*	*31·8*	*32·8*	*34·1*	*33·0*	*29·4*	*29·8*	*30·9*	*32·7*	*34·5*
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	656	676	689	707	709	682	726	729	731	742
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*86·6*	*87·0*	*88·3*	*88·9*	*87·6*	*88·9*	*88·4*	*88·7*	*87·7*	*88·4*

(1) In schools conducted by education authorities.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Educational building(1)

Scotland

TABLE 111

	1 Jan. 1946 to 31 Dec. 1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
New places							
Number of new places brought into use:(2)							
Total	197,186	35,530	52,695	56,290	50,221	46,619	38,616
Primary	101,922	24,112	37,715	29,336	27,960	19,934	17,786
Secondary	95,264	11,418	14,980	26,954	22,261	26,685	20,830
Approvals and progress (£ thousand)							
Value of projects approved(3)	57,439	8,080	10,206	11,662	15,854	19,016	21,252
Primary and secondary	51,386	7,852	9,418	10,662	12,716	12,504	16,491
Further education	3,516	107	147	800	2,720	5,820	3,547
Training of teachers	269	—	139	—	38	438	800
Special schools	470	46	362	146	289	254	414
School meals(4)	1,798	75	140	54	91	—	—
Contracts under construction (end of period)(5)	22,848	28,983	26,195	26,514	31,973	31,806	39,932
Contracts completed(5)	31,640	6,484	11,098	14,741	12,744	14,745	10,504

Source: Scottish Education Department

(1) Excluding building wholly financed from private sources.

(2) Figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms. (See introductory note on page 83.)

(3) Figures refer to approval at the sketch plans stage, except those for period from 1954 to 1959, which refer to tenders accepted for approved projects.

(4) From 1960 the figures of school meals projects approved are included under "Primary and Secondary" and "Special schools."

(5) Valued at tender cost. These figures exclude the value of Approved School projects which in 1961 amounted to £102,000 and £32,000 respectively.

Finance of education authorities(1)

Scotland

TABLE 112

Years ended 15 May (2)

£ thousand

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962(3)
Total receipts	40,799	44,079	46,546	51,628	56,375	64,763	70,280	75,701	80,361	87,174	96,140
Department's grants	25,513	27,014	28,821	32,450	35,588	39,958	44,551	48,628	77,122(4)	83,684(1)	92,704(4)
Rates	13,032	14,628	15,226	16,606	17,992	21,723	22,502	23,675			
Fees	228	279	268	267	272	291	301	319	350	356	357
Other sources	2,026	2,158	2,231	2,305	2,523	2,791	2,926	3,079	2,889	3,134	3,079
Total gross expenditure	40,799	44,079	46,546	51,628	56,375	64,763	70,280	75,701	80,361	87,174	96,140
Administration	1,159	1,275	1,251	1,333	1,454	1,620	1,693	1,785	1,818	1,935	2,169
Salaries, etc., of teachers(5)	21,669	23,210	24,108	26,116	27,243	32,116	34.761	36,676	39,842	43,094	49,515
Maintenance of schools, etc.	7,312	7,805	8,239	9,161	10,257	11,571	12,699	13,856	14,348	15,577	18,030
Bursaries, etc. (aid to pupils)	2,402	2,539	3,124	3,434	3,935	4,169	4,988	5,826	5,978	6,305	3,682(6)
Schools meals and milk	4,062	4,528	4,373	5,730	6,734	7,107	7,046	7,270	7,362	7,880	8,208
School health service	649	710	763	848	928	1,007	1,040	1,104	1,234	1,291	1,379
Revenue contributions towards capital expenditure	620	642	890	971	1,149	1,528	1,384	1,825	1,235	1,331	1,600
Loan charges	1,207	1,520	1,833	2,124	2,550	3,193	3,906	4,555	5,370	6,454	7,645
Other expenditure	1,719	1,850	1,965	1,911	2,125	2,452	2,763	2,804	3,174	3,307	3,912
Net expenditure(7)	38,545	41,642	44,047	49,056	53,580	61,681	67,053	72,303	77,122	84,684	92,704
Percentage of net expenditure met from rates	*33·8*	*33·2*	*34·6*	*33·9*	*33·6*	*35·2*	*33·6*	*32·7*	..	..	..
Capital expenditure incurred during year	4,863	6,154	6,154	7,668	9,823	11,727	12,597	13,726	13,429	13,461	13,500
Net indebtedness at end of year	18,308	22,869	26,747	31,813	38,806	46,624	54,776	66,027	..	..	..

Source: Scottish Education Department

(1) The statistics in this table relate solely to education authorities. They take no account of other grants to or direct expenditure on other education services by the Scottish Education Department.

(2) Except for three of the larger education authorities, whose financial year now ends on 28 or 31 May.

(3) Estimated.

(4) Consolidated rates and government grants.

(5) Including superannuation contributions of education authorities.

(6) Payment of higher education bursaries is now made directly by the Scottish Education Department.

(7) Expenditure covered by Exchequer grants and rates.

Pupils on registers of grant-aided schools

Northern Ireland

TABLE 113

At December in each year

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Pupils on registers of primary, nursery, secondary(¹) and special schools:										
Aged 2–4	5,412	5,715	5,451	5,814	5,601	5,844	6,955	7,671	7,924	9,657
Aged 5–13	214,419	221,175	225,985	230,623	232,627	230,711	233,267	233,465	233,018	234,535
Aged 14–18(²)	22,658	21,306	20,987	21,103	22,199	33,008	39,947	42,629	44,297	44,677
Pupils on registers of:										
Primary schools	198,390	202,241	203,055	205,712	205,827	204,057	201,101	195,066	193,953	189,610
Nursery schools	681	730	698	634	600	602	630	632	622	625
Secondary schools(¹)	42,487	44,208	47,598	50,147	52,846	63,529	77,004	86,545	89,146	97,055
Special schools	931	1,017	1,072	1,047	1,154	1,375	1,434	1,522	1,518	1,579
Institutional schools	366	343	341	331	302	353	352	388	428	408

(¹) Intermediate, technical intermediate and grammar schools including preparatory departments of grammar schools.

(²) Including a small number aged 19 and over attending grammar schools.

Source: Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland

Primary and secondary schools

Northern Ireland

TABLE 114

At December in each year

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Primary, nursery and special:										
Schools	1,662	1,655	1,641	1,635	1,635	1,615	1,597	1,584	1,568	1,550
Pupils on registers	200,002	203,988	204,825	207,393	207,581	206,034	203,165	197,220	196,093	191,814
Teachers	6,055	6,067	6,265	6,340	6,455	6,418	6,444	6,419	6,418	6,387
Pupils per teacher	33·0	33·6	32·6	32·7	32·2	32·1	31·5	30·7	30·6	30·0
Classes:										
Total	5,842	6,098	6,040	6,158	6,340	6,182	6,153	6,185	6,200	6,140
1–30 pupils	2,261	2,440	2,363	2,391	2,536	2,396	2,424	2,650	2,668	2,733
31–40 pupils	1,597	1,682	1,793	1,856	1,958	2,047	2,034	2,204	2,363	2,314
41–50 pupils	1,567	1,568	1,554	1,603	1,571	1,471	1,471	1,231	1,069	991
51 and over	417	408	330	308	275	268	224	100	100	102
Secondary(¹):										
Schools	123	128	134	140	146	168	187	205	214	228
Pupils on registers	42,487	44,208	47,598	50,147	52,846	63,529	77,004	86,545	89,146	97,055
Teachers(²)	1,758	1,816	1,915	2,023	2,303	2,726	3,262	3,320	3,867	4,258

(¹) Intermediate, technical intermediate and grammar schools including preparatory departments of grammar schools.

(²) At 31 July. Excluding teachers in technical intermediate schools.

Source: Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland

TABLE 115

Further education

Northern Ireland

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Technical instruction (At 31 July)										
Centres of instruction	126	144	150	154	172	165	179	174	167	164
Permanent	79	95	91	95	117	118	124	89	82	82
Itinerant	47	49	59	59	55	47	55	85	85	82
Students enrolled(1)	28,111	30,084	30,518	32,331	33,188	36,491	32,980	31,123	33,592	35,512
Males	13,361	14,723	14,688	16,012	16,223	17,911	16,451	15,878	16,961	17,792
Females	14,750	15,361	15,830	16,319	16,965	18,580	16,529	15,245	16,631	17,720
Courses conducted by the Joint Committee for Adult Education (Years ended 31 May)										
Three-year tutorial classes:										
Courses	13	13	14	13	15	21	16	20	35	48
Students(2)	262	270	282	247	328	440	325	396	854	1,070
One-year courses:										
Courses	38	44	42	44	29	36	37	37	23	16
Students(2)	949	1,063	1,003	1,064	670	839	806	805	554	421
Short courses:										
Courses	59	53	50	61	74	64	57	85	96	93
Students(2)	1,464	1,143	975	1,319	1,580	1,294	1,130	2,421	2,764	2,427

(1) Excluding students attending technical intermediate (formerly junior technical) schools.
(2) Those who completed one-third of the possible number of attendances.

Source: Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland

TABLE 116

Teachers in full-time service

Northern Ireland

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Men:										
Primary schools(1)	1,869	1,899	1,906	1,915	1,933	1,872	1,836	1,783	1,745	1,733
Qualified	1,842	1,869	1,882	1,908	1,913	1,857	1,814	1,769	1,739	1,722
Unqualified	27	30	24	7	20	15	22	14	6	11
Secondary schools(2)	837	881	945	1,008	1,168	1,412	1,687	1,726	2,010	2,185
Institutions of further education(3)	358	382	405	408	404	417	436	460	474	500
Women:										
Primary schools(1)	4,095	4,073	4,260	4,325	4,409	4,418	4,478	4,494	4,526	4,496
Qualified	3,780	3,752	3,975	4,123	4,210	4,292	4,343	4,362	4,429	4,394
Unqualified	315	321	285	202	199	126	135	132	97	102
Secondary schools(2)	921	935	970	1,015	1,135	1,314	1,575	1,594	1,857	2,073
Institutions of further education(3)	205	212	223	221	222	224	218	210	200	201

(1) At 31 December. Excluding nursery and special schools.
(2) At 31 July. Excluding teachers in technical intermediate schools.
(3) At 31 July. Centres of technical instruction and technical intermediate schools.

Source: Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland

TABLE 117

Training of teachers

Students completed training

Northern Ireland

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Men:										
Total	108	110	132	147	105	148	169	123	170	134
One-year course for graduates	6	9	13	15	15	9	8	8	12	18
Two, three or four year course(1)	102	101(2)	119	132(2)	90	139(2)	161(2)	115(2)	158(2)	116(2)
Women:										
Total	181	204	275	269	295	305	285	318	285	256
One-year course for graduates	5	10	8	14	3	10	8	3	5	12
Two, three or four year course(1)	176	194	267	255(2)	292	295(2)	277(2)	315(2)	280(2)	244(2)

(1) Including a few students selected for a four-year combined university and training college course.
(2) Including a few students who obtained five-year certificates.

Source: Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland

School meals and milk

Northern Ireland

TABLE 118

On a selected day in March each year (¹)

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Primary, secondary and special schools:										
Numbers present on selected day(²)	212,278	217,090	226,314	227,073	234,823	240,676	247,969	241,161	263,970	267,135
Day pupils taking meals	42,385	42,013	45,856	54,088	63,538	63,822	64,486	70,141	82,991	89,348
Percentage of day pupils taking meals	*20*	*20*	*20*	*24*	*27*	*27*	*26*	*29*	*31*	*33*
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	195,522	198,426	198,631	208,179	215,814	221,757	226,230	223,186	240,057	242,247
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*93*	*91*	*88*	*92*	*92*	*92*	*91*	*92*	*91*	*91*
Primary and special schools:										
Numbers present on selected day	175,191	179,236	186,071	184,314	188,102	192,044	187,292	173,815	184,775	182,265
Number of pupils taking meals	30,598	29,517	31,491	38,037	45,074	44,470	40,426	42,060	49,358	53,351
Percentage of pupils taking meals	*17*	*16*	*17*	*21*	*24*	*23*	*22*	*24*	*27*	*29*
Number of pupils taking milk	165,656	167,162	166,299	173,404	176,914	181,984	176,008	165,438	174,085	172,362
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*95*	*93*	*90*	*94*	*94*	*95*	*94*	*95*	*94*	*95*
Secondary schools:										
Numbers present on selected day(²)	37,087	37,854	40,243	42,759	46,721	48,632	60,677	67,346	79,195	84,870
Day pupils taking meals	11,787	12,496	14,365	16,051	18,464	19,352	24,060	28,081	33,633	35,997
Percentage of day pupils taking meals	*34*	*36*	*36*	*38*	*39*	*40*	*42*	*42*	*42*	*42*
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	29,866	31,264	32,332	34,775	38,900	39,773	50,222	57,748	65,972	69,885
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*81*	*83*	*80*	*81*	*83*	*82*	*83*	*85*	*83*	*82*

(¹) Before 1952 the selected day was in October.
(²) Including boarders at grammar schools.

Source: Ministry of Education,
Northern Ireland

Educational building

Northern Ireland

TABLE 119

	1 April 1948 to 31 December 1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of new places brought into use:							
Total	39,899	4,975	17,350	16,131	14,807	8,890	13,330
Primary	23,339	2,415	5,540	5,466	5,052	3,580	4,970
Secondary	16,560	2,560	11,810	10,665	9,755	5,310	8,360
Total expenditure on building works in connection with all types of schools (£ thousand)	9,650	2,850	4,500	3,800	3,700	3,200	3,900

Source: Ministry of Education,
Northern Ireland

Awards

Northern Ireland

New awards made by the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland

TABLE 120

Years ended 31 July

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
State exhibitions tenable at universities	32	31	26	27	29	26	36	40	37	39
Technical:										
Junior trade scholarships	124	100	110	118	124	123	115	71	127	188
Senior trade scholarships	37	46	55	37	39	52	39	47	37	54
Scientific research: Senior research awards(¹)	—	3	1	1	2	2	2	—	—	—
Post-graduate studentships	8	11	—	4	3	4	39	30	40	32

(¹) Discontinued after 1958.

Scholarships awarded by local education authorities

At 31 December in each year

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number held at institutions of further education:										
Major awards	73	69	59	59	64	83	104	126	143	237
Minor awards	102	129	258	640	859	783	1,124	1,198	111	147
Value of grants (£ thousand)	11	10	12	18	27	34	52	56	41	73
Number of university scholarships held	723	769	772	836	906	1,030	1,241	1,489	1,775	3,140
Value of grants (£ thousand)	74	88	89	110	132	180	261	309	354	768

Source: Ministry of Education,
Northern Ireland

Finance of local education authorities(¹)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 121

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960(²)	1961(²)
Receipts:										
Total	3,082	3,460	3,999	4,401	5,310	6,226	7,559	8,794	10,107	11,141
Northern Ireland parliamentary grants	2,271	2,609	2,982	3,375	4,100	4,806	6,054	7,052	8,020	8,973
Balance from local sources (rates, students' fees, etc.)	811	851	1,017	1,026	1,210	1,420	1,505	1,742	2,087	2,168
Gross expenditure:										
Total	3,082	3,460	3,999	4,401	5,310	6,226	7,559	8,794	10,107	11,141
Administration	232	255	302	318	351	392	420	480	526	555
Primary education	622	649	652	691	736	793	812	830	855	854
Secondary and further education	441	453	488	544	591	678	824	988	1,159	1,297
Special educational treatment	23	28	37	37	49	66	88	124	145	140
Scholarships	512	582	627	652	705	803	1,007	1,186	1,377	1,593
Meals and milk	422	539	753	794	1,319	1,557	1,734	1,830	1,918	2,132
Salaries, national insurance and superannuation of full-time teachers	622	680	734	853	908	1,088	1,522	1,836	2,234	2,513
Transport	36	54	70	84	107	133	200	273	402	439
Other purposes(³)	172	220	336	428	544	716	952	1,247	1,491	1,618
Contributions from local rates to the Exchequer under:										
Finance Act (Northern Ireland), 1934(⁴)	268	285	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Education Act (Northern Ireland), 1947	572	811	888	1,224	1,354	1,504	2,333	2,595	3,127	3,574

(¹) The statistics in this table relate solely to local education authorities. They take no account of direct expenditure on educational services by the Ministry of Education.

(²) Figures are subject to audit. (³) Including loan charges. (⁴) Ceased to be payable from April 1953.

Source: Ministry of Education, Northern Ireland

Awards and research grants made by the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research

TABLE 122

At 1 October in each year

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957(¹)	1958	1959(²)	1960	1961
Postgraduate awards										
Studentships:										
Number of new awards	413	415	381	379	404	801	961	1,179	1,293	1.472
Number current: Total	976	1,009	1,052	1,012	1,006	1,453	1,882	2,420	2,769	3,114
Biology and biochemstry	78	97	97	107	108	162	225	277	318	382
Chemical engineering and metallurgy	26	16	26	23	58	105	142	188	203	225
Chemistry	419	427	428	399	372	466	599	768	829	908
Electrical engineering	79	99	104	91	26	48	66	78	97	120
Other engineering					42	85	124	184	204	214
Geology	41	32	36	42	43	91	119	170	182	205
Human sciences	—	—	—	2	5	21	29	51	68	76
Mathematics	50	38	60	86	96	144	185	228	298	323
Physics	283	300	301	262	256	331	393	476	570	661
Fellowships:										
Number of new awards	7	4	2	5	4	13	14	39	39	54
Number current	14	11	8	8	7	18	26	49	75	88
Total cost of awards (years beginning 1 April) (£ thousand)	266	295	323	320	317	444	660	904	1,106	1,298
Special research grants										
Number of new awards	41	26	26	15	46	115	163	247	293	332
Number current: Total	70	58	64	53	99	193	250	390	525	696
Biology	6	4	6	4	7	17	32	63	75	100
Chemistry	20	17	9	9	14	38	45	77	102	141
Geology and geophysics	—	3	2	1	8	12	11	28	37	66
Mathematics	4	4	3	1	7	14	7	4	3	4
Astronomy	32	25	37	33	54	88	106	16	19	15
Low temperatures and solid state								35	65	81
Nuclear physics								69	60	72
Other physics								20	27	32
Technology(³)	8	5	7	5	9	24	33	59	90	113
Human sciences	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	19	23	41
Space research	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	31
Total cost of awards (years beginning 1 April) (£ thousand)	317	412	315	373	363	476	445	912	1,527	2,292

(¹) In 1957, the Ministry of Education and local education authorities transferred to D.S.I.R. their responsibility for postgraduate awards in science and technology. In addition, the Advanced Course Studentship Scheme began.

(²) The figures for 1959 include 18 NATO studentships and 22 NATO fellowships.

(³) Chemical engineering and metallurgy, electrical and other engineering.

Source: Department of Scientific and Industrial Research

University students

Great Britain

Academic years

TABLE 123

Number

		1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
New students admitted (full-time only):												
Men		16,537	16,733	15,605	15,513	16,487	17,398	18,796	20,646	21,236	20,823	21,464
Women		5,686	5,681	5,750	5,640	5,976	6,592	6,769	7,030	7,041	7,194	8,046
Number taking courses (full and part-time):												
Men		79,422	77,934	74,861	73,809	74,687	77,323	80,854	85,526	89,080	92,339	96,423
Women		22,590	22,582	22,468	22,548	23,164	24,171	25,220	26,402	27,003	27,602	29,107
Full-time students:												
Total:	Men	65,831	63,970	61,786	60,793	61,295	63,763	67,310	71,855	75,879	79,037	81,330
	Women	19,483	19,488	19,688	19,809	20,410	21,431	22,556	23,587	24,325	24,972	26,369
Advanced:	Men	8,985	9,203	9,185	9,669	9,542	9,966	10,557	11,278	11,872	13,364	14,305
	Women	2,342	2,341	2,472	2,497	2,670	2,702	2,822	2,791	2,967	3,285	3,531
First degree:	Men	52,235	50,683	48,849	47,579	48,340	50,441	53,256	57,129	60,670	62,561	63,409
	Women	15,508	15,726	15,904	15,981	16,438	17,409	18,457	19,558	20,135	20,522	21,590
First diploma:	Men	4,611	4,084	3,752	3,132	2,957	2,867	2,859	2,856	2,864	2,628	2,950
	Women	1,633	1,421	1,312	1,218	1,142	1,154	1,110	1,081	1,064	977	1,008
Others:	Men	—	—	—	413	456	489	638	592	473	484	666
	Women	—	—	—	113	160	166	167	157	159	188	240
Part-time students:												
Total:	Men	13,591	13,964	13,075	13,016	13,392	13,560	13,544	13,671	13,201	13,302	15,093
	Women	3,107	3,094	2,780	2,739	2,754	2,740	2,664	2,815	2,678	2,630	2,738
Advanced:	Men	3,381	4,048	3,997	3,868	4,121	4,299	4,354	4,577	4,523	4,688	5,183
	Women	777	856	836	814	836	858	864	889	945	949	1,051
First degree:	Men	1,495	1,354	1,261	1,264	1,170	1,218	1,260	1,140	1,192	1,106	1,105
	Women	553	528	471	415	406	385	404	371	349	359	348
First diploma:	Men	1,809	1,536	1,422	1,430	1,235	1,120	962	1,066	936	993	818
	Women	303	289	288	290	259	156	108	111	100	87	136
Occasional:	Men	6,906	7,026	6,395	6,454	6,866	6,923	6,968	6,888	6,550	6,515	7,987
	Women	1,474	1,421	1,185	1,220	1,253	1,341	1,288	1,444	1,284	1,235	1,203
Country of home residence of full-time students:												
United Kingdom		78,755	76,498	74,006	72,622	73,101	75,908	79,959	85,280	90,004	93,358	96,091
Other British countries		3,657	3,921	4,239	4,607	4,987	5,536	6,115	6,180	6,084	6,443	6,932
Foreign countries		2,902	3,039	3,229	3,373	3,617	3,750	3,792	3,982	4,116	4,208	4,676
University residence of full-time students:												
Colleges and hostels:	Men	13,160	13,591	14,145	14,309	14,819	14,828	15,655	16.073	17,103	18,087	19,108
	Women	7,572	8,034	8,124	8,316	8,424	8,587	8,997	9,101	9,507	10,007	10,366
Lodgings:	Men	27,833	27,752	27,012	27,149	28,120	30.705	33,302	37,402	40,412	42,730	44,151
	Women	5,540	5,253	5,547	5,838	6,428	7,367	7,989	8,835	9,288	9,558	10,463
At home:	Men	24,838	22,627	20,629	19,335	18,356	18,230	18,353	18,380	18,364	18,220	18,071
	Women	6,371	6,201	6,017	5,655	5,558	5,477	5,570	5,651	5,530	5,407	5,540

Source: University Grants Committee

Full-time teaching staff at universities(¹)

Great Britain

Academic years

TABLE 124

Number

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Professors	1,247	1,290	1,297	1,334	1,377	1,421	1,459	1,474	1,505	1,555	1,627
Readers, assistant professors and independent lecturers	632	640	678	690	726	735	757	796	824	850	888
Senior lecturers	726	797	868	937	978	1,035	1,131	1,211	1,247	1,371	1,490
Lecturers	3,462	3,684	4,084	4,333	4,520	4,743	4,903	5,080	5.253	5,574	5,770
Assistant lecturers and demonstrators	1,595	1,537	1,282	1,162	1,161	1,200	1,176	1,220	1,249	1,339	1,460
Others	941	1,004	925	1,058	1,048	1,068	1,059	1,065	1,047	1,100	1,182

Source: University Grants Committee

(¹) Lecturers, assistant lecturers, demonstrators and other teaching staff at Oxford and Cambridge Universities normally combine university with college work and are excluded from this table. In 1960/61, the numbers were 421 at Oxford University and 742 at Cambridge University.

Universities: Courses taken and degrees and diplomas obtained

Great Britain

TABLE 125

Academic years

Number of students

		1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Courses taken by full-time students												
Arts, including Theology, Fine Art, Law, Music, Commerce, Economics and Education:	Men ...	24,509	23,587	22,432	22,065	22,109	22,934	24,293	26,149	27,909	29,119	30,008
	Women	12,279	12,349	12,484	12,608	12,996	13,713	14,354	14,972	15,223	15,476	16,378
Pure Science:	Men ...	13,862	13,749	13,559	13,488	13,656	14,203	15,549	16,985	18,373	19,481	20,735
	Women	3,306	3,304	3,442	3,483	3,671	3,930	4,350	4,722	5,029	5,267	5,718
Medicine:	Men ...	11,257	10,977	10,615	10,338	10,165	10,384	10,009	9,845	9,491	9,377	9,315
	Women	2,944	2,933	2,896	2,901	2,933	2,957	2,928	2,851	2,897	2,937	2,961
Dentistry:	Men ...	2,597	2,575	2,426	2,262	2,257	2,286	2,311	2,375	2,384	2,469	2,461
	Women	288	314	289	302	326	365	422	493	559	612	625
Technology, including Engineering, Applied Chemistry, Mining, Metallurgy and Architecture:	Men ...	10,384	10,034	9,822	9,891	10,438	11,226	12,329	13,655	14,788	15,606	15,880
	Women	207	181	171	145	148	153	167	204	255	326	345
Agriculture, including Forestry, Horticulture and Dairy Work:	Men ...	2,240	2,093	1,953	1,784	1,686	1,706	1,677	1 749	1,814	1,863	1,806
	Women	366	325	326	282	241	221	237	234	247	238	216
Veterinary Science:	Men ...	982	955	979	965	984	1,024	1,042	1,097	1,120	1,122	1,125
	Women	93	82	80	88	95	92	98	111	115	116	126
Degrees and diplomas obtained												
Degrees:												
Total:	Men ...	15,547	15,904	15,183	14,697	14,775	14,829	15,501	16,073	17,402	19,196	19,845
	Women	4,200	4,327	4,398	4,418	4,573	4,675	4,749	5,199	5,528	5,707	5,854
First degrees—honours:	Men ...	7,752	8,422	7,838	7,561	7,703	7,931	8,597	9,040	9,920	11,128	11,726
	Women	2,211	2,312	2,342	2,463	2,626	2,800	2,930	3.275	3,459	3,609	3,620
First degrees—ordinary:	Men ...	5,646	5,234	4,983	4,725	4,654	4,483	4,426	4,465	4,693	5,145	5,125
	Women	1,728	1,745	1,772	1,656	1,664	1,581	1,522	1,660	1,770	1,818	1,955
Higher degrees:	Men ...	2,149	2,248	2,362	2,411	2,418	2,415	2,478	2,568	2,789	2,923	2,994
	Women	261	270	284	299	283	294	297	264	299	280	279
Diplomas:	Men ...	5,022	5,022	4,745	4,978	4,655	4,837	4,999	5,103	5,465	6,082	5,891
	Women	2,082	2,094	2,103	2,208	2,222	2,249	2,168	2,159	2,345	2,540	2,586

Source: University Grants Committee

Income and expenditure of universities(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE 126

Academic years

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Income:											
Total	24,268	25,748	29,698	31,112	35,600	38,317	41,656	49,418	52,273	59,800	68,706
Endowments	1,330	1,348	1,312	1,333	1,448	1,532	1,676	1,758	1,795	1,731	1,963
Grants: Parliamentary	15,767	17,127	20,682	21,924	25,059	26,987	29,092	34,953	36,448	43,170	49,627
Local authorities	1,040	1,044	1,066	1,130	1,141	1,086	1,292	1,402	1,501	1,533	1,578
Tuition and other fees	4,022	3,807	3,765	3,725	3,815	4,270	4,492	5,702	5,739	5,990	6,317
Other receipts	2,109	2,422	2,873	3,000	4,137	4,442	5,104	5,603	6,790	7,376	9,221
Expenditure:											
Total	24,270	26,355	29,034	30,602	35,354	38,465	41,841	49,092	51,930	59,174	68,470
Salaries of teaching staff	11,896	12,543	13,170	13,616	15,959	17,115	18,061	21,772	22,901	25,733	29,914
Maintenance of premises	2,667	2,981	3,592	3,827	4,182	4,677	5,361	6,061	6,752	7,735	8,836
Administration	2,104	2,310	2,218	2,210	2,502	2,653	2,916	3,434	3,529	3,996	4,541
Other payments	7,603	8,521	10,054	10,949	12,711	14,020	15,503	17,825	18,748	21,710	25,179

(¹) Capital sums received for lands, buildings and endowments etc., and expenditure of capital funds on lands, buildings and equipment are excluded. The accounts of the colleges at Oxford and Cambridge are not included.

Source: University Grants Committee

University students

Northern Ireland

TABLE 127

Academic years

Number

		1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
New students admitted (full-time only):											
Men		446	411	343	383	400	456	620	618	711	714
Women		183	149	174	154	165	174	178	216	223	283
Number taking courses (full and part-time):											
Men		2,102	2,107	2,014	2,017	2,002	2,080	2,296	2,583	2,907	3,076
Women		672	648	688	692	724	691	695	775	783	921
Full-time students:											
Total:	Men	1,719	1,719	1,642	1,609	1,632	1,730	1,904	2,150	2,400	2,591
	Women	604	569	612	589	620	602	604	657	733	854
Advanced:	Men	72	72	89	68	77	87	76	116	118	163
	Women	11	13	29	32	41	29	26	26	26	36
First degree:	Men	1,591	1,610	1,531	1,532	1,550	1,633	1,817	2,018	2,258	2,414
	Women	550	523	559	542	559	550	558	610	688	799
First diploma:	Men	56	37	22	6	5	4	11	16	24	14
	Women	43	33	24	15	20	20	20	21	19	19
Others:	Men	—	—	—	3	—	6	—	—	—	—
	Women	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Part-time students:											
Total:	Men	383	388	372	408	370	350	392	433	507	485
	Women	68	79	76	103	104	89	91	118	50	67
Advanced:	Men	134	150	169	198	118	100	121	179	234	226
	Women	13	16	21	26	19	14	16	26	17	19
First degree:	Men	195	157	139	153	175	182	218	200	252	242
	Women	14	19	13	19	16	17	28	32	26	23
First diploma:	Men	24	31	10	26	25	20	15	7	3	1
	Women	19	18	6	9	8	11	5	1	1	—
Occasional:	Men	30	50	54	31	52	48	38	47	18	16
	Women	22	26	36	49	61	47	42	59	6	25
Country of home residence of full-time students:											
United Kingdom		2,197	2,121	2,110	2,052	2,078	2,129	2,257	2,539	2,794	3,102
Other British countries		86	102	87	106	125	145	192	197	240	242
Foreign countries		40	65	57	40	49	58	59	71	99	101
University residence of full-time students:											
Colleges and hostels:	Men	123	122	181	170	167	192	201	215	226	229
	Women	124	136	150	148	155	148	160	178	218	215
Lodgings:	Men	459	533	457	510	546	634	736	865	983	1,041
	Women	83	123	115	124	139	220	146	179	174	215
At home:	Men	1,137	1,064	1,004	929	919	904	967	1,070	1,191	1,321
	Women	397	310	347	317	326	234	298	300	341	424

Source: Ministry of Finance

Full-time teaching staff at universities

Northern Ireland

TABLE 128

Academic years

Number

	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Professors	40	45	44	46	49	49	53	55	57	55
Readers	15	15	15	20	21	22	22	20	21	22
Senior lecturers	3	9	10	23	19	19	22	23	24	28
Lecturers	87	96	105	107	108	110	124	126	145	151
Assistant lecturers and demonstrators	91	93	95	98	109	100	94	54	81	90
Others	2	2	6	2	3	3	5	6	3	3

Source: Ministry of Finance

Universities: Courses taken and degrees and diplomas obtained

Northern Ireland

TABLE 129 Academic years Number of students

		1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Courses taken by full-time students											
Arts, including Theology, Fine Art, Law, Music, Commerce, Economics and Education:	Men.........	513	520	498	511	505	557	623	718	786	844
	Women ...	398	371	406	385	426	413	413	448	497	562
Pure Science:	Men.........	264	276	269	269	301	330	377	485	537	605
	Women ...	70	68	79	75	82	74	78	99	110	138
Medicine:	Men.........	468	465	449	411	389	362	367	357	388	389
	Women ...	122	114	109	107	91	86	83	79	89	111
Dentistry:	Men.........	78	75	66	57	60	68	81	79	90	87
	Women ...	11	14	16	20	18	27	25	23	25	29
Technology, including Engineering, Applied Chemistry, Mining, Metallurgy and Architecture:	Men.........	336	332	310	311	332	368	403	450	532	587
	Women ...	2	2	2	2	3	2	5	8	12	14
Agriculture, including Forestry, Horticulture and Dairy Work:	Men.........	60	51	50	50	45	45	53	61	67	79
	Women ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Degrees and diplomas obtained											
Degrees: Total:	Men.........	444	386	359	357	393	380	369	402	487	543
	Women ...	120	102	131	115	142	122	123	135	122	165
First degrees—honours:	Men.........	90	84	69	80	108	107	102	120	160	186
	Women ...	20	26	20	21	39	28	28	38	41	50
First degrees—ordinary:	Men.........	287	243	237	221	232	222	224	222	263	288
	Women ...	94	69	106	85	97	92	90	87	78	111
Higher degrees:	Men.........	67	59	53	56	53	51	43	60	64	69
	Women ...	6	7	5	9	6	2	5	10	3	4
Diplomas:	Men.........	71	73	56	56	34	39	43	26	46	61
	Women ...	31	30	30	33	47	33	40	28	31	35

Source: Ministry of Finance

Income and expenditure of universities(¹)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 130 Academic years £ thousand

	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54(²)	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Income:										
Total	452	466	511	593	653	696	844	932	1,047	1,272
Endowments	14	12	11	10	11	11	11	14	15	17
Grants: Parliamentary.........	289	309	359	430	474	511	612	676	771	972
Local authorities ...	17	18	18	18	18	19	19	19	19	20
Tuition and other fees.........	83	82	85	87	87	90	128	145	161	174
Other receipts	49	44	38	49	62	64	75	80	81	89
Expenditure:										
Total	434	477	499	595	663	697	825	909	1,033	1,233
Salaries of teaching staff	200	220	233	316	352	360	442	465	536	648
Maintenance of premises......	44	51	56	68	74	84	94	115	118	139
Administration	47	51	53	52	58	61	69	74	85	100
Other payments	143	155	158	159	179	193	220	255	294	346

Source: Ministry of Finance

(¹) Capital sums received for lands, buildings and endowments etc., and expenditure of capital funds on lands, buildings and equipment are excluded.

(²) The account of Magee University College for 1953/54 relates to a period of nine months only.

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Distribution of total manpower

United Kingdom

TABLE 131

At June in each year

Thousands

	Analysis based on Standard Industrial Classification, 1948						Analysis based on Standard Industrial Classification, 1958		
	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1959	1960	1961
Total working population(1)	24,239	24,486	24,681	24,761	24,635	24,714	24,714	25,010	25,221
Males	16,364	16,473	16,578	16,613	16,546	16,525	16,525	16,631	16,713
Females	7,875	8,013	8,103	8,148	8,089	8,189	8,189	8,379	8,508
H.M. Forces and Women's Services	839	803	761	702	614	565	565	518	474
Males	816	784	745	687	600	550	550	503	459
Females	23	19	16	15	14	15	15	15	15
Men and women on release leave (who had not yet taken up employment)	6	6	6	6	6	4	4	—	—
Total in civil employment	23,148	23,477	23,697	23,789	23,607	23,731	23,731	24,173	24,464
Males	15,378	15,549	15,680	15,734	15,647	15,671	15,671	15,896	16,047
Females	7,770	7,928	8,017	8,055	7,960	8,060	8,060	8,277	8,417
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	1,164	1,154	1,120	1,110	1,090	1,078	1,079	1,062	1,021
Coal mining Other mining and quarrying	871	866	862	872	858	827	830	764	735
Manufacturing industries:									
Total	9,189	9,416	9,482	9,483	9,347	9,366	8,660	9,001	9,109
Food, drink and tobacco	911	926	939	944	954	967	844	849	860
Chemicals and allied industries	503	520	530	535	538	546	522	533	534
Metal manufacture	553	572	581	580	562	557	576	619	631
Engineering and electrical goods	1,855	1,966	1,997	2,022	2,034	2,031	1,956	2,078	2,168
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	309	311	319	314	302	290	288	278	261
Vehicles	1,195	1,249	1,262	1,244	1,253	1,266	879	927	905
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	504	526	528	523	516	521	520	557	571
Textiles	1,066	1,023	1,002	1,000	927	906	911	906	899
Leather, leather goods and fur	77	77	72	72	68	69	68	68	68
Clothing and footwear	723	711	716	713	676	676	590	609	611
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	345	351	351	340	329	332	331	343	350
Timber, furniture, etc.	324	327	317	316	309	316	306	315	313
Paper, printing and publishing	546	567	579	589	591	595	583	613	627
Other manufacturing	278	290	289	291	288	294	286	306	311
Construction	1,491	1,523	1,578	1,556	1,528	1,550	1,565	1,607	1,660
Gas, electricity and water supply	379	384	383	386	382	381	381	377	386
Transport and communication	1,744	1,742	1,758	1,751	1,733	1,704	1,700	1,691	1,713
Distributive trades	2,802	2,873	2,932	3,007	3,000	3,061	3,278	3,355	3,384
Insurance, banking and finance	481	493	498	517	523	553	553	564	582
Professional and scientific services	1,777	1,823	1,882	1,935	1,985	2,037	2,130	2,184	2,264
Miscellaneous services	1,891	1,881	1,868	1,841	1,827	1,834	2,281	2,291	2,309
Public administration:									
National government service	615	584	583	564	550	541	526	524	533
Local government service	744	738	751	767	784	799	749	753	768
Registered unemployed	260	224	258	282	476	439	439	328	294
Wholly unemployed	246	200	217	264	408	414	414	319	283
Males	164	134	147	186	293	300	300	232	207
Females	82	66	70	78	115	114	114	87	76
Temporarily stopped(2)	14	24	41	18	68	25	25	9	11
Males	8	10	27	11	36	18	18	6	7
Females	6	14	14	7	32	7	7	3	4

(1) The total working population represents the total number of persons aged 15 and over who work for pay or gain or register themselves as available for such work. Part-time workers are counted as equivalent to whole-time workers. See also note (2) below.

(2) Most, if not all, persons registered as temporarily stopped are on the payrolls of employers and included in the number in civil employment. To avoid duplication, therefore, the total working population is obtained by adding together the figures for H.M. Forces and Women's Services, men and women on release leave, total in civil employment and registered *wholly* unemployed; registered temporarily stopped are omitted from the addition.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Distribution of total manpower

Great Britain

TABLE 132

At June in each year

Thousands

	Analysis based on Standard Industrial Classification, 1948						Analysis based on Standard Industrial Classification, 1958		
	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1959	1960	1961
Total working population(1)	23,667	23,912	24,107	24,188	24,070	24,145	24,145	24,436	24,650
Males	15.974	16,084	16,188	16,225	16,160	16,137	16,137	16,239	16,325
Females	7,693	7,828	7,919	7,963	7,910	8,008	8,008	8,197	8,325
H.M. Forces and Women's Services	839	803	761	702	614	565	565	518	474
Males	816	784	745	687	600	550	550	503	459
Females	23	19	16	15	14	15	15	15	15
Men and women on release leave (who had not yet taken up employment)	6	6	6	6	6	4	4	—	—
Total in civil employment	22,604	22,933	23,149	23,245	23,080	23,197	23,197	23,628	23,925
Males	15,009	15,182	15,310	15,367	15,288	15,308	15,308	15,526	15,682
Females	7,595	7,751	7,839	7,878	7,792	7,889	7,889	8,102	8,243
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	1,074	1,066	1,032	1,025	1,009	999	999	983	948
Coal mining	786	783	781	790	778	751	756	691	661
Other mining and quarrying	81	79	77	78	76	72	70	70	70
Manufacturing industries:									
Total	8,976	9,206	9,269	9,271	9,147	9,169	8,477	8,811	8,928
Food, drink and tobacco	887	901	912	916	925	939	818	821	832
Chemicals and allied industries	502	519	529	534	537	544	520	531	532
Metal manufacture	552	571	580	579	561	556	576	619	631
Engineering and electrical goods	1,838	1,948	1,979	2,002	2,013	2,011	1,938	2,058	2,147
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	285	288	296	291	280	266	264	252	241
Vehicles	1,176	1,231	1,243	1,225	1,235	1,248	869	919	898
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	502	524	526	521	515	521	519	556	569
Textiles	994	955	935	934	871	851	851	845	842
Leather, leather goods and fur	76	76	71	71	67	68	67	67	67
Clothing and footwear	688	675	679	678	642	644	565	582	585
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	341	346	346	336	325	328	327	339	346
Timber, furniture, etc.	318	322	312	311	304	311	301	310	308
Paper, printing and publishing	540	561	573	583	585	589	577	607	621
Other manufacturing	277	289	288	290	287	293	285	305	309
Construction	1,454	1,486	1,541	1,519	1,492	1,509	1,523	1,567	1,617
Gas, electricity and water supply	373	378	376	379	375	374	374	370	379
Transport and communication	1,715	1,713	1,730	1,723	1,705	1,676	1,672	1,662	1,683
Distributive trades	2,742	2,811	2,870	2,945	2,939	3,000	3,209	3,284	3,312
Insurance, banking and finance	474	486	491	509	515	545	545	555	573
Professional and scientific services	1,743	1,786	1,844	1,896	1,944	1,992	2,085	2,138	2,217
Miscellaneous services	1,860	1,850	1,838	1,812	1,799	1,803	2,244	2,254	2,270
Public administration:									
National government service	594	563	561	543	529	520	505	502	511
Local government service	732	726	739	755	772	787	738	741	756
Registered unemployed	230	192	230	250	432	403	403	298	261
Wholly unemployed	218	170	191	235	370	379	379	290	251
Males	143	112	127	165	266	275	275	210	184
Females	75	58	64	70	104	104	104	80	67
Temporarily stopped(2)	12	22	39	15	62	24	24	8	10
Males	7	9	26	10	34	18	18	6	7
Females	5	13	13	5	28	6	6	2	3

See corresponding footnotes to Table 131.

Source: Ministry of Labour

TABLE 133

Estimated numbers of employees (¹)

Analysis by sex and age

At May in each year

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
United Kingdom										
Total	21,266	21,347	21,660	21,933	22,173	22,326	22,290	22,346	22,702	22,973
Males	13,997	14,016	14,136	14,257	14,397	14,499	14,518	14,531	14,675	14,815
Females	7,269	7,331	7,524	7,676	7,776	7,827	7,772	7,815	8,027	8,158
of whom married women	3,154	3,296	3,419	3,622	3,776	3,823	3,884	4,055	4,147	4,267
Northern Ireland										
Total	466	467	470	473	473	476	470	476	482	483
Males	297	296	296	297	297	299	298	301	305	305
Females	169	171	174	176	176	177	172	175	177	178
of whom married women	44	46	49	52	53	53	54	55	57	57
Great Britain										
Total	20,800	20,880	21,190	21,460	21,700	21,850	21,820	21,870	22,220	22,490
Males: Total	13,700	13,720	13,840	13,960	14,100	14,200	14,220	14,230	14,370	14,510
Aged under 18	686	684	698	692	678	663	660	684	737	737
18 and 19	297	288	328	375	398	431	481	522	544	597
20 – 24	1,252	1,223	1,222	1,219	1,236	1,237	1,237	1,254	1,334	1,361
25 – 29	1,593	1,579	1,572	1,545	1,533	1,512	1,494	1,478	1,483	1,465
30 – 34	1,575	1,650	1,712	1,675	1,618	1,594	1,577	1,567	1,534	1,520
35 – 39	1,551	1,465	1,387	1,416	1,479	1,546	1,617	1,686	1,626	1,580
40 – 44	1,595	1,586	1,575	1,567	1,559	1,515	1,437	1,358	1,369	1,437
45 – 49	1,519	1,535	1,538	1,548	1,553	1,560	1,556	1,551	1,520	1,520
50 – 54	1,288	1,331	1,382	1,409	1,440	1,473	1,478	1,477	1,481	1,485
55 – 59	1,014	1,021	1,041	1,088	1,142	1,192	1,237	1,280	1,315	1,337
60 – 64	805	821	844	858	874	880	882	880	926	979
65 and over	525	537	541	568	590	597	564	493	501	492
Females: Total	7,100	7,160	7,350	7,500	7,600	7,650	7,600	7,640	7,850	7,980
of whom married women	3,110	3,250	3,370	3,570	3,723	3,770	3,830	4,000	4,090	4,210
Aged under 18	695	692	705	704	684	666	666	691	742	750
18 and 19	517	533	548	541	540	548	528	520	524	555
20 – 24	1,116	1,085	1,078	1,079	1,071	1,058	1,047	1,045	1,050	1,042
25 – 29	746	733	742	755	739	711	678	657	665	658
30 – 34	645	661	708	683	661	646	627	624	638	635
35 – 39	656	628	624	663	695	725	750	787	769	759
40 – 44	714	729	746	777	785	773	731	713	742	787
45 – 49	695	715	737	767	790	807	814	817	858	857
50 – 54	571	597	633	653	694	727	745	754	783	805
55 – 59	444	454	485	506	531	553	568	581	608	648
60 – 64	195	209	224	235	258	274	278	281	296	307
65 and over	106	124	120	137	152	162	168	170	175	177

(¹) The figures relate to the total number of employees insurable under the national insurance scheme. They represent the number of employed persons aged 15 and over who work for pay or gain, or register themselves as available for such work. Part-time workers are counted as equivalent to whole-time workers.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Estimated numbers of employees(¹)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(²)

TABLE 134

At May in each year

Thousands

	United Kingdom			Great Britain			Northern Ireland		
	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961
Total	22,346	22,702	22,973	21,870	22,220	22,490	476·0	482·0	483·0
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	673	648	616	655	631	599	17·9	17·6	17·0
Agriculture and horticulture	621	598	567	605	583	552	15·2	15·0	14·8
Forestry	25	24	24	23	22	22	2·2	2·1	1·7
Fishing	27	26	25	27	26	25	0·5	0·5	0·5
Mining and quarrying	842	776	741	838	772	737	3·5	3·4	3·6
Coal mining	768	703	668	768	703	668	—	—	—
Stone and slate quarrying and mining	33	33	32	30	30	29	3·0	3·0	3·2
Chalk, clay, sand and gravel extraction	23	23	25	23	23	25	0·4	0·3	0·3
Other mining and quarrying	18	17	16	17	16	15	0·1	0·1	0·1
Total manufacturing industries	8,626	8,947	9,056	8,436	8,752	8,867	189·6	194·1	189·5
Food, drink and tobacco	825	828	842	798	799	813	27·0	28·5	28·8
Grain milling	44	44	45	41	41	42	3·1	3·0	3·1
Bread and flour confectionery	140	145	149	134	138	142	5·9	6·4	6·9
Biscuits	61	57	58	60	56	57	0·6	0·7	0·6
Bacon curing, meat and fish products	69	70	75	66	67	72	3·0	2·9	3·3
Milk products	43	44	44	40	41	42	2·5	2·5	2·4
Sugar	18	17	17	18	17	17	—	—	—
Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery	103	104	104	102	103	103	0·7	0·8	0·8
Fruit and vegetable products	80	79	78	79	77	76	1·9	2·2	1·8
Animal and poultry foods	21	20	21	21	20	20	0·2	0·3	0·5
Food industries not elsewhere specified	39	38	40	39	38	40	0·1	0·1	0·1
Brewing and malting	96	97	99	96	97	99	0·2	0·2	0·2
Other drink industries	63	64	65	61	63	63	1·4	1·5	1·5
Tobacco	48	49	47	41	41	40	7·4	7·9	7·6
Chemicals and allied industries	524	535	536	522	533	534	1·9	1·9	1·9
Coke ovens and manufactured fuel	19	19	19	19	19	19	—	—	—
Mineral oil refining	41	40	40	41	40	40	—	—	—
Lubricating oils and greases	9	10	9	9	10	9	—	—	—
Chemicals and dyes	221	220	220	220	218	218	1·3	1·6	1·6
Pharmaceutical and toilet preparations	67	73	73	66	73	73	—	—	0·1
Explosives and fireworks	37	34	33	37	34	33	—	—	—
Paint and printing ink	49	49	49	49	49	49	0·2	0·1	0·1
Vegetable and animal oils, fats, soap and detergents	46	45	45	46	45	45	0·3	0·1	0·1
Synthetic resins and plastics materials	23	31	33	23	31	33	0·1	0·1	—
Polishes, gelatine, adhesives, etc.	12	14	15	12	14	15	—	—	—

(¹) The figures represent the total number of employed persons aged 15 and over who work for pay or gain or register themselves as available for such work. Part-time workers are counted as equivalent to whole-time workers.

(²) Figures for earlier years, based on the *Standard Industrial Classification*, 1948, were published in the *Annual Abstract of Statistics*, 1961.

(³) Including a small number not classified.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Estimated numbers of employees(¹)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(²)

TABLE 134 (*continued*)

At May in each year

Thousands

	United Kingdom			Great Britain			Northern Ireland		
	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961
Metal manufacture	583	622	638	582	621	637	0·6	0·6	0·6
Iron and steel (general)	277	297	307	277	297	307	0·1	—	—
Steel tubes	52	55	56	52	55	56	—	0·1	0·1
Iron castings, etc.	122	127	129	121	127	128	0·5	0·5	0·5
Light metals	57	59	58	57	58	58	—	—	—
Copper, brass and other base metals	75	84	88	75	84	88	—	—	—
Engineering and electrical goods	1,949	2,064	2,155	1,929	2,043	2,133	19·0	20·6	22·1
Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	37	36	36	37	36	36	0·1	0·1	0·1
Metal-working machine tools	87	87	93	86	87	93	0·4	0·3	0·3
Engineers' small tools and gauges	45	49	55	45	49	55	0·1	0·1	0·1
Industrial engines	35	40	44	35	40	44	—	—	—
Textile machinery and accessories	53	59	62	48	54	56	4·5	5·2	5·7
Contractors' plant and quarrying machinery	24	27	27	24	27	27	—	0·1	0·1
Mechanical handling equipment	49	51	55	49	51	55	—	0·1	—
Office machinery	55	60	68	53	57	65	1·9	2·3	2·9
Other machinery	323	336	349	321	334	346	2·3	2·7	2·6
Industrial plant and steelwork	149	155	161	149	154	161	0·2	0·3	0·4
Ordnance and small arms	37	34	32	37	34	32	0·2	0·2	0·2
Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	185	199	210	184	198	208	1·2	1·4	1·6
Scientific, surgical and photographic instruments, etc.	117	126	136	116	125	135	0·8	1·0	1·1
Watches and clocks	15	16	16	15	15	16	—	—	—
Electrical machinery	212	218	226	209	216	224	2·6	2·2	2·3
Insulated wires and cables	61	61	64	61	61	63	0·2	0·2	0·4
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	58	62	66	58	61	66	0·1	0·1	0·1
Radio and other electronic apparatus	218	237	241	214	234	237	3·8	3·7	3·7
Domestic electric appliances	59	66	67	58	66	67	0·3	0·3	0·3
Other electrical goods	130	145	147	130	144	147	0·3	0·3	0·2
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	305	292	275	281	266	252	24·5	25·9	22·8
Shipbuilding and ship repairing	221	211	200	204	192	184	16·8	18·5	15·6
Marine engineering	84	81	75	77	74	68	7·7	7·4	7·2
Vehicles	876	924	901	867	916	894	9·8	8·4	7·5
Motor vehicle manufacturing	385	437	415	384	436	414	0·9	0·7	0·7
Motor cycle, three-wheel vehicle and pedal cycle manufacturing	37	42	34	37	42	34	0·1	—	—
Aircraft manufacturing and repairing	296	293	304	288	286	298	8·6	7·5	6·5
Locomotives and railway track equipment	72	72	69	72	72	69	0·1	0·1	0·2
Railway carriages and wagons and trams	79	73	72	79	73	72	—	—	—
Perambulators, hand-trucks, etc.	7	7	7	7	7	7	0·1	0·1	0·1
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	515	551	565	513	550	563	1·3	1·4	1·6
Tools and implements	23	25	25	23	25	25	0·1	—	—
Cutlery	10	10	12	10	10	12	—	—	0·1
Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.	41	45	48	41	45	48	—	—	—
Wire and wire manufactures	42	44	45	42	44	45	—	—	—
Cans and metal boxes	35	37	37	34	37	36	0·5	0·6	0·5
Jewellery, plate and refining of precious metals	29	29	30	29	29	30	0·1	—	—
Metal industries not elsewhere specified	335	361	368	334	360	367	0·6	0·8	1·0

See footnotes on page 106.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Estimated numbers of employees(¹)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(²)

TABLE 134 (*continued*)

At May in each year

Thousands

	United Kingdom			Great Britain			Northern Ireland		
	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961
Textiles	918	917	904	855	854	844	63·0	63·0	59·7
Production of man-made fibres	40	44	45	39	42	43	1·6	1·9	2·0
Spinning and doubling of cotton, flax and man-made fibres	156	148	140	139	131	124	17·2	17·6	15·6
Weaving of cotton, linen and man-made fibres	142	136	130	125	121	116	16·4	16·0	14·4
Woollen and worsted	202	204	203	200	201	201	2·1	2·0	2·1
Jute	18	19	18	18	19	18	—	—	—
Rope, twine and net	15	15	14	14	13	12	1·6	1·7	1·9
Hosiery and other knitted goods	118	126	130	115	123	127	2·6	2·6	2·7
Lace	10	10	9	9	9	8	0·6	0·6	0·5
Carpets	35	37	37	33	36	36	1·5	1·3	1·3
Narrow fabrics	22	22	22	22	22	22	0·3	0·3	0·2
Made-up textiles	45	43	45	32	30	32	13·0	13·0	13·4
Textile finishing	88	86	83	82	81	77	5·9	5·8	5·5
Other textile industries	27	27	28	27	26	28	0·2	0·2	0·1
Leather, leather goods and fur	65	64	64	64	64	63	0·8	0·7	0·7
Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery	32	31	32	32	31	31	0·5	0·5	0·5
Leather goods	24	24	23	23	24	23	0·3	0·2	0·2
Fur	9	9	9	9	9	9	—	—	—
Clothing and footwear	580	597	600	554	570	573	25·9	27·0	27·0
Weatherproof outerwear	30	30	32	30	30	31	0·3	0·3	0·4
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	132	135	137	127	131	133	4·3	4·2	4·2
Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	67	67	69	67	67	69	0·3	0·3	0·3
Overalls, and men's shirts, underwear, etc.	62	65	62	49	51	49	12·7	13·5	13·2
Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	116	123	120	111	118	115	5·1	5·4	5·5
Hats, caps and millinery	16	16	16	16	15	15	0·6	0·6	0·5
Dress industries not elsewhere specified	42	44	44	40	42	42	1·6	1·7	2·0
Footwear	115	117	120	114	116	119	1·0	1·0	1·0
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	334	344	351	330	340	347	4·0	4·1	4·2
Bricks, fireclay and refractory goods	76	78	79	75	77	78	1·1	1·1	1·2
Pottery	68	68	69	68	67	68	0·5	0·6	0·6
Glass	77	77	78	77	77	78	0·1	0·1	0·1
Cement	17	17	18	16	17	18	0·4	0·4	0·4
Abrasives and building materials, etc., not elsewhere specified	96	104	107	94	102	105	1·9	1·9	1·9
Timber, furniture, etc.	289	297	294	285	292	290	4·7	4·6	4·5
Timber	92	94	95	90	92	93	2·1	1·8	1·7
Furniture and upholstery	106	109	103	104	108	101	1·9	2·0	2·0
Bedding, etc.	20	19	19	20	19	19	0·1	0·2	0·1
Shop and office fitting	24	27	30	24	27	30	0·1	0·1	0·1
Wooden containers and baskets	26	26	26	26	25	26	0·3	0·3	0·4
Miscellaneous wood and cork manufactures	21	22	21	21	21	21	0·2	0·2	0·2
Paper, printing and publishing	579	606	622	573	600	616	5·7	6·0	6·2
Paper and board	91	94	99	91	94	99	0·1	0·1	0·1
Cardboard boxes, cartons and fibre-board packing cases	62	67	69	60	65	67	1·5	1·8	1·9
Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified	64	67	71	64	67	71	0·2	0·2	0·1
Printing, publishing of newspapers and periodicals	130	137	138	128	135	136	2·1	2·0	2·1
Other printing, publishing, bookbinding, engraving, etc.	232	241	245	230	239	243	1·8	1·9	2·0

See footnotes on page 106.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Estimated numbers of employees(1)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(2)

TABLE 134 (*continued*)

At May in each year

Thousands

	United Kingdom			Great Britain			Northern Ireland		
	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961	1959	1960	1961
Other manufacturing industries	284	306	310	283	304	308	1·4	1·6	1·9
Rubber	116	124	126	115	123	125	0·3	0·4	0·5
Linoleum, leather cloth, etc.	18	19	18	18	19	18	—	—	—
Brushes and brooms	16	16	16	16	16	16	0·2	0·2	0·2
Toys, games and sports equipment	29	32	35	29	31	34	0·6	0·7	0·9
Miscellaneous stationers' goods	11	12	12	11	12	12	—	—	—
Plastics moulding and fabricating	55	63	66	55	63	66	0·1	0·1	0·1
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	39	40	37	39	40	37	0·2	0·2	0·2
Construction	1,480	1,505	1,556	1,434	1,462	1,511	46·3	43·7	44·7
Gas, electricity and water	385	381	389	378	374	382	6·9	7·1	7·2
Gas	136	130	128	133	127	126	2·5	2·6	2·6
Electricity	212	214	222	209	211	218	3·7	3·8	3·9
Water supply	37	37	39	36	36	38	0·7	0·7	0·7
Transport and communication	1,683	1,667	1,689	1,653	1,636	1,658	29·3	30·7	30·9
Railways	470	452	452	467	449	449	3·0	2·8	2·6
Road passenger transport	283	274	275	274	265	267	8·1	8·4	8·4
Road haulage contracting	187	192	197	184	189	194	3·3	3·3	3·1
Sea transport	164	163	163	160	160	160	3·1	3·4	3·3
Port and inland water transport	157	156	153	153	151	149	4·0	4·1	4·1
Air transport	38	41	46	38	41	46	0·3	0·3	0·3
Postal services and telecommunications	318	318	329	311	310	320	6·8	7·8	8·5
Miscellaneous transport services and storage	66	71	74	66	71	73	0·8	0·6	0·6
Distributive trades	2,803	2,870	2,892	2,741	2,808	2,829	61·7	61·9	62.9
Wholesale distribution	538	542	542	523	528	528	14·2	13·9	14·2
Retail distribution	1,972	2,033	2,053	1,932	1,993	2,012	39·6	40·5	41·0
Dealing in coal, builders' materials, grain and agricultural supplies (wholesale or retail)	169	165	165	164	159	159	5·8	5·6	5·9
Dealing in other industrial materials and machinery	124	130	132	122	128	130	2·1	1·9	1·8
Insurance, banking and finance	538	550	568	531	541	560	7·6	8·3	8·3
Professional and scientific services	1,970	2,025	2,103	1,928	1,982	2,059	41·9	43·4	44·5
Accountancy services	78	79	82	77	78	81	1·2	1·2	1·3
Educational services	876	910	951	858	891	931	18·1	19·0	19·5
Legal services	85	88	90	83	87	89	1·5	1·3	1·4
Medical and dental services	755	744	795	736	754	775	18·8	19·7	20·2
Religious organisations	23	21	21	22	21	20	0·7	0·7	0·6
Other professional and scientific services	153	153	164	152	151	163	1·6	1·5	1·5
Miscellaneous services	2,042	2,036	2,047	2,005	1,999	2,008	37·5	37·1	39·1
Cinemas, theatres, radio, etc.	145	136	138	142	134	136	2·2	2·1	2·0
Sport and other recreations	53	53	55	53	53	54	0·6	0·6	0·6
Betting	38	39	42	37	38	41	0·9	0·9	0·9
Catering, hotels, etc.	601	592	583	591	582	573	10·5	10·0	10·0
Laundries	132	130	129	130	127	126	2·6	2·8	2·8
Dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc.	47	46	47	46	45	46	0·7	0·7	0·8
Motor repairers, distributors, garages and filling stations	348	361	375	339	353	366	8·2	8·4	9·1
Repair of boots and shoes	19	18	17	19	18	17	0·5	0·3	0·4
Hairdressing and manicure	78	87	95	76	86	94	1·2	1·3	1·3
Private domestic service	312	287	264	305	279	256	7·4	7·2	8·0
Other services	269	287	302	267	284	299	2·7(3)	2·8(3)	3·2(3)
Public administration	1,295	1,294	1,313	1,262	1,260	1,278	33·5	34·5	35·2
National government service	537	534	540	515	512	518	22·1	21·8	22·1
Local government service	758	760	773	747	749	760	11·4	12·7	13·1
Ex-service personnel not classified by industry	9	3	2	9	3	2	0·3	0·2	0·1

See footnotes on page 106.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Strength and intake of the Armed Forces

TABLE 135

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Strength (At 30 June in each year)										
Total serving(1)	848·4	841·3	816·1	783·5	745·2	687·1	600·1	550·1	503·3	458·4
Royal Navy(2)	141·2	138·0	127·7	122·1	116·1	110·1	101·8	96·7	93·4	91·4
Army(3)	445·0	435·1	436·5	415·7	393·0	361·1	318·2	287·4	251·8	217·4
Royal Air Force	262·2	268·2	251·9	245·7	236·1	215·9	180·1	165·9	158·1	149·6
On strength of the Reserves:										
Total	429·1	610·8	800·3	865·4	904·8	883·7	882·3	839·1	770·1	642·6
Royal Navy:										
Regular Reserves	34·7	34·6	43·6	48·1	53·1	24·6	25·4	25·5	25·7	23·4
Volunteer and Emergency Reserves(4)	25·6	27·0	27·6	28·7	29·2	24·1	23·4	22·3	20·5	19·3
Royal Naval Special Reserve	7·4	8·7	10·4	5·9	8·7	11·9	14·3	15·0	11·4	6·7
Army:										
Regular Reserves	24·8	60·5	72·4	101·7	143·3	167·0	187·3	178·6	155·7	131·9
Territorial Army	170·9	223·3	280·6	274·6	250·3	241·1	248·9	253·8	255·8	169·4
Territorial Army Reserve of Officers	15·6	16·0	16·6	16·6	17·2	17·7	17·7	18·0	17·9	18·2
Army Emergency Reserve	63·6	111·7	153·3	180·9	184·1	189·6	182·6	166·8	149·5	176·7
Army Officers Emergency Reserve	3·5	3·7	3·9	3·9	3·9	3·9	3·9	3·9	3·8	3·8
Royal Air Force(5):										
Regular Reserves	5·2	6·7	30·7	54·4	77·3	75·8	30·8	24·5	29·9	25·8
Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve	11·7	11·7	11·7	9·6	7·6	6·4	5·2	4·3	3·3	2·4
Royal Auxiliary Air Force	6·3	6·5	6·4	6·1	6·0	2·3	1·7	1·1	0·9	0·4
Royal Auxiliary Air Force Reserve	0·2	0·3	0·4	0·5	0·6	1·7	1·5	0·9	0·8	0·9
Reserve of Officers (N.S.) and Class " H " Reserve	59·6	100·1	142·7	134·4	123·5	117·5	139·5	124·4	94·9	63·7
Intake										
Total intake from civil life(1)	266·6	238·0	221·1	217·4	230·9	154·3	144·1	113·9	101·2	51·0
Royal Navy	17·8	13·7	14·3	14·2	12·4	10·3	9·6	7·5	6·7	7·5
Army	170·4	156·6	145·6	140·2	160·7	106·1	101·1	78·3	71·5	31·0
Royal Air Force	78·4	67·7	61·1	63·0	57·8	37·9	33·4	28·1	23·0	12·5
Regular and short service commissions and engagements included above:										
Royal Navy(6)	10·9	9·8	8·4	8·0	8·8	7·5	8·6	7·2	6·6	7·5
Army(7)	42·9	43·3	35·3	31·4	36·1	27·5	31·0	28·6	20·9	31·0
Royal Air Force	38·6	31·0	27·7	20·8	21·1	17·1	21·3	16·8	13·9	12·5

Source: Service Departments

(1) Men locally enlisted abroad are excluded, except that the figures for the Army include those whose documents are held in the United Kingdom.

(2) Excluding Royal Marine Police.

(3) Including men in categories Y.6 and Y.8.

(4) Royal Naval Reserve, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (including temporary officers for part-time National Service), Volunteer Supplementary Reserve and Emergency Reserves.

(5) Excluding retired officers, airmen pensioners and Supplementary Lists.

(6) Excluding approximately 8,800 Reservists recalled in the years 1950 to 1953.

(7) Excluding 35,200 Reservists recalled in 1956.

Strength and intake of the Women's Services

TABLE 136

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Strength (At 30 June in each year)										
Total serving(1)	23·6	24·3	22·8	19·4	16·1	15·0	14·1	15·1	15·2	15·4
Women's Royal Naval Service	4·6	4·7	4·5	4·1	3·5	3·4	3·3	3·3	3·1	2·9
Women's Royal Army Corps(2)	6·3	7·1	6·8	5·8	4·7	4·4	4·1	4·6	4·6	4·7
Women's Royal Air Force	10·0	9·5	8·6	6·8	5·4	4·7	4·3	4·9	5·3	5·6
Nursing Services:										
Total	2·7	3·0	2·9	2·7	2·5	2·5	2·3	2·3	2·2	2·2
Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3
Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps	1·8	2·1	2·0	1·8	1·7	1·7	1·6	1·6	1·5	1·5
Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service	0·4	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·4	0·4
Queen's Army Schoolmistresses	0·2	0·1	0·1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
On strength of the Reserves:										
Total	16·7	20·0	18·4	15·1	13·0	11·8	11·4	10·8	11·2	9·4
Women's Royal Naval Reserve(3)	—	2·9	2·5	2·3	2·1	1·9	1·6	1·0	1·0	1·0
Women's Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve(3)	0·6	1·2	1·3	1·3	1·2	1·1	1·0	—	—	—
Women's Royal Naval Supplementary Reserve(3)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·4	0·4	0·3
Women's Royal Army Corps (Territorial Army and all Reserves)	11·1	11·0	10·1	7·4	6·0	5·4	5·8	6·6	7·1	5·8
Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps (Territorial Army and all Reserves)	1·6	1·6	1·7	1·7	1·8	1·8	1·8	1·9	1·9	1·7
Women's Royal Air Force (all Auxiliary and Reserve Forces)	3·4	3·3	2·8	2·4	2·0	1·6	1·3	0·9	0·8	0·6
Intake										
Total intake from civil life(1)	8·8	8·9	6·5	4·4	4·9	4·5	5·2	5·9	5·3	6·4
Women's Royal Naval Service	1·4	1·6	1·5	0·8	0·8	1·1	1·1	0·8	0·8	0·8
Women's Royal Army Corps	3·0	3·7	2·6	1·5	1·9	1·5	2·0	2·1	2·0	2·4
Women's Royal Air Force	3·4	2·7	1·8	1·4	1·4	1·2	1·5	2·3	1·9	2·5
Nursing Services:										
Total	0·9	1·0	0·6	0·7	0·7	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·7
Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	—	—	—	0·1
Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps	0·7	0·7	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5	0·5
Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1

(1) Women locally enlisted abroad are excluded, except that the figures for the Women's Royal Army Corps include those whose documents are held in the United Kingdom.

(2) Including women in categories Y.6 and Y.8.

(3) In November 1958, the Women's Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve was renamed Women's Royal Naval Reserve, and certain ratings of the former W.R.N.R. were incorporated in the new body. At the same date, an emergency reserve of officers, entitled the Women's Royal Naval Supplementary Reserve, was formed.

Source: Service Departments

Industrial staff in the Civil Service(1)

TABLE 137 | At 1 April in each year | Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total	418·9	428·6	435·0	425·1	423·4	412·2	385·2	366·4	358·9	357·8	357·4
Males	375·9	384·5	389·6	379·4	377·1	369·1	349·5	335·5	328·0	325·5	324·3
Whole-time	375·8	384·4	389·4	379·2	376·9	368·9	349·3	335·3	327·7	324·5	324·0
Part-time	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·6	0·5
Females	43·0	44·1	45·5	45·8	46·3	43·2	35·7	31·0	30·9	32·3	33·1
Whole-time	39·9	41·1	42·2	42·2	42·3	38·8	31·5	26·6	25·9	27·0	27·6
Part-time	6·1	6·1	6·5	7·2	8·1	8·7	8·5	8·8	10·0	10·6	11·0
Admiralty	102·6	105·9	106·6	106·6	106·3	102·4	97·0	91·1	86·3	83·6	83·1
War Office(2)	76·7	74·4	77·4	77·1	75·4	73·9	66·5	61·3	90·4	94·7	92·9
Air Ministry	43·0	44·3	45·4	44·6	45·2	44·2	43·0	41·3	39·0	37·7	36·9
Ministry of Supply(2)	74·4	82·0	73·0	72·4	69·4	63·3	52·9	48·2	—	—	—
Ministry of Aviation(2)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21·1	14·6	14·3
Post Office	73·5	74·4	74·7	78·1	83·0	85·0	83·7	82·8	83·9	89·4	93·0
Forestry Commission	12·7	12·9	13·5	13·3	13·0	13·0	12·5	12·4	12·2	12·0	11·4
Home Office(3)	2·2	2·3	2·4	2·5	2·6	2·8	2·6	2·5	2·4	2·4	2·4
Stationery Office	4·4	4·3	4·0	3·8	3·7	3·7	3·6	3·7	3·7	3·7	3·8
Ministry of Works	20·3	19·1	18·4	16·9	15·4	14·7	14·3	13·8	13·2	13·1	12·4
Other departments(4)	7·0	6·8	17·0	6·8	6·4	6·2	5·9	6·0	6·3	6·6	7·2

(1) Including part-time workers, two part-time workers being counted as one whole-time worker. Excluding staff in Northern Ireland other than reserved and agency services.

(2) In October 1959 there was a transfer of functions between the Ministry of Supply, the Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation and the War Office which included the dissolution of the Ministry of Supply and the setting up of the Ministry of Aviation.

(3) The figures include staff of the State Management Districts.

(4) Departments whose industrial staffs at 1 April 1962 totalled fewer than 2,000 are included in these figures and not shown separately.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Non-industrial staff in the Civil Service(1)

TABLE 138 | At 1 April in each year | Thousands

	Total			Males			Females		
	Total	Whole-time	Part-time	Total	Whole-time	Part-time	Total	Whole-time	Part-time
1948	693·4	673·5	39·9	435·8	429·2	13·1	257·6	244·2	26·8
1949	706·2	683·7	45·0	451·8	445·4	12·7	254·4	238·3	32·3
1950	684·8	664·2	41·2	449·8	443·8	12·2	235·0	220·5	29·0
1951	675·4	655·2	40·5	447·7	441·8	11·7	227·8	213·4	28·8
1952	684·0	663·4	41·3	453·3	447·3	11·9	230·7	216·0	29·4
1953	666·1	646·2	39·9	448·0	442·2	11·6	218·1	204·0	28·3
1954	654·8	635·6	38·4	445·5	439·8	11·5	209·2	195·8	26·9
1955	635·7	616·7	37·9	434·0	428·1	11·8	201·6	188·6	26·1
1956	638·8	618·6	40·4	433·4	426·9	13·2	205·3	191·7	27·2
1957	635·7	616·9	37·6	432·6	426·9	11·4	203·1	190·0	26·2
1958	630·7	611·7	38·0	430·4	424·6	11·7	200·3	187·1	26·3
1959	632·9	613·7	38·4	429·1	423·2	11·7	203·8	190·5	26·6
1960	637·4	618·3	38·2	429·6	423·9	11·5	207·8	194·4	26·8
1961	650·2	630·6	39·2	433·2	427·5	11·4	217·0	203·1	27·8
1962	669·8	649·2	41·4	444·1	438·3	11·7	225·7	210·9	29·7

(1) Established and unestablished, excluding staff in Northern Ireland other than reserved and agency services. In arriving at the totals two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Non-industrial staff in the Civil Service

Departmental analysis

At 1 April in each year

TABLE 139

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total non-industrial staff(¹)	684·0	666·1	654·8	635·7	638·8	635·7	630·7	632·9	637·4	650·2	669·8
Post Office(²): Total	252·6	249·6	247·9	247·8	252·3	251·6	253·1	254·9	254·9	261·0	272·9
Service and supply departments:											
Total	138·8	137·8	140·4	134·3	134·6	132·8	128·0	125·2	131·2	132·9	136·3
Admiralty	33·2	33·2	33·8	33·7	33·7	33·0	32·3	31·4	30·7	30·7	31·3
War Office(³)	38·6	38·6	39·2	39·2	38·5	38·3	36·8	35·7	47·2	50·6	52·1
Air Ministry	26·2	26·2	26·4	26·6	27·0	27·1	26·4	27·0	27·6	28·0	28·7
Ministry of Supply(³)(⁴)	39·8	38·9	33·0	34·0	34·6	33·5	31·6	30·2	—	—	—
Ministry of Aviation(³)(⁴)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24·8	22·6	23·2
Other departments(⁵)	0·9	0·9	8·0	0·8	0·8	0·9	0·9	0·9	0·9	1·0	1·0
Social services:											
Total	69·9	67·8	66·0	65·9	63·7	62·8	62·7	62·2	62·8	65·2	66·3
Ministry of Education	3·0	2·9	2·9	2·9	2·9	2·8	2·7	2·7	2·8	2·8	2·9
Ministry of Health	3·3	3·2	5·9	5·8	5·3	5·2	5·0	5·1	5·0	5·2	4·7
Ministry of Housing and Local Government	3·4	3·3	3·2	3·0	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·9
National Assistance Board	9·0	9·7	10·0	10·3	9·9	9·7	10·0	10·0	10·5	11·2	11·2
Ministry of National Insurance	33·4	32·7									
Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance(⁶)	9·3	8·9	37·7	37·8	36·9	36·7	36·8	36·2	36·3	37·7	38·6
Other departments(⁵)	8·4	7·1	6·3	6·1	5·9	5·6	5·4	5·4	5·4	5·5	6·0
Revenue departments:											
Total	68·0	66·6	66·6	65·4	66·5	66·6	67·4	68·2	71·4	73·7	72·9
Board of Inland Revenue	53·2	51·7	51·6	50·5	51·5	51·4	52·2	53·0	56·0	58·1	57·2
H.M. Customs and Excise	14·8	14·9	15·0	14·9	15·0	15·2	15·2	15·2	15·4	15·6	15·7
Trade, industry and transport:											
Total	98·1	90·0	80·1	69·1	68·1	68·5	66·0	68·0	62·0	61·4	62·3
Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries	14·3	13·6	12·6	12·4							
Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food(⁷)	25·5	21·4	14·4	5·6	16·6	15·6	15·1	14·8	14·9	14·8	14·8
Forestry Commission	2·1	2·2	2·2	2·3	2·5	2·5	2·6	2·6	2·6	2·6	2·7
Ministry of Labour	26·6	25·4	24·5	22·9	22·3	21·2	20·9	22·9	21·4	20·2	20·1
Department of Scientific and Industrial Research	3·0	3·0	3·1	3·2	3·3	3·5	3·6	3·9	4·3	4·6	4·9
Board of Trade	8·3	7·5	6·9	7·3	7·3	7·1	6·9	6·8	6·7	7·0	7·3
Ministry of Transport(³)(⁸)	6·0	5·8	10·6	10·7	11·1	11·7	11·9	12·1	6·9	7·1	7·3
Ministry of Civil Aviation(³)	4·9	4·8							—	—	—
Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland	1·7	1·7	1·6	1·5	1·9	2·0	2·0	2·1	2·4	2·4	2·4
Other departments(⁵)	5·5	4·5	4·2	3·1	3·1	4·9	3·0	2·8	2·8	2·7	2·8
Agency services:											
Total	24·4	22·8	21·8	20·8	20·5	19·7	18·8	18·4	18·4	18·4	18·1
Ordnance Survey	4·6	4·4	4·1	4·0	3·9	3·8	3·8	3·8	3·8	3·8	3·9
Stationery Office	3·3	3·1	3·1	3·0	3·0	3·0	2·9	2·9	2·9	2·9	3·0
Ministry of Works	15·6	14·5	13·8	13·1	12·8	12·1	11·3	10·9	10·7	10·6	10·0
Other departments(⁵)	0·9	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·8	0·8	1·0	1·1	1·2
Central government, home and legal departments:											
Total	23·3	23·2	23·6	23·9	24·3	25·0	26·1	27·4	27·9	28·6	30·6
County Courts	1·8	1·8	1·9	2·0	2·2	2·5	2·9	3·3	3·8	4·1	4·7
Home Office	3·4	3·3	3·3	3·3	3·3	3·5	3·6	3·6	3·5	3·6	3·7
Land Registry	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·9	1·1	1·1	1·2	1·4	1·7	1·8	2·0
Prison Commission	6·1	6·4	6·6	6·7	6·7	6·9	7·4	8·0	8·6	8·5	9·3
Other departments(⁵)	11·2	11·0	11·0	11·0	11·0	11·1	11·0	10·8	10·3	10·7	10·9
Commonwealth and foreign services:											
Total	9·0	8·4	8·4	8·4	8·7	8·6	8·6	8·6	8·8	9·0	10·4
Foreign Office	6·0	5·6	5·6	5·7	6·0	5·9	5·8	5·8	6·0	6·1	7·1
Other departments(⁵)	3·0	2·8	2·8	2·7	2·7	2·7	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·9	3·3

Source: H.M. Treasury

(¹) Established and unestablished, excluding staff in Northern Ireland other than reserved and agency services. In arriving at the totals two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.

(²) Excluding sub-postmasters and sub-postmistresses.

(³) See footnote (²) to Table 137.

(⁴) The figures include some staff engaged on civil work.

(⁵) Departments with staffs totalling less than 2,000 at 1 April 1962 (including the staffs of the Scottish departments) have been included in these totals and are not shown separately.

(⁶) The figures before 1954 are of staff of the former Ministry of Pensions.

(⁷) The figures before 1956 are of staff of the former Ministry of Food.

(⁸) The figures for the years 1954–1959 are of staff of the Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation.

Non-industrial whole-time staff in the Civil Service(¹)

Analysis by staff groups

TABLE **140**

At 1 April in each year

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total	663·4	646·2	635·6	616·7	618·6	616·9	611·7	613·7	618·3	630·6	649·2
Administrative:											
Total	3·9	3·6	3·5	3·5	3·4	3·3	3·3	3·2	3·2	3·2	3·3
Home	3·0	2·8	2·8	2·8	2·7	2·6	2·6	2·5	2·4	2·4	2·5
Foreign	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·8	0·8
Executive	72·1	70·7	69·3	67·3	68·1	67·7	67·2	67·9	68·8	70·7	72·5
Clerical and clerical assistants	213·7	202·8	194·3	184·8	183·7	183·2	180·6	182·1	184·5	188·6	191·3
Typing	30·0	28·7	28·1	26·8	26·2	26·4	25·5	25·6	25·7	25·5	25·4
Inspectorate	3·5	3·3	3·0	2·8	2·7	2·8	2·6	2·6	2·6	2·6	2·7
Professional, scientific and technical	75·1	74·0	75·7	72·6	72·4	72·7	71·8	70·5	70·5	72·2	75·0
Ancillary technical, etc.	38·0	38·6	39·8	38·6	40·4	41·0	41·4	41·9	43·3	44·6	46·5
Minor and manipulative	194·9	193·7	191·8	190·6	192·3	190·9	191·2	192·3	192·4	196·1	205·2
Messengers, porters, etc.	32·1	30·7	30·1	29·7	29·4	28·9	28·1	27·6	27·3	27·1	27·3
Males	447·3	442·2	439·8	428·1	426·9	426·9	424·6	423·2	423·9	427·5	438·3
Administrative	3·6	3·4	3·3	3·3	3·2	3·1	3·1	3·0	3·0	3.0	3·1
Executive	60·1	59·3	58·3	56·5	57·1	56·8	56·3	56·8	57·6	59·2	60·7
Clerical and clerical assistants	116·7	112·6	109·2	104·7	101·8	100·3	97·3	96·0	95·8	95·6	93·7
Typing	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4
Inspectorate	3·1	2·9	2·6	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·2	2·2	2·3	2·3	2·4
Professional, scientific and technical	70·2	68·8	70·4	67·5	67·2	67·4	66·6	65·6	65·7	67·3	69·9
Ancillary technical, etc.	26·8	26·7	27·4	26·4	27·7	28·1	28·3	28·7	29·8	30·2	31·6
Minor and manipulative	138·2	140·4	141·0	140·1	140·6	142·3	144·9	145·6	144·8	145.2	152·1
Messengers, porters, etc.	28·2	27·7	27·3	26·8	26·6	26·1	25·5	24·9	24·5	24·3	24·4
Females	216·0	204·0	195·8	188·6	191·7	190·0	187·1	190·5	194·4	203·1	210·9
Administrative	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2
Executive	12·0	11·3	11·0	10·8	10·9	10·9	10·9	11·1	11·2	11·5	11·8
Clerical and clerical assistants	97·0	90·2	85·1	80·1	81·9	82·9	83·3	86·1	88·7	93·0	97·6
Typing	29·6	28·3	27·7	26·4	25·8	26·0	25·1	25·2	25·3	25·1	25·0
Inspectorate	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3
Professional, scientific and technical	4·8	5·2	5·3	5·2	5·3	5·3	5·2	4·9	4·8	4·9	5·1
Ancillary technical, etc.	11·2	12·0	12·4	12·2	12·7	12·9	13·1	13·2	13·5	14·4	14·9
Minor and manipulative	56·7	53·3	50·8	50·5	51·7	48·6	46·3	46·7	47·6	50·9	53·1
Messengers, porters, etc.	4·0	3·0	2·9	2·9	2·8	2·8	2·6	2·7	2·8	2·8	2·9

(¹) Excluding staff in Northern Ireland other than reserved and agency services.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Numbers registered as unemployed(1)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(2)

TABLE 141

At June in each year

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1959	1960	1961	1962	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total	449,468	334,683	299,392	431,883	413,311	305,127	265,912	397,183
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	17,689	15,144	13,186	14,255	13,822	11,692	9,315	11,026
Agriculture and horticulture	13,591	11,130	9,851	10,626	10,256	7,910	6,314	7,587
Forestry	721	424	452	444	386	330	271	370
Fishing	3,377	3,590	2,883	3,185	3,180	3,452	2,730	3,069
Mining and quarrying(3)	8,429	6,530	4,494	6,597	8,269	6,399	4,369	6,470
Coal mining(3)	6,100	5,562	3,705	5,418	6,090	5,555	3,702	5,414
Stone and slate quarrying and mining	1,306	480	393	453	1,192	383	299	345
Chalk, clay, sand and gravel extraction	273	251	156	210	241	228	135	198
Other mining and quarrying	750	237	240	516	746	233	233	513
Total manufacturing industries	157,382	101,537	94,460	147,185	146,878	94,671	82,468	136,181
Food, drink and tobacco	17,488	12,596	11,106	15,034	15,942	11,402	9,608	13,440
Grain milling	599	451	391	543	551	409	350	498
Bread and flour confectionery	3,029	2,067	1,757	2,583	2,854	1,934	1,541	2,373
Biscuits	1,388	922	634	937	1,303	899	585	909
Bacon curing, meat and fish products	1,517	1,068	985	1,379	1,427	978	887	1,280
Milk products	731	552	493	714	676	492	420	611
Sugar	447	374	293	332	444	372	290	328
Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery	2,061	1,276	1,089	1,693	1,986	1,232	1,027	1,615
Fruit and vegetable products	2,890	2,271	2,149	2,473	2,334	1,724	1,662	1,875
Animal and poultry foods	494	347	319	461	449	330	282	436
Food industries not elsewhere specified	580	430	371	529	558	418	359	511
Brewing and malting	1,418	1,066	917	1,212	1,390	1,036	887	1,192
Other drink industries	1,481	1,140	962	1,398	1,381	1,089	872	1,309
Tobacco	853	632	746	780	589	489	446	503
Chemicals and allied industries	6,668	4,841	4,329	6,262	6,425	4,731	4,199	6,168
Coke ovens and manufactured fuel	369	272	233	312	368	272	233	306
Mineral oil refining	374	312	352	591	357	300	346	591
Lubricating oils and greases	99	53	60	84	97	51	59	77
Chemicals and dyes	2,372	1,836	1,632	2,295	2,254	1,759	1,547	2,240
Pharmaceutical and toilet preparations	684	451	434	660	666	448	421	656
Explosives and fireworks	1,045	814	621	824	1,031	814	619	822
Paint and printing ink	631	397	361	498	612	389	351	490
Vegetable and animal oils, fats, soap and detergents	726	441	397	578	706	435	391	571
Synthetic resins and plastics materials	163	122	121	221	144	121	115	217
Polishes, gelatine, adhesives, etc.	205	143	118	199	190	142	117	198

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(1) The figures include all unemployed persons on the registers of Employment Exchanges with the exception of registered severely disabled persons who are unlikely to obtain work other than under special conditions.

(2) Figures for earlier years, based on the *Standard Industrial Classification*, 1948, were published in the *Annual Abstract of Statistics*, 1961.

(3) The figures for "Coal mining" exclude all the unemployed who, although previously employed in coal mining, were known to be unfit for employment in that industry. These men are included with "Other persons not classified by industry."

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Numbers registered as unemployed(¹)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(²)

TABLE 141 (*continued*)

At June in each year

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1959	1960	1961	1962	1959	1960	1961	1962
Metal manufacture	18,303	5,771	7,655	15,413	18,134	5,700	7,566	15,327
Iron and steel (general)	11,208	2,287	4,564	9,266	11,166	2,266	4,527	9,231
Steel tubes	1,442	751	547	802	1,427	744	536	793
Iron castings, etc.	3,941	1,662	1,529	3,429	3,871	1,632	1,503	3,402
Light metals	608	473	357	627	595	468	351	623
Copper, brass and other base metals	1,104	598	658	1,289	1,075	590	649	1,278
Engineering and electrical goods	23,817	14,743	14,331	22,289	22,865	13,847	13,119	21,280
Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	433	308	248	358	411	306	243	348
Metal-working machine tools	1,106	583	540	954	1,069	566	527	938
Engineers' small tools and gauges	606	320	273	469	577	314	261	460
Industrial engines	371	208	161	358	344	201	157	349
Textile machinery and accessories	1,373	418	418	680	1,184	337	300	555
Contractors' plant and quarrying machinery	264	141	112	240	255	136	111	237
Mechanical handling equipment	649	385	339	536	632	378	334	534
Office machinery	424	308	445	419	394	296	396	384
Other machinery	4,613	2,668	3,018	4,615	4,504	2,625	2,911	4,442
Industrial plant and steelwork	1,850	1,078	862	1,838	1,840	1,072	844	1,835
Ordnance and small arms	663	406	312	420	661	405	311	416
Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	2,265	1,364	1,301	1,975	2,236	1,260	1,177	1,854
Scientific, surgical and photographic instruments, etc.	1,017	559	608	875	928	522	556	810
Watches and clocks	334	243	197	312	332	236	193	298
Electrical machinery	1,501	1,061	956	1,511	1,443	1,013	906	1,460
Insulated wires and cables	755	510	444	609	733	492	414	578
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	858	501	435	799	856	496	427	799
Radio and other electronic apparatus	2,402	1,986	2,168	2,867	2,186	1,552	1,608	2,584
Domestic electric appliances	942	769	647	1,125	901	751	623	1,107
Other electrical goods	1,391	927	847	1,329	1,379	889	820	1,292
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	16,807	13,367	12,360	13,623	16,166	12,937	9,812	11,595
Shipbuilding and ship repairing	15,722	12,419	11,530	12,496	15,116	12,074	9,030	10,541
Marine engineering	1,085	948	830	1,127	1,050	863	782	1,054
Vehicles	7,220	4,439	5,382	9,038	6,964	4,114	5,087	8,850
Motor vehicle manufacturing	2,500	1,673	3,245	4,919	2,441	1,631	3,190	4,865
Motor cycle, three-wheel vehicle and pedal cycle manufacturing	541	244	320	856	535	235	312	838
Aircraft manufacturing and repairing	2,602	1,671	1,154	2,157	2,454	1,418	947	2,060
Locomotives and railway track equipment	483	364	335	449	481	361	328	443
Railway carriages and wagons and trams	907	382	238	549	904	378	234	545
Perambulators, hand-trucks, etc.	187	105	90	108	149	91	76	99
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	8,846	5,585	5,350	9,859	8,719	5,505	5,279	9,699
Tools and implements	625	303	237	515	611	294	226	501
Cutlery	298	155	114	223	296	154	113	217
Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.	677	327	281	655	672	326	280	651
Wire and wire manufactures	595	368	355	561	591	362	344	556
Cans and metal boxes	537	369	320	451	515	350	317	432
Jewellery, plate and refining of precious metals	367	135	160	291	366	134	159	289
Metal industries not elsewhere specified	5,747	3,928	3,883	7,163	5,668	3,885	3,840	7,053

See footnotes on page 115.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Numbers registered as unemployed(¹)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(²)

TABLE 141 (*continued*)

At June in each year

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1959	1960	1961	1962	1959	1960	1961	1962
Textiles	24,132	16,522	13,117	23,850	19,760	14,121	9,721	20,385
Production of man-made fibres	668	384	270	530	632	354	251	486
Spinning and doubling of cotton, flax and man-made fibres	7,334	4,994	3,282	6,442	5,649	4,229	1,687	5,187
Weaving of cotton, linen and man-made fibres	4,305	3,806	1,723	5,696	3,351	3,355	1,026	4,985
Woollen and worsted	2,788	1,745	1,551	3,827	2,699	1,668	1,488	3,684
Jute	1,302	710	1,655	640	1,292	705	1,652	640
Rope, twine and net	642	425	377	506	454	304	279	335
Hosiery and other knitted goods	1,841	986	1,010	1,873	1,694	882	925	1,725
Lace	169	132	205	133	138	102	135	97
Carpets	553	509	460	530	472	385	351	445
Narrow fabrics	309	202	170	268	297	172	165	248
Made-up textiles	1,528	1,004	847	1,128	825	560	449	588
Textile finishing	2,346	1,415	1,434	1,971	1,917	1,201	1,187	1,677
Other textile industries	347	210	133	306	340	204	126	288
Leather, leather goods and fur	1,202	896	740	1,275	1,150	832	673	1,222
Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery	665	482	390	752	646	432	356	731
Leather goods	428	316	263	425	402	305	245	394
Fur	109	98	87	98	102	95	72	97
Clothing and footwear	9,444	6,053	5,980	9,080	8,093	5,377	4,416	7,633
Weatherproof outerwear	754	395	259	720	747	376	238	691
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	1,863	1,211	925	1,609	1,722	1,109	803	1,466
Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	1,714	1,246	740	1,337	1,690	1,234	731	1,316
Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.	1,527	816	1,425	1,438	622	451	448	588
Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	1,474	1,006	1,204	1,717	1,305	911	932	1,537
Hats, caps and millinery	339	195	246	245	315	170	216	223
Dress industries not elsewhere specified	556	404	369	632	507	370	328	484
Footwear	1,217	780	812	1,382	1,185	756	720	1,328
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	7,551	4,766	3,872	5,758	7,303	4,568	3,626	5,497
Bricks, fireclay and refractory goods	2,248	1,359	1,067	1,806	2,162	1,283	972	1,736
Pottery	1,903	935	803	1,097	1,881	916	773	1,050
Glass	1,821	1,265	1,031	1,319	1,805	1,258	1,020	1,294
Cement	78	60	47	93	73	56	42	87
Abrasives and building materials, etc. not elsewhere specified	1,501	1,147	924	1,443	1,382	1,055	819	1,330
Timber, furniture, etc.	5,827	5,102	3,442	5,820	5,621	4,907	3,174	5,589
Timber	1,600	1,186	1,037	1,488	1,559	1,077	915	1,398
Furniture and upholstery	2,622	2,795	1,446	2,933	2,513	2,731	1,371	2,833
Bedding, etc.	387	337	218	355	368	331	199	345
Shop and office fitting	265	176	189	327	264	172	169	311
Wooden containers and baskets	565	379	329	423	543	371	312	413
Miscellaneous wood and cork manufactures	388	229	223	294	374	225	208	289
Paper, printing and publishing	4,979	3,294	3,221	4,693	4,782	3,171	3,043	4,479
Paper and board	1,107	718	693	1,006	1,093	711	676	986
Cardboard boxes, cartons and fibreboard packing cases	716	487	548	859	647	449	480	788
Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified	615	474	436	693	604	463	424	685
Printing, publishing of newspapers and periodicals	854	553	578	731	808	523	543	687
Other printing, publishing, bookbinding, engraving, etc.	1,687	1,062	966	1,404	1,630	1,025	920	1,333

See footnotes on page 115.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Numbers registered as unemployed(¹)

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958(²)

TABLE 141 (*continued*)

At June in each year

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1959	1960	1961	1962	1959	1960	1961	1962
Other manufacturing industries	5,098	3,562	3,575	5,191	4,954	3,459	3,145	5,017
Rubber	1,782	1,308	1,048	1,796	1,756	1,286	1,022	1,767
Linoleum, leather cloth, etc.	328	304	324	350	319	297	317	337
Brushes and brooms	359	162	146	197	329	148	127	188
Toys, games and sports equipment	796	509	492	920	758	482	455	832
Miscellaneous stationers' goods	216	113	96	173	213	107	92	171
Plastics moulding and fabricating	854	705	678	1,242	827	698	671	1,226
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	763	461	791	513	752	441	461	496
Construction	62,991	46,807	39,657	62,011	54,780	39,219	33,510	54,255
Gas, electricity and water	3,409	2,729	2,461	3,176	3,242	2,590	2,258	2,951
Gas	1,737	1,264	1,159	1,497	1,687	1,228	1,080	1,407
Electricity	1,310	1,151	1,044	1,305	1,223	1,073	953	1,219
Water supply	362	314	258	374	332	289	225	325
Transport and communication	28,567	22,906	20,746	26,169	26,735	21,078	19,105	24,453
Railways	4,200	3,300	3,216	4,279	4,072	3,180	3,062	4,137
Road passenger transport	3,469	2,608	2,086	2,792	3,324	2,436	1,906	2,631
Road haulage contracting	3,489	2,472	2,125	3,351	3,253	2,347	2,029	3,169
Sea transport	7,089	5,604	5,338	6,793	6.708	5,317	5,065	6,477
Port and inland water transport	3,306	2,889	2,652	2,664	2,814	2,110	1,978	2,100
Air transport	309	224	203	389	299	218	193	370
Postal services and telecommunications	4,937	4,425	3,859	4,216	4,521	4,101	3,622	3,927
Miscellaneous transport services and storage	1,768	1,384	1,267	1,685	1,744	1,369	1,250	1,642
Distributive trades	48,937	37,616	31,892	44,501	45,305	34,691	28,893	41,149
Wholesale distribution	8,581	6,755	6,148	8,928	7,869	6,257	5,576	8,289
Retail distribution	30,783	23,996	20,060	27,325	28,665	22,177	18,178	25,284
Dealing in coal, builders' materials, grain and agricultural supplies (wholesale and retail)	5,368	3,793	2,963	4,279	4,833	3,321	2,591	3,852
Dealing in other industrial materials and machinery	4,205	3,072	2,721	3,969	3,938	2,936	2,548	3,724
Insurance, banking and finance	3,584	3,556	3,735	4,993	3,403	3,426	3,576	4,798
Professional and scientific services	11,573	9,134	8,028	10,430	10,855	8,557	7,396	9,781
Accountancy services	357	258	238	332	350	246	214	317
Educational services	2,975	2,637	2,357	2,872	2,808	2,491	2,191	2,693
Legal services	367	271	274	373	339	249	249	348
Medical and dental services	6,763	5,056	4,463	5,846	6,307	4,693	4,104	5,465
Religious organisations	261	238	164	222	232	222	130	197
Other professional and scientific services	850	674	532	785	819	656	508	761
Miscellaneous services	48,302	36,368	31,243	40,056	45,428	34,094	28,912	37,285
Cinemas, theatres, radio, etc.	4,782	3,798	3,232	3,418	4,618	3,646	3,083	3,223
Sport and other recreations	1,745	1,431	1,184	1,538	1,633	1,342	1,099	1,462
Betting	1,272	1,089	1,189	1,339	1,156	999	1,096	1,250
Catering, hotels, etc.	20,953	15,330	13,022	16,624	19,948	14,564	12,234	15,727
Laundries	2,416	1,665	1,485	2,234	2,243	1,558	1,337	2,065
Dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc.	864	583	412	609	818	547	367	560
Motor repairers, distributors, garages and filling stations	4,005	2,999	2,693	4,239	3,762	2,802	2,514	4,013
Repair of boots and shoes	561	421	336	351	507	382	289	300
Hairdressing and manicure	986	702	778	1,171	923	637	719	1,078
Private domestic service	6,095	4,613	3,780	4,090	5,438	4,077	3,228	3,448
Other services	4,623	3,737	3,132	4,443	4,382	3,540	2,946	4,159
Public administration	20,943	17,839	15,921	19,844	19,681	16,880	15,016	18,757
National government service	10,460	9,121	8,122	9,480	9,809	8,676	7,681	8,981
Local government service	10,483	8,718	7,799	10,364	9,872	8,204	7,335	9,776
Ex-service personnel not classified by industry	3,515	2,010	1,648	1,840	3,372	1,891	1,562	1,764
Other persons not classified by industry(³)	34,147	32,507	31,921	50,826	31,541	29,939	29,532	48,313

See footnotes on page 115.

Source: Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (Northern Ireland)

Registered unemployed in Great Britain

TABLE 142

Thousands

	Monthly averages	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total													
1952......	414	379	394	433	468	467	440	394	404	390	398	406	400
1953......	342	452	429	397	376	340	298	273	294	292	309	323	322
1954......	285	373	387	343	317	289	240	220	240	236	254	263	256
1955......	232	298	282	270	260	224	211	185	200	202	215	226	216
1956......	257	264	276	266	252	237	223	238	267	248	254	265	297
1957......	313	383	380	363	342	313	265	244	266	267	275	317	335
1958......	457	395	425	433	444	447	429	412	446	476	514	536	532
1959......	475	621	609	551	531	481	413	395	427	405	419	430	421
1960......	360	461	450	413	391	341	305	292	321	305	329	352	365
1961......	341	419	390	351	340	299	266	259	305	317	366	387	389
1962......		461	454	442	439	424	397	400	464	465			
Males													
1952......	228	217	225	230	243	235	223	210	221	214	228	240	249
1953......	218	287	273	251	239	214	194	180	191	184	194	204	208
1954......	184	245	262	224	203	185	156	144	157	149	160	166	163
1955......	147	195	179	174	168	136	130	117	125	124	133	142	139
1956......	169	173	187	176	162	153	146	161	182	159	160	168	200
1957......	217	268	262	251	236	215	182	171	186	184	189	219	235
1958......	321	282	302	307	314	309	298	288	311	332	360	378	377
1959......	344	454	443	396	380	344	299	288	307	293	301	312	308
1960......	260	337	326	295	276	242	220	213	230	218	237	255	270
1961......	250	311	286	254	245	214	193	191	221	231	271	287	290
1962......		348	337	327	325	311	295	298	340	342			
Females													
1952......	186	162	169	203	225	232	217	184	183	176	170	166	151
1953......	124	165	156	146	137	126	104	93	103	108	115	119	114
1954......	100	128	126	119	113	105	84	77	83	87	94	97	93
1955......	86	103	103	96	93	87	80	68	75	78	82	84	77
1956......	88	91	89	90	90	84	76	77	85	89	94	97	97
1957......	96	115	118	112	106	98	83	73	80	83	86	98	100
1958......	136	113	123	126	130	138	131	124	135	144	154	158	155
1959......	131	167	165	155	151	136	114	107	120	112	117	118	113
1960	101	124	124	118	116	99	85	79	92	87	91	97	95
1961......	91	108	104	97	95	85	73	68	84	86	95	101	99
1962......		113	117	115	114	113	102	102	124	123			

Source: Ministry of Labour

Registered unemployed in Northern Ireland

TABLE 143

Thousands

	Monthly averages	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1951	28·5	33·1	32·9	30·5	27·7	25·0	23·7	23·9	22·8	23·6	26·1	32·5	39·7
1952	48·3	47·2	53·2	46·8	49·8	51·2	49·6	60·4	45·6	44·4	41·9	44·0	45·6
1953	38·0	50·8	46·7	41·9	39·7	37·8	36·8	34·7	33·7	31·5	30·5	35·6	36·9
1954	33·0	41·8	42·2	38·7	36·4	31·9	29·5	29·0	28·2	27·7	27·2	30·0	32·9
1955	32·3	37·8	36·6	37·1	36·2	32·3	32·4	30·9	28·7	27·8	26·1	29·5	31·6
1956	30·1	38·4	36·8	34·4	30·6	29·0	27·8	25·3	26·5	25·4	25·3	28·8	32·8
1957	34·7	39·9	41·4	39·7	36·9	34·6	32·4	29·9	31·1	31·0	29·2	33·7	36·2
1958	43·5	44·4	48·1	50·9	51·3	50·3	43·7	38·4	39·1	38·7	38·0	39·5	39·7
1959	36·9	45·7	44·1	40·8	37·3	37·8	36·2	34·5	34·2	32·7	32·9	33·0	33·9
1960	32·4	37·0	37·6	36·0	35·6	31·7	29·6	28·5	28·8	28·0	28·1	33·2	34·4
1961	36·1	39·1	39·1	36·3	35·3	35·5	33·5	33·9	36·2	35·7	35·5	35·9	37·7
1962		42·1	41·0	40·4	40·1	36·9	34·7	34·6	34·4	33·4			

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Insurance

Employment vacancies unfilled in Great Britain(¹)

TABLE 144

Thousands

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total												
1952……	282	265	316	321	304	305	297	267	250	236	228	230
1953……	222	233	263	279	281	296	321	295	282	276	272	270
1954……	261	258	288	326	331	381	383	356	348	340	333	338
1955……	338	352	371	416	426	443	473	448	424	401	388	382
1956……	373	368	380	390	380	407	397	361	334	318	300	279
1957……	256	239	250	285	283	309	332	310	284	274	252	236
1958……	220	209	217	218	208	213	215	203	179	167	159	163
1959……	156	154	181	198	210	247	276	263	255	246	245	251
1960……	245	257	267	306	327	361	380	356	337	324	310	294
1961……	281	290	314	337	354	383	395	360	328	289	263	249
1962……	224	213	218	239	245	252	251	227	201			
Males												
1952……	190	175	203	204	197	194	184	167	154	144	137	131
1953……	126	130	144	151	154	157	172	161	155	153 155	150	147
1954……	140	136	154	176	180	204	208	198	195	193	189	191
1955……	189	199	207	230	239	247	262	251	238	225	220	214
1956……	207	204	208	213	209	220	214	198	184	177	168	152
1957……	134	124	128	143	141	150	161	156	145	139	128	122
1958……	113	107	109	110	106	107	110	106	94	88	85	87
1959……	81	79	92	101	108	123	136	132	127	125	125	130
1960……	129	139	136	156	169	183	194	188	179	174	168	160
1961……	151	158	170	182	191	205	212	195	177	155	141	134
1962……	118	114	115	125	120	122	122	110	96			
Females												
1952……	92	90	113	117	107	111	113	100	96	92	91	99
1953……	96	103	119	128	127	139	149	134	127	123	122	123
1954……	121	122	134	150	151	177	175	158	153	147	144	147
1955……	149	153	164	186	187	196	211	197	186	176	168	168
1956……	166	164	172	177	171	187	183	163	150	141	132	127
1957……	122	115	122	142	142	159	171	154	139	135	124	114
1958……	107	102	108	108	102	106	105	97	85	79	74	76
1959……	75	75	89	97	102	124	140	131	128	121	120	121
1960……	116	118	131	150	158	178	186	168	158	150	142	134
1961……	130	132	144	155	163	178	183	165	151	134	122	115
1962……	106	99	104	114	125	130	129	117	105			

(¹) The figures relate to vacancies notified to Employment Exchanges and other local offices of the Ministry of Labour in Great Britain or to the Youth Employment Offices of certain local authorities. Comparison of figures for different periods is affected by changes in regulations for registration.

Source: Ministry of Labour

Employment vacancies unfilled in Northern Ireland(¹)

TABLE 145

Number

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1953 ………	737	855	1,021	890	865	924	880	1,074	1,107	1,380	700	815
1954 ………	758	830	1,014	1,108	1,238	1,251	1,147	1,229	1,113	1,335	913	714
1955 ………	755	783	860	846	863	997	928	827	897	884	679	588
1956 ………	613	663	844	830	1,113	1,080	1,008	872	894	1,033	704	695
1957 ………	518	629	733	810	871	1,125	803	821	797	840	703	497
1958 ………	569	605	670	790	785	771	757	786	873	1,346	708	780
1959 ………	707	717	764	741	674	791	717	796	1,021	1,369	952	887
1960 ………	986	912	1,022	991	985	957	768	798	982	1,030	866	869
1961 ………	673	831	795	703	708	668	596	518	639	918	641	495
1962 ………	517	524	495	567	667	632	526	521	703			

(¹) The figures relate to vacancies notified to local offices of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance.

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Insurance

TABLE 146

Average earnings of administrative, technical and clerical employees

At October in each year

	1959			1960			1961		
	Monthly-paid	Weekly-paid	Combined on weekly basis(1)	Monthly-paid	Weekly-paid	Combined on weekly basis(1)	Monthly-paid	Weekly-paid	Combined on weekly basis(1)
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Males									
All industries covered by enquiry	98 6 4	14 2 10	18 1 3	102 19 9	14 15 0	19 3 7	106 12 10	15 9 11	20 2 11
All manufacturing industries	101 9 6	14 7 1	18 6 2	105 4 10	14 19 1	19 7 0	109 0 11	15 14 4	20 7 1
Food, drink and tobacco	95 18 9	13 14 2	18 15 4	98 1 0	14 0 1	19 12 3	101 7 8	14 19 7	20 13 2
Chemicals and allied industries	101 11 6	12 4 11	20 10 0	106 11 0	12 9 9	21 13 7	109 4 7	13 0 11	22 10 0
Metal manufacture	98 13 7	14 0 4	17 15 3	102 11 4	14 6 8	18 14 10	105 15 0	14 19 10	19 11 6
Engineering and electrical goods	99 19 11	14 8 4	17 14 11	102 18 10	15 0 7	18 13 5	107 8 4	15 15 4	19 14 4
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	123 9 8	14 11 8	17 9 3	123 12 7	15 2 6	18 1 10	128 1 8	15 13 5	18 18 8
Vehicles	105 18 11	15 2 11	17 14 7	111 8 1	15 15 0	18 12 5	115 6 10	16 15 3	19 16 1
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	103 2 10	14 7 7	18 13 1	107 9 6	15 3 0	19 16 7	111 17 11	15 10 4	20 14 4
Textiles	103 8 6	13 19 7	18 15 8	108 13 0	14 11 7	20 4 7	111 18 5	15 4 3	21 0 0
Clothing and footwear	108 19 7	14 17 1	18 2 10	113 18 1	16 2 6	19 17 9	117 12 11	16 12 0	20 13 4
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	96 16 8	13 7 10	17 18 4	99 18 9	13 11 6	18 15 3	103 16 2	14 1 10	19 13 2
Timber, furniture, etc.	97 14 11	14 13 4	17 12 6	102 16 8	15 0 5	18 19 1	106 14 9	15 19 6	19 19 3
Paper, printing and publishing	112 14 6	14 15 8	19 8 2	116 9 4	15 16 4	20 18 1	120 0 9	16 12 2	21 19 11
Leather, leather goods and fur Other manufacturing industries	96 2 1	13 10 7	18 8 9	99 19 1	14 2 4	19 7 1	105 3 2	15 2 4	20 13 0
Mining and quarrying	87 12 6	11 3 2	16 13 8	94 14 3	11 17 1	18 2 4	98 16 0	12 8 8	19 0 2
Construction	96 2 11	13 16 7	17 5 11	98 17 1	14 5 7	18 4 1	103 4 6	15 3 2	19 7 8
Gas, electricity and water	79 14 9	11 16 6	16 9 7	90 14 8	12 18 5	18 12 5	91 16 2	13 0 7	18 18 6
Females									
All industries covered by enquiry	42 15 3	7 3 2	7 12 0	44 19 4	7 9 1	7 19 5	46 9 11	7 17 0	8 8 0
All manufacturing industries	42 15 2	7 1 10	7 10 0	44 11 10	7 7 1	7 16 7	46 3 0	7 15 2	8 5 4
Food, drink and tobacco	41 17 1	6 15 6	7 8 2	43 10 5	6 18 11	7 14 9	45 8 9	7 6 1	8 3 10
Chemicals and allied industries	42 11 4	7 0 2	8 0 10	45 2 10	7 8 6	8 11 4	45 17 4	7 15 5	8 18 0
Metal manufacture	40 11 5	7 4 1	7 11 6	42 7 11	7 8 1	7 17 1	44 15 1	7 16 7	8 7 0
Engineering and electrical goods	42 15 5	7 2 6	7 7 4	44 10 2	7 6 10	7 12 7	44 19 8	7 15 2	8 1 2
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	47 12 3	6 19 4	7 2 2	48 2 10	7 0 3	7 3 2	50 8 5	7 7 5	7 10 9
Vehicles	48 13 4	7 6 0	7 9 0	51 2 7	7 12 8	7 15 10	54 5 2	8 1 3	8 5 2
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	42 13 10	6 18 4	7 5 2	44 0 2	7 4 0	7 11 6	46 11 9	7 11 8	8 0 2
Textiles	38 18 10	6 12 6	7 2 1	39 18 2	6 19 1	7 9 5	42 7 7	7 5 9	7 17 2
Clothing and footwear	54 8 7	7 5 8	7 12 10	56 0 1	7 8 6	7 17 6	60 15 1	7 17 2	8 7 7
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	40 12 8	6 16 0	7 3 8	44 4 1	7 1 10	7 11 5	45 8 0	7 7 7	7 18 3
Timber, furniture, etc.	40 1 5	6 16 8	7 2 6	41 19 9	7 6 0	7 12 0	43 0 4	7 12 7	7 18 7
Paper, printing and publishing	50 5 9	7 13 6	8 3 10	50 10 6	8 0 9	8 12 2	52 2 0	8 10 8	9 2 5
Leather, leather goods and fur Other manufacturing industries	40 3 8	7 0 6	7 9 10	42 11 1	7 3 7	7 14 10	44 18 6	7 13 10	8 5 7
Mining and quarrying	44 4 0	8 5 4	8 10 11	46 4 7	8 14 7	9 0 3	53 12 11	9 3 5	9 12 9
Construction	40 19 0	6 17 10	7 4 7	41 14 10	7 2 6	7 10 4	43 12 2	7 12 9	8 1 1
Gas, electricity and water	43 2 0	8 12 2	9 3 11	48 3 6	9 14 3	10 6 9	48 14 10	9 13 3	10 8 0

(1) Earnings of monthly-paid employees have been converted to a weekly basis; earnings of weekly-paid employees relate to the last pay-week in the month.

Source: Ministry of Labour

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Average weekly earnings of manual workers(¹)

TABLE 147

At April in each year

	1952		1953		1954		1955		1956		1957		1958		1959		1960		1961	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Males																				
Men	174	8	186	7	198	1	216	11	235	1	242	11	253	8	261	10	280	4	298	11
Youths and boys	77	1	82	7	87	2	95	5	105	5	111	0	115	11	118	11	126	3	137	6
Females																				
Women	92	2	100	2	105	2	112	4	119	9	126	0	131	4	137	2	145	1	153	2
Girls	57	11	62	8	66	0	71	7	78	4	83	11	85	9	87	6	93	1	99	11

(¹) Workers covered by Ministry of Labour's normal half yearly enquiry as set out in Table 148 together with agricultural workers, coal miners, British Railways workers, London Transport Executive employees (wages grades), inland waterway workers of the British Transport Commission and dock workers on daily or half daily engagements.

Source: Ministry of Labour

Average weekly earnings and hours of manual wage-earners

Old series: Based on Standard Industrial Classification, 1948

TABLE 148

At October in each year

	Average weekly earnings										Average weekly hours worked				
	1955		1956		1957		1958		1959		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
All manual wage-earners	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.					
All industries included	187	2	200	8	212	5	217	4	228	6	46·9	46·6	46·4	46·0	46·7
All manufacturing industries	185	9	198	6	211	2	215	3	227	3	46·4	46·0	45·8	45·3	46·1
Men aged 21 and over															
All industries included	222	11	237	11	251	7	256	8	270	9	48·9	48·5	48·2	47·7	48·5
All manufacturing industries	231	1	245	7	261	2	265	5	281	3	48·7	48·2	48·0	47·3	48·2
Women aged 18 and over															
All industries included	115	5	123	2	129	6	133	11	140	4	41·8	41·5	41·2	41·2	41·6
All manufacturing industries	116	0	123	8	129	11	134	5	141	3	41·8	41·6	41·3	41·2	41·7

New series: Based on Standard Industrial Classification, 1958

	Average weekly earnings (¹)								Average weekly hours worked(²)			
	Manufacturing and certain other industries				Manufacturing industries				Manufacturing and certain other industries		Manufacturing industries	
	Men (aged 21 and over)		Women (aged 18 and over) full-time		Men (aged 21 and over)		Women (aged 18 and over) full-time		Men (aged 21 and over)	Women (aged 18 and over) full-time	Men (aged 21 and over)	Women (aged 18 and over) full-time
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.				
1959 October	271	1	140	11	284	3	141	4	48·5	41·4	48·2	41·4
1960 April	282	1	145	0	296	4	145	2	48·0	40·8	47·4	40·6
October	290	8	148	4	303	3	148	3	48·0	40·5	47·4	40·4
1961 April	301	4	152	7	315	3	152	7	47·9	39·9	47·3	39·8
October	306	10	154	6	317	10	154	3	47·4	39·7	46·8	39·6
1962 April	312	10	157	2	323	10	157	1	47·3	39·6	46·6	39·4

(¹) The figures represent the average earnings, including bonus, overtime, etc., and before deduction of income tax or insurance contributions, in one week in the months indicated. Administrative and clerical workers and other salaried persons have been excluded. The figures are subject to certain qualifications which are contained in a full account of the enquiry relating to April 1962, published in the *Ministry of Labour Gazette* for August 1962.

(²) The figures include overtime and correspond with those for average earnings.

Source: Ministry of Labour

TABLE 149

Indices of wage rates(¹)

Weekly wage rates

31 January 1956=100

		All industries and services				Manufacturing industries(²)			
		All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(³)	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(³)
1956	March	103·7	103·8	103·1	104·2	104·2	104·5	102·8	103·8
	June	105·4	105·5	104·6	106·1	105·4	105·7	103·9	105·4
	September	106·0	106·0	105·7	107·2	106·1	106·1	105·5	106·6
	December	106·4	106·3	106·3	107·5	106·3	106·3	106·1	107·0
1957	March	107·6	107·6	107·2	108·9	107·0	106·8	107·2	107·9
	June	110·7	110·8	110·0	111·8	110·9	111·0	110·1	111·2
	September	111·5	111·5	111·1	112·7	111·8	111·9	111·2	112·3
	December	112·2	112·1	112·1	113·7	112·1	112·2	111·6	112·7
1958	March	112·7	112·5	112·7	114·4	112·5	112·5	112·5	113·4
	June	113·4	113·3	113·6	115·3	113·1	112·9	113·4	114·1
	September	114·7	114·5	114·9	116·5	113·8	113·7	114·1	114·8
	December	116·2	116·2	116·0	118·2	116·0	116·0	115·5	116·6
1959	March	116·7	116·6	116·5	118·6	116·2	116·2	115·7	116·8
	June	116·8	116·7	116·7	118·7	116·4	116·4	116·0	117·1
	September	117·3	117·0	117·7	119·4	116·9	116·8	117·1	118·0
	December	117·5	117·3	118·0	119·7	117·3	117·1	117·7	118·4
1960	March	119·0	118·7	120·0	121·2	118·7	118·4	119·5	119·8
	June	119·9	119·6	120·7	122·0	119·2	118·9	119·9	120·4
	September	120·8	120·4	121·3	125·0	119·9	119·4	120·6	125·3
	December	122·3	121·9	122·7	126·3	122·7	122·4	122·4	127·5
1961	March	124·0	123·6	124·0	129·0	123·8	123·4	124·0	128·9
	June	125·0	124·6	125·7	130·6	124·1	123·8	124·2	129·3
	September	125·4	124·9	126·4	131·1	124·6	124·3	124·9	130·1
	December	126·4	126·0	126·5	131·9	125·0	124·7	125·1	130·5
1962	March	127·7	127·3	128·3	133·5	126·4	125·8	127·2	132·3
	June	129·3	128·7	130·2	135·2	127·4	126·7	128·9	133·7

Hourly wage rates

31 January 1956=100

		All industries and services				Manufacturing industries(²)			
		All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(³)	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(³)
1956	March	103·7	103·8	103·1	104·2	104·2	104·5	102·8	103·8
	June	105·4	105·5	104·6	106·1	105·4	105·7	103·9	105·4
	September	106·0	106·0	105·7	107·2	106·1	106·1	105·5	106·6
	December	106·4	106·3	106·3	107·5	106·3	106·3	106·1	107·0
1957	March	107·6	107·6	107·2	108·9	107·0	106·8	107·2	107·9
	June	110·7	110·8	110·0	111·8	110·9	111·0	110·1	111·2
	September	111·6	111·7	111·2	112·8	111·8	111·9	111·2	112·3
	December	112·5	112·4	112·4	113·9	112·3	112·4	111·7	112·8
1958	March	113·0	112·8	113·0	114·6	112·8	112·8	112·6	113·6
	June	113·8	113·6	113·9	115·5	113·3	113·2	113·5	114·2
	September	115·1	114·9	115·4	116·7	114·1	114·0	114·2	114·9
	December	116·7	116·6	116·6	118·4	116·3	116·4	115·7	116·8
1959	March	117·1	117·0	117·0	118·8	116·5	116·6	115·8	116·9
	June	117·2	117·1	117·3	119·0	116·8	116·9	116·3	117·3
	September	117·8	117·6	118·4	119·8	117·4	117·4	117·6	118·5
	December	118·1	117·8	118·7	120·0	117·8	117·7	118·2	118·9
1960	March	121·1	120·9	121·8	123·0	121·8	122·0	121·8	122·7
	June	122·4	122·3	122·7	124·3	122·7	122·9	122·5	123·7
	September	123·8	123·6	123·9	128·1	124·0	123·8	124·2	129·5
	December	125·9	125·8	125·6	130·0	127·1	127·1	126·6	132·1
1961	March	128·6	128·4	128·5	133·9	129·5	129·0	130·2	134·9
	June	130·4	129·8	131·5	136·4	130·0	129·5	130·5	135·4
	September	131·0	130·2	132·5	137·1	130·7	130·2	131·4	136·6
	December	132·4	132·0	132·7	138·5	131·3	130·8	131·6	137·2
1962	March	134·2	133·7	134·7	140·3	132·8	132·1	134·0	139·1
	June	135·9	135·3	136·9	142·1	133·9	133·0	135·9	140·6

Source: Ministry of Labour

(¹) The figures are based on rates and hours at the end of the month.

(²) From 1959, the term "Manufacturing industries" covers all industries included in Orders III–XVI of the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*.

(³) In general, males under 21 and females under 18 years of age.

Trade unions(1)

TABLE 150

At end of year

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Number of trade unions	730	714	712	698	688	668	668	659	650	650
Analysis by number of members:										
Under 100 members	145	137	142	139	135	127	136	132	133	132
100 and under 500	191	194	186	182	176	174	172	173	169	176
500 and under 1,000	78	71	71	64	68	63	63	62	55	51
1,000 and under 2,500	101	99	104	107	105	108	105	100	98	97
2,500 and under 5,000	77	78	73	70	69	63	60	61	70	67
5,000 and under 10,000	43	42	44	44	41	39	39	40	33	34
10,000 and under 15,000	26	22	20	21	22	21	20	17	18	18
15,000 and under 25,000	19	21	22	21	22	24	25	26	26	26
25,000 and under 50,000	18	17	17	17	16	14	12	12	12	11
50,000 and under 100,000	15	16	16	16	17	18	19	19	19	21
100,000 and over	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
Membership (Thousands)										
Total	9,530	9,578	9,518	9,551	9,720	9,757	9,806	9,619	9,600	9,803
Males(2)	7,742	7,789	7,741	7,745	7,860	7,857	7,920	7,776	7,739	7,860
Females(2)	1,789	1,789	1,776	1,806	1,860	1,900	1,886	1,843	1,861	1,943
Analysis by size of unions:										
Under 100 members	7	7	7	7	7	6	7	7	7	6
100 and under 500	48	50	48	48	44	44	46	46	44	45
500 and under 1,000	54	51	50	44	46	45	45	44	38	36
1,000 and under 2,500	160	160	168	173	167	177	173	161	150	152
2,500 and under 5,000	273	273	253	242	233	219	208	206	238	226
5,000 and under 10,000	287	283	291	296	268	259	263	276	238	247
10,000 and under 15,000	317	266	242	253	268	257	247	209	225	219
15,000 and under 25,000	362	388	400	383	410	453	483	495	496	499
25,000 and under 50,000	650	606	603	611	581	510	439	440	449	384
50,000 and under 100,000	1,065	1,123	1,117	1,130	1,202	1,266	1,321	1,290	1,284	1,398
100,000 and over	6,305	6,372	6,340	6,363	6,494	6,521	6,575	6,446	6,431	6,590

Source: Ministry of Labour

(1) The statistics relate to all organisations of employees with head offices in the United Kingdom—including those of salaried and professional workers, as well as those of manual wage-earners—which are known to include among their functions that of negotiating with employers with the object of regulating the conditions of employment of their members. The figures of membership include the membership of branches in the Irish Republic and overseas (numbering about 131,000 in 1960) and members serving with H.M. Forces, but wholly exclude the membership of unions whose headquarters are situated outside the United Kingdom. A small number of people who are members of more than one union are included more than once in the figures, but the effect on the aggregates is relatively insignificant.

(2) The subdivision of the total membership into males and females is partly estimated, as some trade unions are unable to state precisely the numbers of males and females in their total membership.

Registered trade unions in Great Britain(1)

TABLE 151

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Number of unions on register	413	406	410	411	405	400	400	401	398	398
Number of members (Thousands)	8,287	8,377	8,323	8,357	8,517	8,549	8,593	8,405	8,352	8,532
Income (£ thousand):										
From members	16,228	17,193	17,917	18,380	19,347	20,479	22,636	23,489	23,675	25,076
From other sources	2,020	2,258	2,437	2,518	2,746	2,945	3,071	3,567	3,756	3,555
Expenditure (£ thousand):										
Working expenses	9,094	9,913	10,338	10,540	11,319	12,129	13,032	13,619	13,905	14,881
Unemployment, etc. benefit	133	358	172	128	136	184	186	328	287	196
Dispute benefit	178	351	258	483	649	819	2,971	1,383	2,681	456
Provident benefits (2)	4,480	4,712	5,046	5,079	5,278	5,538	5,975	6,192	6,532	6,619
From political fund	555	357	389	394	611	399	516	678	868	524
Other outgoings	1,400	1,235	1,111	1,129	1,397	1,362	1,702	1,414	1,401	2,033
Funds at end of year (£ thousand)	64,825	67,607	70,709	73,887	76,565	79,495	80,796	84,275	86,180	90,267

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

(1) The figures given in this table relate only to registered trade unions of employees in Great Britain and are not comparable with those shown in Table 150 which relate to the United Kingdom and include both registered and unregistered trade unions. Number of members, income from members and expenditure (other outgoings) have been adjusted to eliminate duplication in respect of registered unions that are affiliated to a registered federation or are branches of another registered union.

(2) Expenditure on sickness and accident benefit, death benefit, superannuation and other benefits.

Industrial stoppages(1)

TABLE 152

Number of stoppages and workers involved

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of stoppages beginning in each year											
Analysis by industry:											
All industries and services	1,719	1,714(2)	1,746(2)	1,989(2)	2,419(2)	2,648	2,859(2)	2,629	2,093	2,832(2)	2,686(2)
Mining and quarrying	1,067	1,226	1,313	1,466	1,784	2,078	2,226	1,964	1,311	1,669	1,466
Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	318	215	194	207	302	249	268	301	397	551	547
Textiles	14	6	7	15	12	25	27	18	14	26	28
Clothing	11	11	17	16	12	7	9	11	11	15	13
Construction	95	94	80	75	96	114	126	178	171	215	286
Transport and communication	91	55	73	125	118	102	121	83	88	179	138
All other industries and services	123	108	68	86	96	73	86	74	101	180	209
Workers directly and indirectly involved(3)											
Total (Thousands)	379	415	1,370	448	659	507	1,356	523	645	817	771
Analysis by industry:											
Mining and quarrying	135	274	165	204	354	241	265	248	193	239	248
Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	103	84	1,111	72	98	191	877	123	244	346	326
Textiles	2	1	4	1	2	4	6	2	5	5	8
Clothing	3	2	9	3	1	3	4	4	1	4	1
Construction	19	23	18	37	13	13	16	27	21	22	48
Transport and communication	95	11	38	113	153	20	165	100	30	153	54
All other industries and services	22	20	25	18	38	35	22	19	151	48	86
Analysis by duration of stoppage:											
Not more than 6 days	250	300	1,325	305	410	434	388	396	447	643	572
Over 6 but not more than 12 days	74	35	20	42	111	27	757	31	48	66	66
Over 12 but not more than 24 days	43	48	14	29	82	16	203	13	15	93	89
Over 24 but not more than 36 days	5	28	1	31	43	20	3	23	128	4	18
Over 36 but not more than 60 days	3	2	9	26	10	9	5	60	6	10	20
Over 60 days	4	2	1	15	3	1	—	—	1	1	7

Working days lost as a result of stoppages

Thousands of days

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Working days lost through the stoppages which began in the year(4)	1,710	1,797	2,173	2,480	3,788	2,051	8,399	3,474	5,280	3,049	3,038
Analysis by workers involved:											
Under 100 workers	121	140	119	118	143	163	156	152	146	179	194
100 and under 250 workers	132	166	102	135	160	177	216	177	147	216	243
250 and under 500 workers	158	139	159	224	218	226	173	214	222	339	243
500 and under 1,000 workers	224	155	166	165	315	193	286	236	228	431	367
1,000 and under 2,500 workers	411	305	173	191	501	281	271	467	362	414	512
2,500 and under 5,000 workers	148	139	102	159	82	39	122	323	402	481	486
5,000 workers and over	516	753	1,352	1,488	2,369	972	7,175	1,905	3,773	989	993
Working days lost each year through all stoppages in progress(5)											
Analysis by industry:											
All industries and services	1,694	1,792	2,184	2,457	3,781	2,083	8,412	3,462	5,270	3,024	3,046
Mining and quarrying	351	662	394	468	1,112	503	514	450	370	495	740
Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	514	791	1,525	741	669	1,017	6,592	609	963	1,450	1,464
Textiles	8	2	19	3	15	28	37	10	54	16	18
Clothing	8	3	8	9	8	1	7	10	2	9	5
Construction	83	157	101	233	71	78	84	151	138	110	285
Transport and communication	601	32	69	919	1,687	35	998	2,116	95	636	230
All other industries and services	129	145	68	84	219	421	180	116	3,647	308	305

Source: Ministry of Labour

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(1) Stoppages involving fewer than 10 workers or lasting less than one day have been omitted except any in which the aggregate number of working days lost exceeded 100. The figures for industry groups are not comparable throughout owing to the application of revised classifications in 1950 and again in 1959.

(2) Stoppages involved workers in several industries which, although counted in each group of industries, have been counted only once in the totals.

(3) The figures relate to stoppages *beginning* in the years shown.

(4) The figures for working days lost include days lost in subsequent years where the stoppage extended into the following calendar year.

(5) This analysis shows the total working days lost *within* each year as a result of stoppages in progress in that year whether beginning in that or an earlier year.

Size of manufacturing establishments at June 1961(1)

TABLE 153

Great Britain

	Total	11–24 employees	25–99 employees	100–499 employees	500–999 employees	1,000–1,999 employees	2,000 or more employees
Number of establishments	55,161	12,571	27,478	12,213	1,693	777	429
Food, drink and tobacco	5,274	1,425	2,359	1,224	153	85	28
Chemicals and allied industries	2,451	488	1,086	685	107	56	29
Metal manufacture	2,166	353	942	603	141	69	58
Engineering and electrical goods	10,684	2,285	5,166	2,427	426	249	131
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	755	180	304	173	51	31	16
Vehicles	1,931	388	810	437	120	82	94
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	5,035	1,272	2,655	931	125	43	9
Textiles	5,559	875	2,568	1,878	184	38	16
Clothing and footwear (including leather, leather goods and fur)	7,195	1,598	4,155	1,315	105	20	2
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	2,646	541	1,412	589	65	26	13
Paper, printing and publishing	5,215	1,323	2,711	990	126	49	16
Other manufacturing industries (including timber, furniture, etc.)	6,250	1,843	3,310	961	90	29	17
Number of employees (Thousands)	8,178	222	1,420	2,552	1,163	1,078	1,743
Food, drink and tobacco	734	25	118	266	104	119	102
Chemicals and allied industries	466	9	56	146	73	74	108
Metal manufacture	603	7	51	134	97	96	218
Engineering and electrical goods	1,985	41	268	518	298	351	509
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	192	3	16	38	37	43	55
Vehicles	854	7	41	92	84	115	515
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	514	22	136	186	86	58	26
Textiles	789	16	141	403	124	56	49
Clothing and footwear (including leather, leather goods and fur)	594	28	213	249	68	27	9
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	321	9	75	122	45	35	35
Paper, printing and publishing	572	23	139	206	86	64	54
Other manufacturing industries (including timber, furniture, etc.)	554	32	166	192	61	40	63

(1) The analysis follows the Orders of the *Standard Industrial Classification*, 1958. The number of establishments with fewer than eleven employees is not known, but it is thought to be in the region of 140,000.

Source: Ministry of Labour

Administrative, technical and clerical workers in manufacturing industries

Expressed as percentages of total number of employees in employment at October in each year

TABLE 154

Great Britain

Standard Industrial Classification, 1948	1948	1958	1959	*Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*	1959	1960	1961
All manufacturing industries	16·0	21·2	21·3	All manufacturing industries	21·1	21·3	22·1
Food, drink and tobacco	17·7	18·3	18·7	Food, drink and tobacco	18·8	18·7	18·8
Chemicals and allied trades	25·7	32·2	32·4	Chemicals and allied industries	32·3	32·2	34·0
Metal manufacture	13·7	18·9	18·6	Metal manufacture	18·4	18·8	19·0
Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods	19·5	26·7	27·0	Engineering and electrical goods	28·2	28·2	28·9
Vehicles	18·1	24·5	24·0	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	14·8	15·8	16·0
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	13·8	17·8	17·6	Vehicles	24·1	24·8	26·2
Precision instruments, jewellery, etc	20·5	25·1	26·6	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	17·4	17·3	18·2
Textiles	8·8	12·2	12·1	Textiles	12·1	12·3	13·2
Leather, leather goods and fur	13·0	13·6	13·8	Leather, leather goods and fur	13·8	14·6	14·3
Clothing (including footwear)	9·9	11·0	11·1	Clothing and footwear	11·0	11·0	11·1
Non-metalliferous mining products	10·9	15·3	15·8	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	16·0	16·3	17·0
Wood and cork	12·8	15·7	15·8	Timber, furniture, etc.	15·7	16·6	17·0
Paper and printing	18·5	22·7	23·2	Paper, printing and publishing	23·0	22·9	24·0
Other manufacturing industries	17·3	22·7	22·5	Other manufacturing industries	21·1	21·7	21·9

Source: Ministry of Labour

VI. PRODUCTION

Index of industrial production(1)

TABLE 155

Average 1958=100

	Order numbers(2)	1954 Weights (3)	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958 Weights	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total all industries	II–XVIII	*1,000*	94·1	98·9	99·3	101·1	*1,000*	100·0	105·2	112·4	113·8
Mining and quarrying	II	*64*	106·1	105·0	105·2	104·5	*72*	100·0	97·4	93·9	92·6
Manufacturing:											
Total	III–XVI	*764*	93·6	99·6	99·1	101·3	*748*	100·0	106·0	114·5	114·7
Food, drink and tobacco	III	*84*	91·4	93·8	94·4	97·7	*86*	100·0	103·6	106·7	110·2
Food	(211–219)	*54*	93·0	94·0	96·9	97·1	*55*	100·0	101·7	103·9	106·9
Drink and tobacco	(231–240)	*30*	88·5	93·5	95·4	98·7	*31*	100·0	106·9	111·7	116·0
Chemicals and allied industries	IV	*68*	87·0	92·3	96·2	100·0	*68*	100·0	110·7	122·5	124·4
Coke ovens, oil refineries, etc.	(261–263)	*10*	86·6	90·7	96·6	95·3	*9*	100·0	107·0	117·2	122·2
General chemicals and other allied products	(271–277)	*58*	87·0	92·6	96·1	100·8	*59*	100·0	111·2	123·3	124·8
Metal manufacture	V	*65*	98·9	107·2	108·8	110·1	*68*	100·0	104·5	121·7	114·5
Ferrous	(311–313)	*50*	100·1	107·9	110·8	112·7	*55*	100·0	103·8	121·4	114·0
Non-ferrous	(321–322)	*15*	94·8	104·9	101·9	101·0	*13*	100·0	107·3	122·6	116·4
Engineering and electrical goods	VI	*172*	98·7	96·3	96·0	99·6	*167*	100·0	105·4	113·7	121·2
Mechanical engineering	(331–352)	*101*	96·3	101·5	101·0	103·0	*107*	100·0	102·7	112·5	121·8
Electrical engineering	(361–369)	*71*	80·4	89·1	89·0	94·9	*60*	100·0	110·4	115·9	120·0
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	VII	*22*	91·9	99·7	107·9	99·2	*22*	100·0	93·6	84·8	85·7
Vehicles	VIII	*87*	84·4	96·7	90·5	97·0	*79*	100·0	109·3	117·6	109·3
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	IX	*42*	94·3	105·2	101·9	102·4	*42*	100·0	99·8	112·2	104·7
Textiles	X	*63*	114·8	112·0	110·7	110·8	*58*	100·0	105·6	110·4	106·6
Leather, leather goods and fur	XI	*4*	113·7	113·4	106·3	106·1	*4*	100·0	103·3	101·6	102·4
Clothing and footwear	XII	*31*	98·5	102·1	104·2	103·5	*30*	100·0	111·5	119·6	121·9
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	XIII	*28*	102·0	106·0	104·5	101·2	*28*	100·0	106·9	116·4	119·2
Bricks, cement, etc.	(461, 464 and 469)	*17*	106·6	107·9	108·2	103·9	*17*	100·0	107·7	116·7	122·0
China and earthenware	(462)	*3*	109·3	109·7	98·8	98·2	*4*	100·0	105·9	109·2	108·7
Glass	(463)	*8*	87·1	99·4	98·9	96·7	*7*	100·0	105·4	119·2	118·1
Timber, furniture, etc.	XIV	*19*	106·8	106·9	100·4	102·5	*20*	100·0	111·9	114·0	115·8
Paper, printing and publishing	XV	*56*	90·0	96·9	95·7	98·1	*55*	100·0	107·0	119·4	119·7
Other manufacturing industries	XVI	*23*	88·8	98·4	93·8	99·3	*22*	100·0	108·2	120·1	115·9
Construction	XVII	*118*	95·3	95·5	100·8	100·5	*126*	100·0	105·6	111·1	119·6
Gas, electricity and water	XVIII	*54*	83·8	88·3	92·4	95·7	*54*	100·0	102·6	110·5	115·6
Miscellaneous industry groups:											
All industries except construction	II–XVI and XVIII	*882*	93·9	99·3	99·2	101·2	*874*	100·0	105·1	112·6	112·9
Manufacturing industries:											
Durable goods	(4)	*448*	92·0	100·0	98·6	101·1	*438*	100·0	105·3	114·4	114·2
Non-durable goods	(4)	*316*	95·8	99·1	99·9	101·6	*310*	100·0	107·0	114·7	115·4
Engineering and allied industries	VI–IX	*322*	89·0	97·8	96·1	99·3	*310*	100·0	104·8	112·5	113·4
Textiles, leather and clothing	X–XII	*98*	109·6	108·9	108·5	108·3	*92*	100·0	107·4	113·0	111·4
Manufacturing, except food manufacturing	IV–XVI	*680*	93·9	100·3	99·5	101·8	*662*	100·0	106·3	115·5	115·3

Source: Central Statistical Office

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(1) The information on which the index is based is by no means complete and no significance can be attributed to the decimals. The figures are given to the nearest first place of decimals only to facilitate the combination of individual industries into groups not shown in the table. For further notes on the index, see *The Index of Industrial Production, Method of Compilation, Studies in Official Statistics No. 7* (H.M.S.O. September 1959) and *Economic Trends*, March 1962.

(2) The Order numbers and Minimum List Headings (numbers given in brackets) are in accordance with the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*.

(3) For comparison with the 1958-based index the 1954 weights have been multiplied by the index for 1958 on 1954 base.

(4) Durable goods include metal manufacture; engineering and allied industries; bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.; timber, furniture, etc.; and other manufacturing industries except rubber (Orders V–IX, XIII, XIV and part of XVI). Products of the remaining manufacturing industries are classed as non-durable.

Census of production(¹)

1960

TABLE 156

£ million

	Standard Industrial Classification, 1958		Sales and work done(²)	Stocks and work in progress(³)		Capital expenditure(⁴)	
	Order number	Minimum List Heading	1960	End of 1959	Change during 1960	1959	1960
Total manufacturing industries	III-XVI		24,551·1	5,047·6	+598·0	863·5	1,028·1
Food, drink and tobacco	III		4,528·9	719·6	+ 45·4	106·0	128·1
Food industries		211-219, 229	2,423·0	309·6	+ 9·8	66·2	73·7
Drink industries		231, 239	1,067·9	193·3	+ 17·7	33·8	46·0
Tobacco		240	1,038·0	216·7	+ 17·8	6·0	8·4
Chemicals and allied industries	IV		2,714·7	447·9	+ 40·2	164·2	156·7
Mineral oil refining		262	468·8	97·4	– 1·4	23·4	15·3
Paint and printing ink		274	184·2	32·4	+ 3·2	5·7	5·3
Other chemical and allied industries		261, 263, 271-273, 275-277	2,061·8	318·0	+ 38·4	135·1	136·1
Metal manufacture	V		2,314·3	392·4	+ 76·9	129·9	188·7
Metal manufacture—iron and steel		311, 312, 313	1,658·4	285·3	+ 54·7	111·7	167·1
Metal manufacture—light metals, copper, brass and other base metals		321, 322	656·0	107·1	+ 22·2	18·2	21·6
Engineering and electrical goods	VI		4,229·5	1,353·2	+165·0	144·4	174·7
Mechanical engineering		331-339, 341, 342 349	2,451·6	781·7	+ 74·4	77·5	97·5
Scientific, surgical and photographic instruments, watches and clocks		351, 352	216·0	57·0	+ 10·2	9·6	10·1
Electrical engineering		361-365, 369	1,561·9	514·5	+ 80·4	57·3	67·1
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	VII	370	454·5	67·9	– 1·1	19·5	14·8
Vehicles	VIII		2,396·6	727·2	+100·5	68·5	78·9
Motor vehicles		381	1,566·4	255·4	+ 82·1	40·0	55·4
Aircraft		383	551·7	373·9	+ 9·2	20·9	17·3
Other vehicles		382, 384, 385, 389	278·5	97·9	+ 9·2	7·6	6·2
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	IX	391-396, 399	1,346·0	200·6	+ 40·0	36·0	41·7
Textiles	X		2,030·5	454·7	+ 37·5	53·5	68·3
Man-made fibres, cotton, etc.		412, 413, 423	655·7	132·7	+ 11·4	16·6	20·6
Wool		414	568·2	166·6	– 1·8	9·0	11·1
Other textile industries		411, 415-419, 421, 422, 429	806·6	155·4	+ 27·8	27·9	36·6
Leather, leather goods and fur	XI	431-433	185·5	43·2	– 1·4	2·2	2·8
Clothing and footwear	XII		871·4	147·4	+ 13·7	10·8	14·7
Clothing		441-446, 449	642·9	107·2	+ 14·3	7·6	9·8
Footwear		450	228·5	40·2	– 0·5	3·2	4·9
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement and miscellaneous building materials	XIII	461-464, 469	680·2	90·8	+ 12·5	30·1	42·9
Timber, furniture, etc.	XIV	471-475, 479	642·1	107·5	+ 20·1	14·2	17·0
Paper, printing and publishing	XV		1,480·9	177·0	+ 27·8	60·0	67·9
Paper and board		481	408·9	59·9	+ 10·2	19·3	19·2
Paper products, printing and publishing		482, 483, 486, 489	1,072·0	117·1	+ 17·6	40·7	48·7
Other manufacturing industries	XVI		676·2	118·1	+ 20·9	24·1	31·0
Rubber and rubber products		491	315·9	57·1	+ 9·5	11·7	14·1
Other manufacturing industries		492-496, 499	360·3	61·0	+ 11·4	12·4	16·9
Construction(⁵)	XVII	500	. .	. .	. .	61·4	69·2

Source: Board of Trade (Census Office)

(¹) The statistical unit for which returns were made in the census was the business unit, which covers the whole of the business—a company or a group of companies (but excluding any subsidiary company mainly operating overseas) engaged in one of a number of specified activities.

(²) The sales include all sales made by the whole of the business covered by the return including goods and waste products, those made for them by outworkers or by other firms from materials given out to them, and any new building work, machinery or other capital items produced within the business for its own use. The value of any goods sold without being subjected to any manufacturing process is also included. The value of goods transferred from one unit to another within the business covered by the return is excluded as far as possible, but sales between business units within an industry group are included.

(³) The figures include stocks held outside the United Kingdom and stocks of goods held for merchanting or factoring; stocks held by subsidiary companies mainly operating abroad are excluded.

(⁴) This covers expenditure on new building work and expenditure on (*less* receipts from disposals of) new and secondhand plant, machinery and vehicles.

(⁵) Private firms only.

Total inland fuel consumption

TABLE 157

Million tons of coal equivalent(1)

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Gross coal consumption	206·8	207·8	213·8	215·2	217·5	212·9	202·4	189·4	196·7	191·8
less exports and stock changes of coke and manufactured fuel	2·7	2·2	1·4	1·7	3·5	5·3	3·8	2·8	1·2	1·8
Net coal consumption	204·1	205·6	212·4	213·5	214·0	207·6	198·6	186·6	195·5	190·0
Petroleum(2)	25·7	27·8	30·9	34·5	37·5	36·7	47·2	56·0	65·5	70·8
Nuclear and hydro-electricity and colliery methane(3)	1·0	1·0	1·3	1·0	1·3	1·7	1·7	2·1	2·9	3·5
Total fuel consumption	230·8	234·4	244·6	249·0	252·8	246·0	247·5	244·7	263·9	264·3

Source: Ministry of Power

(1) Conversion factors used:—
1 ton of petroleum (including all petroleum gases)=1·7 tons of coal.
300 therms of colliery methane=1 ton of coal.
Nuclear and hydro-electricity are converted to coal equivalent according to the amount of coal needed to produce electricity at the current efficiency of steam stations.

(2) Deliveries for inland consumption (after adjustment for known stock changes) of black oils (gas/diesel oil excluding derv fuel and fuel oil excluding refinery fuel) and other oils (gases, aviation fuels, motor spirit, kerosene, derv fuel and refinery fuel). Petroleum products not used as fuels (chemical feedstock, industrial and white spirits, lubricants, bitumen and wax) are excluded.

(3) Including 0·1 million tons colliery methane in both 1958 and 1959 and 0·2 million tons in 1960 and 1961.

Fuel consumption analysed by type of fuel(1)

TABLE 158

Million tons of coal equivalent(2)

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Coal (direct use)	114·8	114·5	116·7	113·8	110·9	105·1	99·2	91·3	91·1	84·4
Coke and breeze	30·6	31·6	32·3	33·3	33·1	32·1	29·9	27·6	31·2	29·4
Other solid fuel	1·2	1·2	1·3	1·2	1·5	1·7	1·9	1·6	1·4	1·5
Coke oven gas	2·0	2·1	2·3	2·3	2·4	2·5	2·4	2·1	2·6	2·6
Town gas	18·0	17·3	17·8	17·7	17·7	16·7	16·7	16·0	16·2	16·0
Electricity	38·0	39·2	42·8	45·8	49·2	50·7	53·8	57·0	64·7	69·0
Other fuels (direct use)(3)	1·4	1·6	1·7	1·7	1·9	2·3	2·0	1·8	2·1	1·8
Petroleum (direct use)	24·8	26·9	29·7	33·2	36·1	34·9	41·6	47·3	54·6	59·6

Source: Ministry of Power

(1) To avoid double counting, fuels used in the production of other fuels are excluded, only the coal equivalent of the secondary fuel finally consumed being shown.

(2) Conversion factors used:—
(i) 1 ton of petroleum (including all petroleum gases and liquid fuels from coal)=1·7 tons of coal.
(ii) 300 therms of colliery methane=1 ton of coal.
(iii) 40,000 cu. ft, of coke oven gas=1 ton of coal.
(iv) 1 ton of coke breeze=0·9 tons of coal.
(v) The coal equivalent of gas coke and of hard coke is assumed to be one ton of coal to one ton of coke except that the coal equivalent of hard coke used by blast furnaces includes losses in conversion at coke ovens, i.e. it is calculated at the weight of coal used at coke ovens, less coke and breeze supplied to other consumers or exported or put to stock and sales of coke oven gas and liquid fuels derived from coal. Semi-coke is included with coke and breeze.
(vi) Other solid fuels which include briquettes, ovoids and Phurnacite are expressed in terms of coal used in their production.
(vii) The coal equivalent of town gas is taken to be the coal used at gas works plus the coal equivalent of oil, colliery methane, coke oven gas purchased and all petroleum gases used less sales of gas coke, coke breeze and liquid fuels derived from coal.
(viii) The coal equivalent of electricity is taken to be the coal used at public supply and transport generating stations, plus the coal equivalent of coke breeze, oil, hydro and nuclear electricity and electricity purchased from collieries. The coal equivalent of hydro, nuclear and colliery electricity is taken as the amount of coal currently needed to produce the same quantity of electricity at steam stations.

(3) Creosote/pitch mixtures, coal derived benzole used as fuel and methane used at collieries.

Fuel consumption analysed by classes of consumer

TABLE 159

Million tons of coal equivalent(1)

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Collieries	12·1	11·7	11·6	11·0	10·5	9·9	9·5	8·5	7·8	7·5
Petroleum refineries	2·3	2·9	3·6	3·7	4·0	3·9	4·6	5·6	6·1	6·4
Agriculture	2·7	2·8	2·8	2·9	3·1	3·0	3·2	3·1	3·3	3·6
Iron and steel industry	31·2	31·7	32·1	33·1	33·8	34·3	31·1	29·4	34·4	33·2
Other industries	63·5	65·0	69·9	72·1	72·7	71·3	70·1	71·5	76·6	77·2
Railways	15·2	14·9	14·7	14·0	14·0	13·5	12·6	11·6	11·0	10·4
Road transport	11·5	12·2	12·7	13·5	13·9	12·9	14·7	15·9	17·5	18·6
Water transport	2·1	2·2	2·2	2·2	2·3	2·2	2·2	2·2	2·2	2·2
Air transport	1·6	2·0	2·5	2·9	3·0	2·8	2·7	2·8	3·0	3·7
Domestic	64·2	64·5	66·4	66·5	68·4	66·2	69·4	66·9	71·9	73·2
Public administration	10·2	10·0	10·5	10·9	11·0	10·4	11·3	10·8	11·7	11·0
Miscellaneous	14·2	14·5	15·6	16·2	16·1	15·6	16·1	16·4	18·4	17·3

Source: Ministry of Power

(1) See footnote (2) to Table 158.

Coal: Supply and Consumption

TABLE **160**

Million tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Supply										
Production of deep-mined coal	212·7	211·8	213·6	210·2	209·9	210·0	201·5	195·3	186·0	181·9
Production of opencast coal	11·9	11·5	10·0	11·4	12·1	13·6	14·3	10·8	7·6	8·6
Total	224·6	223·3	223·6	221·6	222·0	223·6	215·8	206·1	193·6	190·5
Recovered slurry, fines, etc.	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·7	1·1	1·2
Disposals of imported coal	0·3	0·6	3·0	11·4	5·3	2·8	0·9	0·1	—	—
Total	225·2	224·1	226·8	233·5	227·8	227·0	217·2	206·9	194·7	191·7
Change in colliery stocks	+0·5	−0·5	−0·1	+0·6	+0·2	+2·9	+9·0	+15·2	−5·2	−5·9
Changes in stocks at opencast sites	+2·7	−2·2	−0·7	+0·5	+0·5	+2·7	+2·1	+0·9	−1·3	−1·9
Total supply	222·0	226·8	227·6	232·4	227·1	221·4	206·1	190·8	201·2	199·5
Home consumption										
Electricity supply industry	35·5	36·7	39·6	42·9	45·6	46·4	46·1	46·0	51·1	54·7
Gas supply industry	27·7	27·1	27·3	27·9	27·8	26·4	24·8	22·5	22·3	22·2
Coke ovens (coal carbonised)	25·1	25·9	26·6	27·0	29·3	30·7	27·8	25·7	28·5	26·8
Manufactured fuel plants	1·7	1·5	1·6	1·6	1·8	2·1	2·2	1·7	1·4	1·5
Railways	13·9	13·4	13·0	12·2	12·1	11·4	10·3	9·5	8·9	7·7
Collieries	10·3	9·9	9·5	8·7	7·9	7·2	6·5	5·6	5·0	4·5
Industry										
Iron and steel	7·3	6·8	6·4	6·1	5·8	5·3	4·2	3·7	3·8	3·2
Engineering and other metal trades(¹)	3·6	3·6	3·8	3·9	3·7	3·4	3·3	3·0	2·9	2·8
Other industry(¹)	28·0	29·0	30·6	30·7	30·0	28·8	26·2	25·0	24·6	23·2
Domestic										
House coal	30·2	30·4	31·5	30·4	30·6	28·8	29·4	26·9	28·2	26·2
Anthracite and dry steam coal	1·4	1·5	1·4	1·5	1·6	1·5	1·5	1·5	1·5	1·6
Miners' coal	5·2	5·2	5·3	5·2	5·3	5·3	5·3	5·0	4·9	4·7
Miscellaneous	14·1	13·9	14·3	14·1	13·0	12·6	11·9	10·6	10·7	9·9
Total home consumption (Great Britain)	204·0	204·9	210·9	212·2	214·5	209·9	199·5	186·7	193·8	189·0
Shipments to Northern Ireland	2·6	2·7	2·7	2·8	2·7	2·8	2·7	2·5	2·7	2·6
to Channel Islands	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2
Total	206·8	207·8	213·8	215·2	217·5	212·9	202·4	189·4	196·7	191·8
Overseas shipments	11·6	13·7	13·5	11·7	8·1	6·7	4·0	3·6	5·2	5·6
Foreign bunkers	3·3	2·9	2·5	2·2	1·6	1·2	0·9	0·7	0·3	0·1
Total consumption and shipments	221·7	224·4	229·8	229·1	227·2	220·8	207·3	193·7	202·2	197·5
Change in distributed stocks	+0·7	+1·3	−1·9	+2·7	−0·3	+0·8	−1·3	−2·8	−0·9	+2·4
Balance(²)	−0·4	+1·1	−0·3	+0·6	+0·2	−0·2	+0·1	−0·1	−0·1	−0·4
Stocks at end of year										
Distributed(³)	16·1	17·4	15·6	18·3	18·0	18·8	17·5	14·3	13·4	15·8
At collieries	1·5	1·0	0·9	1·5	1·8	4·7	13·7	28·8	23·6	17·7
At opencast sites	3·1	0·9	0·2	0·7	1·2	3·9	6·0	6·9	5·6	3·7
Total stocks	20·7	19·3	16·7	20·5	21·0	27·4	37·2	50·0	42·6	37·2

TIME SERIES. Figures relate to periods of 52 weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

(¹) The consumers included are those with an annual rate of consumption of 1,000 tons or more and are classified by principal trades according to the *Standard Industrial Classification*, except that the consumption by iron foundries at engineering works already included in the figures for iron and steel has been excluded from the engineering sector.

(²) This is the balance between supply and consumption, shipments and changes in known distributed stocks.

(³) For analysis of these stocks see Table 164.

Coal: Production(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE **161**

Million tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total—Saleable mined coal...	210·77	209·90	211·51	207·88	207·37	207·44	198·84	192·56	183·86	179·66
Scottish	22·84	22·48	22·23	21·71	21·14	20·99	19·13	18·52	17·66	17·22
Northumberland and Cumberland	13·24	13·33	13·42	13·43	13·63	13·43	13·11	12·72	12·00	11·83
Durham	26·43	25·74	25·75	25·41	25·41	24·99	23·86	23·33	22·77	22·29
North Eastern	44·80	44·66	45·38	43·54	43·24	43·34	42·37	41·92	40·44	39·38
North Western	15·29	15·32	15·41	15·39	15·47	15·25	14·75	14·02	12·94	11·65
East Midlands	43·82	44·26	45·28	45·75	45·98	46·74	45·45	44·60	43·66	44·12
West Midlands	17·92	17·78	17·71	17·36	17·29	17·42	16·37	15·38	13·85	13·80
South Western	24·69	24·62	24·67	23·76	23·53	23·60	22·19	20·46	19·06	17·93
South Eastern	1·74	1·71	1·66	1·53	1·68	1·68	1·61	1·61	1·48	1·44

TIME SERIES. Figures relate to periods of 52 weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

(¹) Mines operated by National Coal Board.

Coal: Average number of wage-earners on colliery books(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE **162**

Thousands

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	706·2	707·5	701·8	698·7	697·4	703·8	692·7	658·2	602·1	570·5
Scottish	82·7	83·1	82·4	82·7	83·7	85·6	84·7	79·9	72·2	69·4
Northumberland and Cumberland	48·7	47·6	46·9	46·8	47·2	47·3	46·5	43·7	39·7	37·1
Durham	105·1	103·1	101·8	101·6	101·7	101·3	99·5	95·6	90·1	85·3
North Eastern	139·7	140·7	139·6	138·9	137·3	137·8	136·4	132·1	121·9	116·5
North Western	58·9	59·4	58·7	58·2	58·2	57·7	56·2	51·9	45·4	41·8
East Midlands	98·7	100·2	100·6	101·5	101·9	103·5	102·9	100·1	94·4	91·3
West Midlands	56·9	57·8	57·4	56·7	56·5	58·8	57·1	53·1	45·5	41·8
South Western	109·1	109·2	107·8	105·6	103·8	104·6	102·2	94·9	87·0	81·6
South Eastern	6·4	6·4	6·6	6·7	7·1	7·2	7·2	6·9	5·9	5·7

(¹) Mines operated by National Coal Board. The figures have been adjusted to the latest definitions.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal: Output per manshift(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE **163**

Tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	1·23	1·25	1·25	1·24	1·25	1·25	1·28	1·35	1·40	1·45
Scottish	1·10	1·09	1·08	1·06	1·02	1·01	1·00	1·07	1·12	1·15
Northumberland and Cumberland	1·12	1·19	1·20	1·21	1·22	1·21	1·24	1·30	1·34	1·41
Durham	1·03	1·04	1·04	1·03	1·03	1·02	1·04	1·08	1·11	1·16
North Eastern	1·34	1·36	1·37	1·35	1·36	1·36	1·42	1·50	1·55	1·60
North Western	1·07	1·10	1·11	1·11	1·13	1·13	1·17	1·26	1·33	1·31
East Midlands	1·82	1·84	1·85	1·86	1·87	1·90	1·95	2·03	2·10	2·18
West Midlands	1·34	1·34	1·33	1·32	1·33	1·30	1·31	1·38	1·43	1·53
South Western	0·92	0·93	0·93	0·93	0·94	0·95	0·98	1·02	1·03	1·03
South Eastern	1·18	1·17	1·12	1·01	1·06	1·07	1·07	1·11	1·17	1·15

(¹) Mines operated by the National Coal Board. The figures have been adjusted to the latest definitions.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal: Distributed stocks

Great Britain

TABLE 164

End of period

Thousand tons

		Public utility undertakings			Coke ovens	Industrial consumers			Merchants' stocks		Miscellaneous(²)
	Total	Gas	Electricity	Railways		Iron and steel	Engineering and other metal trades(¹)	Other(¹) industries	House coal	Anthracite and boiler fuel	
1953 June	14,723	2,486	5,101	634	1,312	467	504	2,728	619	139	733
December	17,434	2,994	5,882	681	960	501	592	3,056	1,871	146	751
1954 June	14,682	2,507	5,045	815	1,230	435	477	2,805	556	146	666
December	15,547	2,692	5,273	480	920	419	525	2,858	1,573	147	660
1955 June	13,206	2,234	4,754	471	1,373	357	425	2,522	569	101	400
December	18,346	3,196	6,609	716	1,376	455	609	3,120	1,639	122	504
1956 June	17,160	2,631	6,581	685	1,660	376	605	3,119	851	143	509
December	18,045	2,837	6,893	823	1,429	359	613	2,906	1,521	149	515
1957 June	18,279	2,989	7,242	1,098	1,720	338	532	2,953	786	158	463
December	18,765	2,901	7,767	1,012	1,470	301	515	2,584	1,577	161	477
1958 June	17,114	2,563	7,842	769	1,661	256	384	2,342	812	135	350
December	17,484	2,893	7,523	695	1,321	230	358	2,045	1,844	150	425
1959 March	13,545	2,127	6,100	547	1,321	212	313	1,831	639	102	353
June	15,293	2,544	6,647	562	1,519	203	320	1,917	1,063	155	363
September	15,990	2,528	7,102	502	1,085	190	341	1,894	1,746	214	388
December	14,322	2,228	6,145	530	1,194	207	304	1,647	1,533	202	332
1960 March	11,985	1,901	4,957	336	1,613	212	267	1,741	561	133	264
June	13,659	2,065	5,700	477	1,730	201	264	1,782	986	175	279
September	13,914	1,785	6,265	458	1,290	200	297	1,753	1,344	186	336
December	13,409	1,838	5,678	497	1,440	199	264	1,679	1,349	172	293
1961 March	12,214	1,471	5,561	378	1,604	200	265	1,670	678	146	241
June	15,206	1,903	6,896	616	1,685	187	253	1,843	1,381	202	240
September	17,342	2,350	8,177	708	1,076	178	305	1,930	2,079	246	293
December	15,762	2,118	7,001	787	1,079	168	264	1,706	2,107	250	282
1962 March	12,101	1,649	5,646	500	1,249	145	236	1,595	718	165	198
June	14,649	1,919	7,154	444	1,459	152	240	1,701	1,156	216	208

(¹) Figures relate only to establishments consuming 1,000 tons, or more, of coal a year.

(²) Including coal held by Service departments.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal-mining: Earnings

Great Britain

TABLE 165

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Average weekly earnings per wage-earner										
All ages:										
Total:										
All workers	225 0	232 1	245 11	261 0	284 8	304 11	300 3	300 3	311 8	331 1
Underground	239 0	245 4	257 11	272 9	296 4	317 7	313 7	313 6	325 9	345 9
Surface	176 1	183 7	199 4	214 9	237 6	253 1	244 8	244 5	253 5	271 11
Cash earnings:										
All workers	215 7	222 0	235 1	249 3	271 0	290 4	284 2	283 9	294 1	311 11
Underground	229 5	235 2	247 1	260 11	282 7	302 11	297 6	296 11	308 1	326 6
Surface	167 2	173 10	188 9	203 3	223 11	238 6	228 10	228 3	236 2	253 3
Value of allowances in kind:										
All workers	9 5	10 1	10 10	11 9	13 8	14 7	16 1	16 6	17 7	19 2
Underground	9 7	10 2	10 10	11 10	13 9	14 8	16 1	16 7	17 8	19 3
Surface	8 11	9 9	10 7	11 6	13 7	14 7	15 10	16 2	17 3	18 8
Adult wage-earners(¹):										
Total	236 2	244 6	258 8	274 6	299 1	320 0	315 4	313 11	324 0	343 0
Average earnings per manshift worked										
All ages:										
Total:										
All workers	43 2	45 5	47 9	50 11	55 8	60 0	62 5	63 11	65 9	69 8
Underground	46 11	49 2	51 4	54 6	59 4	64 2	66 10	68 4	70 6	74 7
Surface	31 4	33 1	35 5	38 2	42 4	45 1	46 1	47 4	48 6	52 0
Cash earnings:										
All workers	41 4	43 5	45 8	48 8	53 0	57 2	59 1	60 5	62 0	65 8
Underground	45 1	47 1	49 2	52 2	56 7	61 2	63 5	64 9	66 8	70 5
Surface	29 9	31 4	33 6	36 2	39 11	42 6	43 1	44 2	45 2	48 5
Value of allowances in kind:										
All workers	1 10	2 0	2 1	2 3	2 8	2 10	3 4	3 6	3 9	4 0
Underground	1 10	2 1	2 2	2 4	2 9	3 0	3 5	3 7	3 10	4 2
Surface	1 7	1 9	1 11	2 0	2 5	2 7	3 0	3 2	3 4	3 7
Adult wage-earners(²):										
Total	45 3	47 9	50 1	53 5	58 2	62 8	65 2	66 5	68 1	71 10

(¹) The figures relate to adult male workers 21 years of age and over.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal-mining: Persons killed and injured(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 166

Number

	Total: underground and surface	Underground						Surface: all causes
		Total	By falls of ground	Haulage accidents	By explosions of firedamp or coal dust	Shaft accidents	Miscellaneous accidents	
Persons killed:								
1952	420	376	187	110	1	23	55	44
1953	392	344	181	93	15	23	32	48
1954	371	328	180	87	5	20	36	43
1955	425	366	185	119	7	17	38	59
1956 (a)	330	295	159	73	9	14	40	35
1956 (b)	328	293	158	73	9	13	40	35
1957	396	369	169	96	49	10	45	27
1958	327	290	149	85	—	14	42	37
1959	348	326	142	75	16	14	79	22
1960	317	287	124	69	49	10	35	30
1961	235	207	106	58	—	11	32	28
Number of reportable or serious injuries(2)(3):								
1952	2,109	1,911	795	503	36	27	550	198
1953	1,958	1,763	733	453	41	11	525	195
1954	1,855	1,670	678	428	49	24	491	185
1955	1,889	1,699	668	436	47	24	524	190
1956 (a)	1,769	1,584	586	468	18	15	497	185
1956 (b)	1,748	1,565	579	462	16	15	493	183
1957	1,917	1,710	609	462	92	27	520	207
1958	1,752	1,571	689	500	7	60	315	181
1959	1,676	1,502	710	482	5	20	285	174
1960	1,573	1,386	639	437	8	17	285	187
1961	1,477	1,301	589	439	2	13	258	176
Number of injuries which disabled for more than three days(2):								
1952	238,136	215,098	59,513	37,426	118,159			23,038
1953	233,954	211,569	58,520	35,745	117,304			22,385
1954	222,932	201,134	54,876	32,327	113,931			21,798
1955	217,305	196,544	52,673	30,373	113,498			20,761
1956 (a)	220,692	200,393	53,139	29,980	117,274			20,299
1956 (b)	219,783	199,581	53,022	29,773	116,786			20,202
1957	198,129	179,785	47,301	26,338	106,146			18,344
1958(4)	206,855	188,113	48,551	26,909	112,653			18,742
1959	209,168	190,651	48,838	25,772	116,041			18,517
1960	192,576	174,953	43,463	22,941	108,549			17,623
1961	187,706	170,270	41,294	21,489	107,487			17,436

Source: Ministry of Power

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(1) For 1952 to 1956 (a) the figures relate to all mines producing coal, stratified ironstone in Cleveland, Lincolnshire and Northamptonshire, oil shale and fireclay; from 1956 (b) to coal mines only. Where a person sustains more than one injury in a year, each such injury is included.

(2) Practically all reportable or serious injuries are also included in injuries which disabled for more than three days.

(3) From 1958 the figures relate solely to serious injuries. Earlier figures included all reportable injuries which, in addition to serious injuries, included other injuries reportable to H.M. Mines Inspectors because of the nature of the occurrence causing the injury. The number of non-serious injuries so excluded in 1958 was 318.

(4) The figures relate only to mines operated by the National Coal Board which employs about 99 per cent. of the total labour force engaged in coal mining. In 1957 the number of injuries at other coal mines was 949.

Coal-mining: Death and injury rates per 100,000 manshifts(1)

Great Britain

TABLE **167**

	Total: underground and surface	Underground						Surface: all causes
		Total	By falls of ground	Haulage accidents	By explosions of firedamp or coal dust	Shaft accidents	Miscellaneous accidents	
Death rates:								
1952	0·23	0·28	0·14	0·08	—	0·02	0·04	0·09
1953	0·21	0·25	0·13	0·07	0·01	0·02	0·02	0·10
1954	0·20	0·24	0·13	0·06	—	0·02	0·03	0·10
1955	0·24	0·27	0·13	0·09	0·01	0·01	0·03	0·14
1956	0·19	0·22	0·12	0·05	0·01	0·01	0·03	0·08
1957	0·23	0·28	0·13	0·07	0·04	0·01	0·03	0·06
1958	0·20	0·23	0·12	0·07	—	0·01	0·03	0·09
1959	0·23	0·28	0·12	0·07	0·01	0·01	0·07	0·06
1960	0·23	0·27	0·12	0·06	0·05	0·01	0·03	0·09
1961	0·18	0·21	0·11	0·06	—	0·01	0·03	0·09
Reportable or serious injury rates(2):								
1952	1·13	1·40	0·58	0·37	0·03	0·02	0·40	0·40
1953	1·07	1·30	0·54	0·33	0·03	0·01	0·39	0·41
1954	1·03	1·23	0·50	0·32	0·03	0·02	0·36	0·42
1955	1·06	1·26	0·50	0·32	0·03	0·02	0·39	0·44
1956	1·00	1·17	0·43	0·35	0·01	0·01	0·37	0·43
1957	1·09	1·29	0·46	0·35	0·07	0·02	0·39	0·49
1958	1·06	1·26	0·55	0·40	0·01	0·05	0·25	0·45
1959	1·10	1·31	0·62	0·42	—	0·02	0·25	0·47
1960	1·14	1·32	0·61	0·41	0·01	0·02	0·27	0·57
1961	1·13	1·31	0·59	0·44	—	0·01	0·27	0·56
Total injury rates:								
1952	128·72	158·33	43·80	27·54	86·99			46·89
1953	128·79	157·58	43·59	26·55	87·44			47·23
1954	123·77	148·26	40·42	23·83	84·01			49·05
1955	122·10	146·20	39·18	22·58	84·44			47·67
1956	124·78	149·10	39·52	22·32	87·26			47·76
1957	113·09	135·50	35·63	19·90	79·97			43·17
1958(3)	125·46	150·90	38·95	21·58	90·37			46·61
1959	138·86	167·42	42·89	22·63	101·90			50·38
1960	140·36	167·48	41·61	21·96	103·91			53·83
1961	144·81	173·31	42·03	21·87	109·41			55·57

(1) The rates for underground and surface accidents are based upon the number of manshifts worked underground and on the surface, respectively. The particulars for 1952 to 1956 relate to mines producing coal, oil shale and fireclay, and from 1957 to mines producing coal. The effect of this change is very slight.

(2) and (3) See footnotes (3) and (4) to Table 166.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coke: Supplies and consumption

Great Britain

TABLE 168

Million tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Production:										
Total	29·62	29·78	30·18	30·84	32·35	32·51	29·60	27·12	28·70	27·62
Gas works(¹)	12·53	12·30	12·33	12·74	12·70	12·02	11·15	10·07	9·87	9·79
Coke ovens	17·09	17·48	17·85	18·10	19·65	20·49	18·45	17·05	18·83	17·83
Change in stocks:										
Gas works	+0·71	+0·22	−0·49	+0·09	+0·52	+1·05	+0·15	—	−0·49	+0·22
Coke ovens	+0·09	+0·36	+0·22	−0·54	+0·23	+1·17	+2·13	+1·55	+0·19	+0·17
Total supply	28·84(²)	29·20	30·45	31·29	31·60	30·29	27·32	25·57	29·00	27·23
Consumption										
Total consumption and shipments	28·72	29·22	30·44	31·28	31·36	30·35	27·45	25·63	28·86	27·26
Inland consumption:										
Total	27·79	28·30	29·25	30·05	29·69	28·50	26·46	24·67	27·73	26·13
Gas works(¹):										
For gas making	1·38	1·34	1·52	1·44	1·35	1·22	1·43	1·31	1·35	1·17
For other purposes	0·41	0·35	0·33	0·27	0·22	0·17	0·21	0·20	0·21	0·21
Blast furnaces	11·33	11·87	11·92	12·29	13·07	13·58	11·44	10·54	13·00	12·06
Railways	0·15	0·16	0·15	0·16	0·16	0·14	0·14	0·12	0·12	0·12
Domestic(³)	2·61	3·06	3·34	3·60	3·38	3·05	3·10	2·89	3·46	3·53
Other inland(⁴)	11·89	11·52	12·00	12·25	11·53	10·35	10·16	9·60	9·59	9·04
Shipments abroad(⁵)	0·93	0·92	1·19	1·23	1·67	1·85	0·99	0·96	1·13	1·13

(¹) Excluding coke used for heating retorts.
(²) Including 19,000 tons of hard coke imported.
(³) The figures relate to disposals by merchants to consumers of less than 10 tons a year and by gasworks to all domestic consumers. Direct disposals by coke ovens are excluded.
(⁴) This is a balancing item after taking account of changes in gas coke stocks in merchants' yards.
(⁵) Exports relate to actual shipments made in each year and owing to the time lag between the date of shipment and the notification of H.M. Customs they differ from the figures published in the *Trade and Navigation Accounts*.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal tar products: Production(¹)

TABLE 169

Great Britain

	Unit	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Refined tar	Thous. tons	610	593	653	662	608	588	538	556	547	560
Creosote/pitch mixture	" "	647	664	780	803	879	1,050	899	857	1,051	904
Creosote oil	Mn. gals.	102	114	100	97	103	92	93	82	88	87
Pitch	Thous. tons	646	632	547	491	534	446	512	464	412	418
White naphthalene	" "	6·5	7·5	10·3	9·6	10·5	8·7	6·5	6·1	6·3	7·3
Hot-pressed naphthalene	" "	18·6	18·5	19·2	20·8	22·6	19·6	23·5	29·3	22·6	16·8
Crude naphthalene	" "	16·9	9·1	11·4	19·6	19·0	20·7	25·1	27·2	45·3	47·0
Pyridine bases	Thous. gals.	202	213	265	369	348	322	379	363	336	323
Natural phenol	Thous. tons	10·7	11·3	12·8	11·8	13·6	14·9	18·6	18·2	18·5	20·6
Refined cresylic acid (all grades)	Mn. gals.	10·1	10·0	11·2	12·8	14·3	14·9	13·7	14·4	16·1	14·2
Anthracene 40/50 per cent.	Thous. tons	2·8	2·5	2·4	2·6	2·8	3·4	2·3	3·7	4·0	4·2

(¹) Including products used in the preparation of other products, but excluding those subject to further processing.

Source: Ministry of Power

Gas: Production

Great Britain

TABLE 170

	Unit	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Fuel used:											
Coal	Th. tons	27,658	27,052	27,256	27,876	27,881	26,369	24,756	22,481	22,333	22,104
Oil...........................	,, ,,	442	422	544	526	482	436	663	713	752	850
Gas available at gasworks	Mn. cu. feet	574,211	567,050	589,079	602,484	608,551	586,764	594,090	579,570	603,680	599,061
	Mn. therms	2,754	2,721	2,830	2,901	2,933	2,836	2,865	2,795	2,912	2,898
Gas made at gasworks:											
Total(¹)......................	,, ,,	2,406	2,370	2,460	2,498	2,472	2,342	2,352	2,226	2,243	2,197
Coal gas	,, ,,	2,027	2,003	2,027	2,082	2,083	1,991	1,885	1,745	1,732	1,699
Water gas.................	,, ,,	345	337	402	384	354	314	409	392	425	391
Oil gas	,, ,,	—	1	3	4	6	10	32	65	65	65
Gas bought:											
From coke ovens.........	,, ,,	341	346	364	395	450	480	470	470	504	513
From other sources(²)	,, ,,	7	5	6	8	11	14	43	99	165	188

(¹) Including gases (e.g. producer) not shown separately.
(²) Mainly refinery gas; also includes methane from coal mines and other sources.

Source: Ministry of Power

Gas: Sales

Great Britain

TABLE 171

Million therms

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	2,453	2,436	2,527	2,581	2,589	2,540	2,577	2,515	2,608	2,590
Domestic	1,363	1,346	1,360	1,361	1,347	1,310	1,318	1,266	1,279	1,281
Industrial	646	648	704	742	759	770	783	794	858	845
Commercial	341	344	364	387	399	384	402	387	405	404
Public administration(¹) ...	52	49	52	47	44	40	42	40	42	40
Public lighting	51	49	47	44	40	36	32	28	24	20

(¹) Central and local government.

Source: Ministry of Power

Electricity: Production(¹)

TABLE 172

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
	Million kilowatt hours									
Electricity generated										
Total	64,333	67,763	75,239	82,528	89,582	93,402	100,928	107,524	121,416	130,316
England and Wales	56,549	59,820	66,599	73,519	80,109	83,345	90,349	96,813	109,643	117,500
South of Scotland Electricity Board	4,205	4,363	4,731	5,196	5,308	5,708	6,106	6,160	6,770	7,164
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	1,237	1,333	1,566	1,433	1,744	1,913	2,043	2,196	2,435	2,925
Northern Ireland	840	862	1,011	1,081	1,166	1,228	1,315	1,396	1,634	1,818
Railway and transport authorities	1,502	1,385	1,332	1,299	1,255	1,208	1,115	959	934	909
Method of generation										
Steam plant: Total	62,906	66,319	73,337	81,210	87,747	91,158	98,666	105,215	118,721	126,951
England and Wales	56,329	59,623	66,358	73,327	79,895	83,091	90,126	96,670	109,429	117,264
South of Scotland Electricity Board	3,940	4,085	4,308	4,974	5,030	5,403	5,815	5,899	6,456	6,839
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	296	364	328	529	401	228	295	291	268	121
Northern Ireland	840	862	1,011	1,081	1,166	1,228	1,315	1,396	1,634	1,818
Railway and transport authorities	1,501	1,385	1,332	1,299	1,255	1,208	1,115	959	934	909
Oil engines: Total	105	103	92	115	114	100	119	128	147	161
England and Wales	53	48	37	51	53	40	54	58	77	90
South of Scotland Electricity Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	52	55	55	64	61	60	65	70	70	71
Railway and transport authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Water power: Total	1,268	1,284	1,759	1,147	1,667	2,098	2,109	2,175	2,539	3,196
England and Wales	114	92	153	85	107	168	135	79	128	137
South of Scotland Electricity Board	265	278	423	222	278	305	291	261	314	325
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	889	914	1,183	840	1,282	1,625	1,683	1,835	2,097	2,733
Railway and transport authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Destructor plant, waste heat, etc.: Total	54	57	51	56	54	46	34	6	9	8
England and Wales	53	57	51	56	54	46	34	6	9	8
South of Scotland Electricity Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Railway and transport authorities	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Thousand tons									
Fuel used										
Coal: Total	36,036	37,118	40,123	43,380	46,298	47,095	46,771	46,723	51,865	55,360
England and Wales	31,919	33,073	36,019	38,874	41,834	42,651	42,110	42,127	47,078	50,384
South of Scotland Electricity Board	2,339	2,283	2,383	2,671	2,708	2,809	3,051	3,101	3,334	3,604
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	204	243	210	347	258	140	169	159	145	69
Northern Ireland	508	538	586	613	663	694	723	738	723	720
Railway and transport authorities	1,066	981	925	875	835	801	718	598	585	583
Coke and coke breeze: Total	841	902	1,109	1,027	905	851	1,005	1,149	880	891
England and Wales	756	799	1,000	940	832	782	938	1,103	840	873
South of Scotland Electricity Board	76	95	94	79	69	69	67	45	40	18
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	7	8	12	6	1	—	—	—	—	—
Railway and transport authorities	2	—	3	2	3	—	—	1	—	—
Oil: Total	102	129	218	267	429	638	2,618	4,246	5,426	5,578
England and Wales	54	82	161	200	356	578	2,548	4,171	5,278	5,372
South of Scotland Electricity Board	3	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	8	10
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	13	14	14	16	15	14	15	16	16	17
Northern Ireland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	69	124
Railway and transport authorities	32	32	42	50	57	44	53	54	55	55

(¹) Public electricity supply and railway and transport authorities. The figures for the South of Scotland Electricity Board prior to 1955 cover that part of the B.E.A. area transferred to the South of Scotland Electricity Board in 1955.

Source: Ministry of Power Scottish Home and Health Department and Ministry of Commerce, Northern Ireland

Electricity: Capacity of generating plant(¹)

TABLE 173

Great Britain

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Capacity of generating plant installed at end of year (thousand kilowatts)	17,740	19,173	20,562	22,489	24,615	26,635	28,023	30,015	31,858	33,915
Simultaneous maximum loads on generating stations during the year (Thousand kilowatts)	14,047	15,883	17,121	18,428	19,357	21,187	23,012	25,354	26,918	29,750
Kilowatt hours generated (Millions)	61,991	65,516	72,896	80,148	87,161	90,966	98,498	105,169	118,848	127,589
Kilowatt hours sent out (Millions)	58,398	61,633	68,568	75,327	81,914	85,498	92,688	98,943	111,885	120,066
Load factor(²) (Percentage)	*43·6*	*42·4*	*44·4*	*43·5*	*48·3*	*46·3*	*46·4*	*45·3*	*48·4*	*46·1*

(¹) Public supply stations only.

(²) The load factor is the average hourly quantity of electricity sent out during the year (including purchases from other sources) expressed as a percentage of the maximum potential demand nearest the end of the year or early the following year.

Source: Ministry of Power and Scottish Home and Health Department

Electricity: Sales

TABLE 174

Great Britain

Million kilowatt hours

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	51,950	55,568	61,401	67,423	73,520	77,218	83,869	90,504	102,363	110,232
Domestic and farm premises	16,869	17,691	19,075	21,146	23,755	24,850	28,227	30,487	35,270	39,967
Domestic and commercial(¹)	194	529	791	883	942	984	1,173	1,336	1,517	1,649
Shops, offices and other commercial premises	6,921	7,419	7,955	8,662	9,395	9,749	10,884	11,501	13,064	14,160
Factories and other industrial premises	26,068	28,000	31,553	34,635	37,224	39,348	41,241	44,695	49,936	51,740
Public lighting	479	528	576	627	692	742	793	855	922	994
Traction	1,419	1,401	1,451	1,470	1,512	1,545	1,551	1,630	1,654	1,722

(¹) Premises used for domestic and commercial purposes having a combined tariff.

Source: Ministry of Power and Scottish Home and Health Department.

Petroleum: Supply and disposals

TABLE 175

Thousand tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Arrivals of crude and process oils	22,699	25,655	27,969	27,682	28,404	28,344	33,590	38,968	44,721	48,919
Indigenious production:										
Crude petroleum	55	55	59	54	66	82	80	83	86	106
Shale oil	107	104	100	97	78	71	63	60	60	43
Total supply of crude and process oils	22,861	25,814	28,128	27,833	28,548	28,497	33,733	39,111	44,867	49,068
Throughput of crude and process oils	22,490	25,396	28,078	27,598	28,681	27,818	32,933	39,136	44,465	49,105
Refinery output	20,799	23,393	25,609	25,011	25,976	25,171	29,771	35,321	40,286	44,908
Arrivals of refined products	5,868	6,251	6,675	8,446	9,421	10,552	10,874	12,547	13,733	11,623
Other(¹)	401	427	434	439	467	461	420	331	374	370
Total supply	27,068	30,071	32,718	33,896	35,864	36,184	41,065	48,199	54,393	56,901
Inland deliveries	16,254	17,494	19,121	21,177	23,066	22,668	28,534	33,436	39,354	42,500
Shipments	5,434	7,446	7,731	6,229	7,561	6,419	8,229	8,473	8,987	7,822
Bunkers	4,538	4,640	5,076	5,499	5,237	4,341	4,688	4,836	5,427	5,102
Total disposals	26,226	29,580	31,928	32,905	35,864	33,428	41,451	46,745	53,768	55,424

(¹) Products derived from coal and marketed by the petroleum industry.

Source: Ministry of Power

Throughput of crude and process oils and output of refined products from refineries(1)

TABLE 176

Thousand tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Throughput of crude and process oils	22,490	25,396	28,078	27,598	28,681	27,818	32,933	39,136	44,465	49,105
Refinery fuel(2)	1,241	1,495	1,907	2,035	2,131	2,091	2,503	3,032	3,290	3,470
Losses(3)	450	508	562	552	574	556	659	783	889	727
Output of refined products:										
Total	20,799	23,393	25,609	25,011	25,976	25,171	29,771	35,321	40,286	44,908
Gases:										
Butane and propane	25	48	54	58	66	72	91	126	154	201
Other petroleum	—	1	1	1	1	1	72	140	238	259
Aviation spirit and wide-cut gasoline	246	576	1,033	1,082	1,146	945	1,322	1,376	1,285	1,313
Motor spirit	4,689	5,667	6,092	5,793	5,625	4,963	5,429	6,155	6,632	7,040
Industrial and white spirits	55	48	109	137	136	141	144	141	167	157
Kerosine:										
Burning oil	569	473	680	707	771	715	1,083	1,601	2,180	2,513
Vaporising oil	39	80	67	95	98	124	209	171	104	170
Gas/diesel oil	3,865	4,304	4,192	4,585	5,189	5,067	6,285	7,241	7,648	8,618
Fuel oil	10,098	10,747	11,369	10,320	10,395	10,443	12,572	15,599	18,533	21,150
Lubricating oils	370	366	588	706	776	743	751	863	912	958
Bitumen	715	716	809	851	934	836	860	961	1,037	1,133
Paraffin wax	15	15	17	18	19	28	30	31	36	39
Miscellaneous products(3)	113	352	598	658	820	1,093	923	916	1,360	1,357

(1) Crude and process oils comprise all feedstocks, other than distillation benzines, for treatment at refinery plants. Refinery production does not cover further treatment of finished products for special grades such as in distillation plant for the preparation of industrial spirits.

(2) Approximately 49 per cent. fuel oil and 44 per cent. gases in 1961.

(3) Prior to June 1961 losses were estimated at 2 per cent. of total throughput and the figures for miscellaneous products were obtained as a residual.

Source: Ministry of Power

Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption

TABLE 177

Thousand tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	17,510	19,003	21,044	23,237	25,223	24,785	31,066	36,514	42,697	46,015
Total (excluding refinery fuel)	16,254	17,494	19,121	21,177	23,066	22,668	28,534	33,436	39,354	42,500
Gases:										
Butane and propane:										
For gas-works	49	54	58	63	68	73	14	31	44	73
Other uses							75	95	110	133
Other gases for gas works(1)	—	—	1	1	2	1	72	149	241	268
Feedstock:										
For petroleum chemical plants	361	507	607	566	666	793	831	1,067	1,562	1,578
Light distillate for gasworks	—	—	—	—	—	—	41	225	400	497
Aviation spirit and wide-cut gasoline	600	886	1,095	1,140	1,159	1,106	1,064	972	984	1,278
Motor spirit:										
Total	5,441	5,740	5,922	6,240	6,324	5,745	6,624	7,124	7,625	8,143
Dealers:										
Premier grades	—	2,198	2,533	2,827	2,930	2,812	3,493	4,051	4,623	5,193(4)
Standard grades	3,493	1,578	1,451	1,455	1,541	1,488	1,587	1,576	1,543	1,543
Commercial consumers:										
Premier grades	—	255	289	320	336	274	360	405	464	522(4)
Standard grades	1,948	1,709	1,649	1,638	1,517	1,171	1,184	1,092	995	885
Industrial spirit	79	101	121	134	148	171	182	207	230	209
White spirit	137	141	148	149	156	149	151	156	153	150
Kerosine:										
Aviation turbine fuel	361	298	393	558	595	524	501	656	780	878
Burning oil	577	547	604	692	831	796	1,124	1,203	1,295	1,231
Vaporising oil	866	833	707	689	574	520	445	369	289	261
Gas/diesel oil:										
Derv fuel	1,181	1,271	1,413	1,601	1,797	1,795	2,049	2,276	2,582	2,838
Other	1,641	1,717	1,937	2,160	2,388	2,341	2,987	3,124	3,540	3,948
Fuel oil	3,457	3,815	4,416	5,384	6,471	6,931	10,582	13,812	17,438	18,817
Lubricating oils(2)	752	794	845	889	894	826	872	928	965	980
Bitumen	722	750	808	865	941	848	868	991	1,062	1,166
Paraffin wax	30	40	46	46	52	49	52	51	54	52
Refinery fuel(3)	1,256	1,509	1,923	2,060	2,157	2,117	2,532	3,078	3,343	3,515

(1) Including imported methane.

(2) Including gas/diesel and fuel oils used for the manufacture of greases and small quantities subsequently exported.

(3) See footnote (2) to Table 176.

(4) Including 1,039 and 52 thousand tons of best grade motor spirit supplied to dealers and commercial consumers, respectively.

Source: Ministry of Power

Iron and steel

Summary of steel supplies, deliveries and stocks

TABLE **178**

Thousand tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total supply (ingot equivalent)	18,470	18,792	19,491	21,557	22,533	22,958	20,645	20,931	25,583	23,054
Home sources										
Total	16,696	17,679	19,025	19,704	20,762	22,006	20,061	20,433	23,985	22,482
Crude steel production	16,418	17,609	18,520	19,791	20,659	21,699	19,566	20,186	24,305	22,086
Re-usable material(¹)	444	383	351	305	311	318	281	278	252	270
Deliveries to(−) or from (+) stock(²)	−166	−313	+154	−392	—208	—11	+214	−31	−572	+126
Imported(³)										
Total	1,774	1,113	466	1,853	1,771	952	584	498	1,598	572
Ingots	353	137	34	183	116	11	1	—	31	28
Semi-finished	535	496	79	380	340	282	101	5	284	93
Finished	886	480	353	1,290	1,315	659	482	493	1,283	451
Distribution of supply (ingot equivalent)										
Exports(³)	2,557	2,756	2,895	3,363	3,287	3,929	3,414	3,729	4,081	4,159
Supply for home use	15,913	16,036	16,596	18,194	19,246	19,029	17,231	17,202	21,502	18,895
Estimated home consumption(⁴)	15,305	15,660	16,763	17,884	18,465	18,662	17,979	17,888	20,098	19,474
Net deliveries (actual tonnage)(⁵)	13,377	13,645	14,392	15,885	16,522	16,777	15,028	15,123	18,758	16,792
Exports(³)	1,826	1,961	2,073	2,422	2,373	2,686	2,243	2,508	2,750	2,876
Supply for home use	11,551	11,684	12,319	13,463	14,149	14,091	12,785	12,615	16,008	13,916
Stocks (end of period) (actual tonnage)										
Producers':										
Ingots and semi-finished steel	740	1,021	886	1,247	1,444	1,598	1,542	1,426	1,681	1,648
Finished steel (⁶)	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	820	700	819	1,021	969
Consumers'(⁷)	3,020	3,190	3,100	3,420	3,880	4,120	3,570	3,110	4,030	3,590
Merchants'(⁷)	227	337	303	225	348	406	407	364	486	488

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Source: Ministry of Power

(¹) Second-hand tubes and other finished steel, old rails for re-rolling and disposals of war stocks.

(²) Stocks at producers' works of ingots and semi-finished steel, but excluding stocks held by consumers and stockholding merchants.

(³) Based on statistics as shown in the *Trade and Navigation Accounts of the United Kingdom*.

(⁴) After allowing for changes in consumers' and merchants' stocks.

(⁵) Finished steel, including that produced in the United Kingdom from imported ingots and semi-finished steel, and second-hand materials. Excluding deliveries of all material for intra-industry conversion. From 1957 excludes welded tubes exceeding 16ins. outside diameter and replaced by the material for their manufacture.

(⁶) Excluding stocks of tubes, pipes, forgings and steel castings.

(⁷) Finished steel produced in the United Kingdom and imported. Wire is excluded and replaced by the material for its manufacture. From 1960 the figures are not strictly comparable with those for previous years owing to wider coverage of returns.

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Number of furnaces and production of steel

TABLE 179

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Steel furnaces (Number in existence at end of period)(1)										
Total	712	729	731	730	735	743	741	762	743	746
Open hearth	391	397	397	391	391	396	385	368	350	346
Pneumatic	10	10	10	10	10	11	11	14	14	15
Electric	214	227	235	250	254	260	281	317	321	330
Stock converter	15	15	15	12	11	8	7	6	6	7
Tropenas	76	74	69	62	64	63	52	52	47	46
Rotary	6	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	2
Production of steel ingots and castings (Thousand tons)										
Total	16,418	17,609	18,520	19,791	20,659	21,699	19,566	20,186	24,305	22,086
Ingots	15,857	17,054	17,986	19,224	20,054	21,087	19,020	19,685	23,720	21,500
Castings(2)	561	555	534	567	605	612	546	501	585	586
Alloy steel:										
High speed ingots(3)	17	10	15	18	17	15	12	14	19	17
Other(4)	1,118	1,056	1,039	1,201	1,272	1,297	1,147	1,326	1,607	1,545
Non-alloy steel	15,283	16,543	17,466	18,572	19,370	20,387	18,407	18,846	22,679	20,524
Open hearth:										
Acid: Ingots	1,182	1,084	954	961	947	923	730	591	628	579
Castings(2)	57	48	41	39	39	37	32	25	30	32
Basic: Ingots	12,912	14,289	15,236	16,240	17,005	18,061	16,374	16,698	19,865	17,766
Castings(2)	11	9	13	12	13	14	11	10	10	7
Pneumatic: Acid (ingots)	246	263	265	252	230	251	229	215	294	254
Basic (ingots)	887	798	909	1,032	1,078	1,058	945	1,196	1,681	1,694
Electric: Ingots	630	619	621	738	792	794	742	984	1,252	1,207
Castings(2)	300	311	309	361	405	418	384	364	433	441
All other methods: Ingots and castings(2)	193	188	172	156	150	143	119	103	112	106
Production of semi-finished and finished iron and steel (Thousand tons)										
Iron castings	3,831	3,638	3,742	3,925	3,899	3,715	3,469	3,498	3,968	3,806
Wrought iron:										
Forge production	80	75	60	56	53	49	30	19	16	13
Finishing mills production	64	58	42	45	41	35	21	16	16	14
Semi-finished steel:										
Blooms, billets and slabs(5)	8,937	9,539	10,176	10,658	10,756	9,320	8,364	9,080	11,032	9,900
Sheet bars and tinplate bars(6)	3,184	3,223	3,478	3,824	4,261	4,428	4,184	4,427	4,958	4,405
Finished steel (principal products) (7):										
Bright steel bars	390	425	381	455	485	435	381	446	574	526
Heavy rails, sleepers, etc.(8)	535	580	628	599	614	715	663	424	562	511
Heavy and medium plates(9)	2,263	2,467	2,491	2,452	2,659	2,877	2,588	2,329	2,881	2,780
Other heavy rolled products(10)	2,125	2,290	2,399	2,484	2,621	2,788	2,212	2.221	2,796	2,564
Light rolled products(11)	4,601	4,619	4,826	5,477	5,859	5,786	4,986	5,572	6,759	5,994
Cold rolled strip	344	291	385	446	412	397	389	440	539	450
Sheets, coated and uncoated (12)(13)	1,702	1,792	2,039	2,249	2,099	2,219	2,250	2,484	2,829	2,524
Tinplate, terneplate and blackplate	908	760	874	892	918	1,042	1,043	1,104	1,234	1,077
Tubes, pipes and fittings(12)(14)	1,119	1,102	1,108	1,262	1,439	1,244	1,106	1,180	1,342	1,244
Steel castings	310	307	297	312	331	333	287	254	299	301
Steel forgings(12)(15)	218	228	197	200	233	243	215	184	204	218
Tyres, wheels and axles	237	261	286	293	289	301	275	146	160	137

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Source: Ministry of Power

(1) All types other than crucible furnaces and certain small electric furnaces making crucible quality steel.

(2) Metal for castings.

(3) Steel containing by weight either 12 per cent. or more tungsten or both molybdenum and tungsten in respective percentages such that when the percentage of molybdenum is multiplied by two and added to the percentage of tungsten the sum is not less than 12.

(4) Ingots and metal for castings containing a minimum of 0·4 per cent. of chromium or nickel, 0·1 per cent. of molybdenum, tungsten or vanadium, or 10·0 per cent. of manganese.

(5) For heavy and light re-rolled products, excluding forging and drop forging billets etc. and excluding alloy. Excluding from 1957 materials rolled direct from ingot into finished steel.

(6) Excluding alloy. Including continuous mill slabs for all purposes.

(7) Including material for further conversion.

(8) Rails 36lb. per yard and over and sleepers, fish plates and soleplates for use with them.

(9) Plates 3mm. thick and over including armour plate. (10) Including shell steel.

(11) Including wire rods and hot rolled strip. (12) Deliveries. (13) Sheets under 3mm. thick.

(14) Excluding flanges. From 1957 excludes welded tubes exceeding 16 in. outside diameter.

(15) Excluding drop forgings.

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Iron ore, manganese ore, pig iron and iron and steel scrap

TABLE **180**

Thousand tons

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Iron ore										
Production:										
Total	16,232	15,818	15,557	16,175	16,245	16,902	14,612	14,870	17,087	16,518
West Coast hematite (average iron content 48 per cent. in 1961)	403	354	344	330	323	321	333	323	315	290
Phosphoric:										
Jurassic (average iron content 26 per cent. in 1961)	15,724	15,349	15,095	15,725	15,793	16,455	14,159	14,422	16,652	16,104
Other (average iron content 50 per cent. in 1961)	105	115	118	120	129	126	120	125	120	124
Consumption:										
Total(¹)	25,264	26,293	27,055	28,110	29,673	31,988	28,165	27,003	33,073	31,095
Home produced(¹)	15,560	15,965	15,353	15,859	15,936	16,568	14,613	14,637	16,934	16,401
Imported(¹) (average iron content 57 per cent. in 1961)	9,704	10,328	11,702	12,251	13,737	15,420	13,552	12,366	16,139	14,694
Manganese ore										
Consumption	365	442	444	416	401	326	345	311	472	357
Pig iron (and blast furnace ferro-alloys)										
Average number of furnaces in blast at end of period	*103*	*105*	*100*	*99*	*100*	*98*	*88*	*78*	*85*	*82*
Production:										
Total	10,728	11,175	11,883	12,470	13,170	14,283	12,975	12,582	15,763	14,747
Hematite	1,426	1,392	1,436	1,415	1,547	1,571	1,237	1,021	1,187	1,137
Basic	7,528	8,070	8,772	9,295	9,982	11,265	10,315	10,285	13,072	12,256
Foundry	1,522	1,466	1,441	1,509	1,412	1,259	1,228	1,089	1,293	1,196
Forge	74	52	45	57	45	29	20	39	5	
Direct castings	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	—	
Ferro-alloys	176	194	187	193	183	158	174	147	206	158
Refined pig iron:										
Production	268	190	190	258	273	239	207	208	247	235
Consumption of pig iron:										
Total(²)	10,978	11,559	12,036	12,797	13,483	14,053	12,598	12,825	15,826	14,406
In steel works and steel foundries	8,651	9,309	9,771	10,426	11,191	12,028	10,847	11,107	13,906	12,655
In iron works and iron foundries	2,327	2,250	2,265	2,371	2,292	2,025	1,751	1,718	1,920	1,751
Stocks (end of period) (³)	664	841	802	937	977	1,367	1,636	1,221	1,070	1,206
Iron and steel scrap										
Receipts in steel works and foundries:										
Total	9,284	10,025	10,352	11,117	11,395	11,809	10,171	10,918	13,186	11,665
Bought(⁴)	4,240	4,521	4,673	4,729	4,931	5,343	4,366	4,993	6,186	5,418
Circulating (arising in own works) (⁵)	4,415	4,771	4,990	5,210	5,496	5,845	5,770	5,925	6,766	6,207
Imported	629	733	689	1,178	968	621	35	—	234	40
Consumption(⁶)	9,069	9,768	10,286	11,085	11,214	11,461	10,371	10,826	12,647	11,466
Stocks (end of period)(⁶)	422	648	688	714	876	1,207	991	1,008	1,269	1,180

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1952 and 1958).

Source: Ministry of Power

(¹) As charged.

(²) Excluding refined and cylinder pig iron made other than in blast furnaces and consumed in iron foundries.

(³) Stocks of pig iron at blast furnaces, steel works, steel foundries, iron foundries, wrought iron and refined iron works and stocks held by the British Iron and Steel Corporation Ltd. Includes stocks of blast furnace ferro-alloys but excludes stocks of refined iron held by producers.

(⁴) Receipts of scrap bought in the home market.

(⁵) Including own scrap sold to other works which amounted to 52,400 tons in 1952, 59,200 tons in 1953, 47,900 tons in 1954, 47,300 tons in 1955, 66,800 tons in 1956, 70,600 tons in 1957, 87,300 tons in 1958, 186,800 tons in 1959, 303,800 tons in 1960 and 357,900 tons in 1961.

(⁶) At steel works and steel foundries.

Iron and steel

Regional analysis of blast and steel furnaces and of production of pig iron and steel ingots and metal for castings

TABLE 181

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Blast furnaces (Number in existence at end of period)										
Total	139	137	138	138	138	126	123	113	110	113
Derby, Leicester, Notts, Northants and Essex	31	31	31	31	31	28	27	25	24	24
Lincolnshire	15	13	12	11	11	11	10	10	11	11
North East Coast	35	34	34	34	33	28	28	29	26	27
Sheffield	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Lancs.(1), Denbigh, Flint and Cheshire	5	6	6	8	9	8	8	8	9	9
North West Coast	11	11	11	10	10	10	10	11	9	10
Staffs., Salop, Worcs. and Warwickshire	12	12	13	13	12	10	9	7	7	7
South Wales and Monmouth	10	10	11	11	12	11	12	12	12	12
Scotland	18	18	18	18	18	18	17	9	10	11
Steel furnaces (Number in existence at end of period)(2)										
Total	712	729	731	730	735	743	741	762	743	746
Derby, Leicester, Notts, Northants and Essex	41	42	40	46	51	52	54	55	56	54
Lincolnshire	27	27	27	27	28	28	28	28	27	28
North East Coast	96	101	101	93	94	94	95	94	98	99
Sheffield	190	186	184	187	191	194	194	220	217	217
Yorkshire(3)	19	20	20	21	21	20	20	22	20	22
Lancs.(1), Denbigh, Flint and Cheshire	44	55	54	55	56	58	58	55	58	60
North West Coast	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	9	8	9
Staffs., Salop, Worcs. and Warwickshire	44	45	45	45	43	48	51	52	53	53
South Wales and Monmouth	127	129	134	133	132	136	131	134	118	117
Scotland	108	108	110	107	103	97	94	93	88	87
Pig iron (Thousand tons)										
Total production	10,728	11,175	11,883	12,470	13,170	14,283	12,975	12,582	15,763	14,747
Derby, Leicester, Notts, Northants and Essex	2,262	2,267	2,275	2,342	2,581	2,506	2,080	2,131	2,632	2,308
Lincolnshire	1,506	1,559	1,647	1,880	1,804	2,120	2,048	2,105	2,290	2,334
North East Coast	2,601	2,646	2,811	2,824	2,761	3,113	2,848	2,474	3,412	3,025
Sheffield	150	165	164	148	172	142	169	176	172	145
Lancs.(1), Denbigh, Flint and Cheshire	322	618	709	843	1,004	1,131	1,104	1,044	1,236	1,318
North West Coast	933	930	954	964	1,116	1,077	801	782	1,028	895
Staffs., Salop, Worcs. and Warwickshire	523	474	482	567	605	609	438	372	553	525
South Wales and Monmouth	1,545	1,653	1,894	1,975	2,195	2,525	2,511	2,682	3,141	2,961
Scotland	886	863	947	927	931	1,060	976	816	1,299	1,236
Steel ingots and metal for castings (Thousand tons)										
Total production	16,418	17,609	18,520	19,791	20,659	21,699	19,566	20,186	24,305	22,086
Derby, Leicester, Notts, Northants and Essex	886	805	882	1,000	1,055	1,052	938	1,072	1,224	1,072
Lincolnshire	1,651	1,860	1,989	2,003	2,120	2,295	2,252	2,377	2,579	2,486
North East Coast	3,238	3,448	3,714	3,992	4,157	4,360	3,875	3,650	4,813	4,404
Sheffield	2,294	2,365	2,469	2,636	2,747	2,805	2,505	2,654	3,064	2,826
Yorkshire(3)	1,201	1,403	1,567	1,801	1,892	2,006	2,108	2,025	2,365	2,223
Lancs.(1), Denbigh, Flint and Cheshire										
North West Coast	368	393	358	365	355	374	327	270	339	300
Staffs., Salop, Worcs. and Warwickshire	926	962	986	1,043	1,108	1,124	966	1,149	1,554	1,496
South Wales and Monmouth	3,721	4,050	4,323	4,607	4,706	5,056	4,479	5,025	5,666	4,938
Scotland	2,133	2,323	2,232	2,344	2,519	2,627	2,116	1,964	2,701	2,341

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1952 and 1958).

Source: Ministry of Power

(1) Other than North West Coast.

(2) All types other than crucible furnaces and certain small electric furnaces making crucible quality steel.

(3) Other than Sheffield and North East Coast.

Non-ferrous metals

TABLE 182

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Copper											
Production of refined copper:											
Virgin	132·1	146·4	97·0	136·5	123·5	113·7	112·3	98·3	95·5	110·9	129·0
Secondary	73·8	78·9	88·2	82·6	103·7	102·7	89·0	94·9	96·7	104·5	105·3
Home consumption:											
Virgin refined	330·4	347·6	243·4	367·7	396·8	400·4	419·0	444·6	478·8	551·4	520·5
Secondary refined	220·4	74·8	78·9	80·3	99·4	101·1	88·5	90·0			
Scrap (metal content)		149·4	124·9	130·7	161·0	131·6	134·0	133·2	154·3	171·1	161·1
Stocks (end of period) (¹)(²)	113·4	132·0	55·3	61·5	76·2	59·6	88·5	59·1	55·0	114·5	130·9
Analysis of home consumption (virgin, secondary and scrap)(³):											
Total	550·7	571·8	447·3	578·7	657·2	633·1	641·5	667·9	633·2	722·6	681·5
Wire(⁴)	185·0	204·5	151·9	212·4	251·9	258·5	278·7	308·0	244·4	286·8	275·3
Rods, bars and sections	92·1	91·2	72·4	95·1	109·8	92·8	91·8	93·1	104·7	121·2	114·5
Sheet, strip and plate	146·6	142·0	117·0	143·6	155·4	130·7	117·0	115·0	126·8	140·0	124·7
Tubes	55·8	60·5	48·8	60·0	65·7	69·1	73·5	77·7	81·6	88·4	84·6
Castings and miscellaneous	60·2	59·0	46·1	54·7	64·1	69·4	69·5	66·9	67·8	79·0	75·0
Copper sulphate	11·0	14·6	11·2	12·8	10·3	12·5	11·0	7·0	7·9	7·2	7·5
Zinc											
Concentrates(⁵):											
Production	0·2	1·7	2·8	3·5	2·8	1·4	1·0	0·3	—	—	—
Consumption(⁶)	174·5	153·2	89·6	101·1	99·3	94·2	83·5	84·7	86·3	88·3	94·8(⁷)
Stocks (end of period)	73·0	105·0	45·7	47·2	54·4	53·3	79·3	56·4	45·9	49·9	50·7(⁷)
Slab zinc:											
Production	69·7	68·7	72·7	81·2	81·3	81·5	76·9	74·6	73·0	74·3	92·9
Home consumption	188·7	170·9	193·1	241·8	253·4	229·4	231·9	223·5	247·3	271·5	253·8
Stocks (end of period)(²)	39·7	166·1	27·7	49·6	50·0	44·8	44·9	34·2	37·2	59·4	74·0
Other zinc (metal content):											
Consumption	95·5	84·7	76·1	84·5	95·7	90·4	85·4	83·5	89·0	94·3	84·5
Analysis of home consumption (slab and scrap):											
Total	283·7	255·7	269·2	326·2	349·1	319·8	317·3	307·0	336·2	365·8	338·3
Brass	110·4	108·1	85·2	109·0	121·6	102·5	96·4	94·6	109·2	124·6	113·6
Galvanized products	62·4	70·2	89·8	106·6	107·5	105·2	102·5	90·4	95·1	99·6	95·4
Zinc sheet and strip	22·4	17·9	22·8	22·8	23·1	23·4	22·5	25·1	23·9	25·4	27·4
Zinc alloy die castings	32·2	23·0	27·3	37·0	44·0	39·7	45·4	49·1	57·1	63·9	54·0
Zinc oxide	34·7	18·7	24·0	29·5	29·9	26·9	27·5	26·6	28·0	26·8	25·1
Other products	21·5	17·9	20·2	21·2	23·0	22·1	23·0	21·3	23·0	25·6	22·8
Lead											
Concentrates (recoverable metal content):											
Production	4·1	4·7	6·6	6·9	6·1	7·5	8·1	4·3	2·4	1·4	1·5
Imported refined lead:											
Home consumption(⁸)	162·7	103·4	155·5	192·1	212·1	172·4	168·8	166·8	175·9	192·1	187·2
Stocks (end of period)(⁹)	62·0	17·2	21·8	23·4	27·2	26·9	41·3	36·5	39·3	62·4	55·8
English refined lead:											
Production(¹⁰)	73·6	86·1	77·4	82·1	82·9	94·5	85·7	79·8	86·7	91·1	86·3
Home consumption	69·4	92·7	65·7	65·8	69·0	84·1	80·0	76·0	77·1	89·8	84·2
Stocks (end of period)(⁹)	12·0	5·9	5·1	7·7	13·8	12·5	10·0	9·0	8·7	8·5	8·1
Scrap lead (metal content):											
Consumption	109·0	97·4	82·6	78·0	91·2	101·2	100·4	93·3	92·9	97·4	97·2
Analysis of home consumption (refined and scrap):											
Total	341·2	293·5	303·8	335·9	372·2	357·7	349·2	336·1	345·9	379·4	368·6
Cables	91·7	108·5	91·1	85·8	110·5	113·7	114·3	100·1	96·1	95·5	96·9
Batteries (excluding oxides)	34·3	26·7	28·1	30·6	32·0	27·7	28·5	29·5	31·6	39·0	32·3
Oxides and compounds:											
Batteries	27·4	21·0	23·7	27·6	28·8	25·2	25·1	26·1	27·8	36·0	35·7
Other uses	38·9	25·2	31·7	42·6	50·0	46·7	45·9	45·9	51·1	53·8	48·2
Sheets and pipes	72·5	60·2	70·5	78·6	78·8	74·0	67·7	66·2	68·8	73·7	72·8
White lead	21·0	7·6	11·1	11·8	11·5	10·1	9·6	8·9	8·3	8·2	8·5
Solder	12·5	10·4	10·9	12·5	13·4	13·7	12·8	13·3	14·8	16·0	16·5
Alloys	14·9	11·4	12·0	15·1	15·8	17·1	17·3	18·9	18·5	21·4	21·1
Other uses	28·0	22·4	24·7	31·3	31·4	29·4	27·9	27·2	29·0	35·8	36·6

(¹) Unwrought copper (electrolytic, fire refined and blister). (²) Excluding Government stocks from 1953.
(³) Copper content. (⁴) Consumption for high-conductivity copper and cadmium copper wire represented by consumption of wire rods, production of which for export is also included.
(⁵) Dry weight until 1952. Later figures are estimated gross metal content.
(⁶) Including consumption other than for zinc production. (⁷) Period January to November only.
(⁸) Including toll transactions involving fabrication. (⁹) Excluding Government stocks from 1952.
(¹⁰) Lead reclaimed from secondary and scrap material and lead refined from domestic ores.

Source: Board of Trade and British Bureau of Non-Ferrous Metal Statistics

Non-ferrous metals

TABLE 182 (*continued*)

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Tin											
Tin ore (metal content):											
Production	0·8	0·9	1·1	0·9	1·0	1·0	1·0	1·1	1·3	1·2	1·2
Stocks (end of period)	1·9	2·4	2·5	2·5	2·2	2·4	3·9	2·3	2·9	2·0	1·9
Tin metal:											
Production(¹) (²)	27·7	29·5	29·4	28·0	27·7	26·8	34·5	33·0	27·6	27·7	26·0
Home consumption(²)	23·9	22·6	18·9	21·7	22·9	22·2	21·8	20·4	21·4	22·8	21·6
Exports and re-exports(³)	5·9	21·7	14·4	8·6	8·9	8·4	7·6	10·4	32·7	8·5	12·2
Stocks (end of period) :											
Consumers	1·7	1·5	1·5	1·5	1·4	1·5	1·6	1·3	1·3	1·5	1·4
Merchants and others	6·3	2·7	1·6	2·8	1·6	1·5	12·8	17·8	10·2	10·3	4·9
Analysis of home consumption (excluding scrap):											
Total	23·9	22·6	18·9	21·7	22·9	22·2	21·8	20·4	21·4	22·8	21·6
Tinplate	9·4	11·5	8·9	9·9	9·8	10·1	11·1	10·0	10·1	11·3	9·4
Alloys	7·6	6·5	5·3	6·1	6·7	6·1	5·6	5·5	5·5	6·0	6·2
Solder	3·3	1·8	1·9	2·3	2·9	2·8	1·9	1·9	2·2	2·0	2·1
Other uses	3·6	2·8	2·8	3·3	3·4	3·3	3·2	3·0	3·5	3·6	3·9
Virgin aluminium(⁴)											
Production	27·7	28·0	30·9	31·6	24·4	27·6	29·4	26·4	24·5	28·9	32·3
Home consumption(⁵)	203·0	220·4	180·6	225·2	286·2	276·2	213·3	232·5	289·0	353·9	279·6
Secondary aluminium											
Production	71·4	73·1	80·5	84·1	95·6	96·2	97·2	99·0	107·3	109·6	117·2
Home consumption(⁵)	113·6	88·8	73·5	81·5	90·2	83·3	92·4	96·9	106·5	103·7	109·8
Exports(⁵)	2·1	1·8	11·4	4·0	3·6	9·7	6·9	2·1	3·7	3·9	5·4
Fabricated aluminium											
Total production	267·7	281·0	229·3	266·7	313·5	297·3	282·4	283·2	329·6	369·3	339·1
Sheet and strip	142·4	139·6	107·2	124·7	144·2	141·1	134·3	134·6	160·6	181·9	167·9
Castings	72·2	77·3	66·6	80·8	90·2	78·6	79·2	81·1	93·7	103·7	93·2
Extrusions(⁶)	47·9	57·6	50·0	56·0	73·8	72·2	64·4	63·9	71·6	79·3	73·9
Forgings from chillcast billets	1·1	1·4	1·6	1·4	1·7	1·7	1·3	1·2	3·7	4·2	4·1
Forgings from extruded bar	4·1	5·1	4·1	3·7	3·6	3·7	3·3	2·5			
Magnesium and magnesium alloys											
Production(⁷)	4·9	4·6	5·3	5·0	5·4	3·6	3·4	2·4	2·1	3·7	..
Consumption(⁵)	7·4	5·9	6·8	9·0	10·9	12·0	12·1	10·0	8·3	11·1	..
Refined nickel (including ferro-nickel)											
Production	23·3	23·8	23·9	23·9	24·3	24·2	23·9	23·1	24·9	33·8	37·4
Home consumption	19·2	19·3	17·2	18·7	20·5	21·2	24·0	19·1	22·1	27·4	26·1
Exports and re-exports	8·0	8·7	10·5	11·3	10·7	8·4	8·7	11·9	19·4	20·4	22·9

(¹) Including production from imported scrap and residues refined on toll.
(²) From 1953, figures relate to primary and secondary metal. Earlier figures relate to primary metal only.
(³) Including re-exports on toll transactions.
(⁴) Including virgin alloys.
(⁵) Despatches to consumers.
(⁶) Excluding forging bars. From July 1952, including hot rolled rod.
(⁷) Primary metal and remelt alloys.

Source: Board of Trade and British Bureau of Non-Ferrous Metal Statistics, Ministry of Aviation and Aluminium Industry Council

Cotton, man-made fibres and wool

TABLE 183

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Raw cotton												
Imports	Th. tons	451	266	334	372	296	335	373	260	278	275	226
Home consumption:												
Total	,,	457	306	371	398	348	325	339	287	284	274	246
Cotton spinning	,,	449	301	365	392	341	319	332	280	278	267	240
Other uses	,,	8	5	7	6	6	6	6	7	6	6	6
Stocks (end of period) (1)	,,	282	233	199	149	89	92	117	92	79	80	54
Cotton waste												
Imports	,,	28·4	26·1	36·9	34·0	38·0	35·1	41·2	43·1	51·4	46·3	41·6
Cotton linters												
Imports	,,	40·9	29·5	18·0	41·0	44·1	42·4	26·6	25·7	38·3	42·7	34·6
Man-made fibres(2)												
Production: Total	Million lb.	384·0	283·0	419·3	447·6	472·5	483·0	495·8	422·2	514·7	592·0	567·7
Continuous filament yarn	,,	216·8	156·0	217·1	219·6	233·2	227·4	232·6	191·5	235·6	268·6	262·0
Staple fibre	,,	167·2	127·1	202·2	228·0	239·2	255·7	263·2	230·6	279·1	323·4	305·7
Cotton and man-made fibre yarn												
Production of single yarn:												
Cotton(3): Total	,,	864·8	590·7	693·2	740·5	646·9	597·5	622·4	527·4	507·5	495·6	454·5
Up to 20's	,,	461·2	326·0	364·6	395·7	347·4	308·9	325·0	295·7	282·9	289·1	264·7
21's to 56's	,,	328·1	215·8	274·5	284·4	252·2	244·9	253·2	201·4	196·6	179·9	166·9
57's and over	,,	75·4	48·9	54·1	60·3	47·3	43·7	44·2	30·2	28·1	26·5	22·9
Cotton mixture yarn	,,	19·0	19·5	37·5	39·0	37·4	40·6	38·1	37·6	37·8	32·8	31·9
Spun man-made fibre yarn	,,	83·5	71·1	113·6	107·9	87·1	99·0	102·7	106·1	106·8	111·8	94 5
Cotton waste yarn(4)	,,	102·7	82·1	98·9	101·3	100·6	104·9	104·8	103·8	98 8	100·7	99·7
Other waste yarn	,,	6·8	6·8	9·5	8·5	7·4	7·4	8·5	7·8	7·9	10·4	6·2
Production of doubled yarn:												
Cotton(3): Total	,,	273·5	188·2	198·8	217·9	200·7	182·5	191·4	162·7	165·4	171·6	146·6
Up to 20's	,,	156·5	122·2	115·0	132·1	129·5	113·9	124·3	114·0	113·9	117·0	101·9
21's and over	,,	117·0	66·0	83·7	85·8	71·2	63·6	67·1	48·8	51·5	54·6	44·7
Other yarns	,,	59·6	52·8	73·3	80·4	82·2	73·3	78·9	70·1	77·5	86·3	79·1
Spindle activity(5):												
Single yarn spindles:												
Total (ring equivalent)	Millions	18·5	14·1	15·9	16·6	14·8	13·8	13·7	11·5	10·3	8·1	8·0
Mule	,,	15·0	10·3	11·2	11·8	9·7	8·5	8·1	6·0	4·9	2·8	2·6
Ring	,,	8·6	7·2	8·4	8·8	8·3	8·1	8·2	7·5	7·1	6·2	6·2
Doubling spindles	,,	2·8	1·9	2·2	2·2	1·9	1·8	1·7	1·4	1·4	1·3	1·1
Yarn consumed in cotton and man-made fibre weaving:												
Cotton yarn	Million lb.	646·8	473·0	524·7	559·7	491·3	443·6	462·2	394·7	368·1	369·9	341·9
Waste yarns	,,	86·4	73·9	82·6	80·4	78·1	78·0	80·0	77·5	71·8	71·5	69·6
Man-made fibres: Total	,,	237·0	185·5	244·7	253·0	230·7	227·2	218·9	203·2	208·5	222·9	211·4
Continuous filament yarn	,,	137·3	107·8	138·4	146·4	144·4	135·7	131·6	118·5	132·1	142·7	141·9
Spun yarn	,,	94·9	77·7	106·3	106·6	86·3	91·5	87·3	84·7	76·4	80·2	69·5

Source : Board of Trade

TIME SERIES. Figures for consumption of raw cotton and production and consumption of cotton and man-made fibre yarn are for periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1953 and 1958).

(1) From 1954, excluding certain stocks in transit, estimated at about 15,000 tons at the end of March 1954.

(2) Figures are based on returns from producers (excluding waste) and relate to delivered weight. Figures from 1955 include all man-made fibres in commercial production; earlier figures relate to rayon and nylon.

(3) Excluding waste yarns.

(4) Yarns wholly of cotton waste, cotton yarn spun on condenser system and mixture yarns of cotton and cotton waste.

(5) Weekly average number of spindles running on cotton, spun man-made fibre and mixtures. Waste spinning spindles are excluded.

Cotton, man-made fibres and wool

TABLE 183 (*continued*)

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Cotton and man-made fibre weaving												
Production of woven cloth:												
Cotton	Million linear yds.	2,202	1,691	1,864	1,994	1,781	1,612	1,628	1,429	1,337	1,294	1,235
Man-made fibres	,,	666·2	526·0	659·9	666·8	603·5	605·0	559·6	514·7	506·6	530·8	527·6
Cotton/man-made fibre mixtures	,,	92·5	74·9	108·8	114·0	94·7	97·0	99·9	86·2	83·7	86·3	79·7
Loom activity:												
Average number of looms running on cotton and man-made fibres	Thousands	311·8	249·7	270·5	280·6	252·6	229·4	222·7	192·0	172·1	149·4	150·2
Wool												
Virgin wool (clean weight):												
Production(1)	Million lb.	56	62	64	71	67	69	74	78	83	78	86
Imports	,,	338	458	538	454	483	463	454	436	500	437	426
Consumption	,,	396	380	488	462	475	475	481	444	509	481	491
Exports(2)	,,	23	34	33	36	37	38	37	39	46	47	54
Re-exports	,,	55	53	48	45	41	43	40	32	35	35	32
Stocks(3)	,,	163	207	283	284	289	269	266	245	283	254	226
Consumption of other fibres:												
Re-used and re-processed wool(4)	,,	128·3	113·4	125·6	130·7	127·5	113·6	115·3	107·4	111·1	107·6	95·9
of which:												
Mungo and shoddy	,,	82·7	72·7	84·1	89·9	84·2	74·5	75·6	67·2	68·1	68·1	59·5
Man-made fibres:												
Used in woollen spinning and felting	,,	13·9	13·4	23·2	27·4	30·4	34·8	40·1	40·1	47·1	45·9	43·9
Tops drawn in worsted spinning	,,	10·9	5·8	9·8	11·6	12·2	14·8	19·4	15·9	20·0	31·0	35·9
Other fibres(5)	,,	36·2	24·4	31·2	32·3	30·6	30·8	30·5	26·4	37·6	36·6	35·1
Wool and hair tops:												
Production:												
Total	,,	241·4	231·1	322·9	303·8	309·5	321·3	324·8	296·7	348·3	319·3	320·1
Merino	,,	132·1	126·3	182·6	162·9	168·6	183·2	183·1	171·4	203·8	181·0	173·5
Crossbred	,,	99·1	98·3	130·6	131·2	131·5	127·6	130·1	115·5	126·9	122·0	130·6
Hair	,,	10·2	6·4	9·7	9·7	9·4	10·4	11·6	9·8	17·6	16·2	16·0
Stocks(3)	,,	46·2	34·2	44·0	49·2	51·8	45·7	51·0	48·8	66·9	66·6	59·7
Worsted yarn(6):												
Deliveries	,,	199·3	178·1	220·9	225·6	221·8	232·5	233·8	206·2	232·1	244·9	246·3
Woollen yarn:												
Production(1)	,,	302	277	314	313	317	297	304	288	313	303	281
Woven wool and mixture fabrics (excluding blankets):												
Deliveries(1)	Mn.square yds.	418·1	377·9	411·8	414·4	410·0	396·6	394·1	348·9	365·0	367·1	352·0
Blankets: Deliveries	,,	25·4	30·0	25·1	26·6	28·1	24·9	28·6	28·4	30·8	31·3	33·5

TIME SERIES. The figures for cotton and man-made fibre weaving relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1953 and 1958).

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Estimated.
(2) Including imported wool scoured, etc. in the United Kingdom and wool from imported skins.
(3) At 31 August.
(4) Including noils, broken tops, wastes, mungo and shoddy.
(5) All other fibres used in woollen spinning and felting and hair used in the making of tops.
(6) Total weight.

Jute and hemps

TABLE 184

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Raw jute											
Home consumption	111·89	107·11	130·16	135·52	143·31	139·85	137·45	124·45	135·01	139·13	114·87
Imported jute goods											
Imports(1)	98·22	56·15	63·11	92·06	72·98	60·90	50·63	55·05	66·72	69·22	49·21
Home consumption(2)	66·88	63·11	80·25	79·19	68·47	71·03	47·57	59·03	63·51	61·85	49·26
Stocks (end of period)(2)	48·87	36·82	16·71	24·19	27·44	18·73	14·59	10·75	10·18	13·45	8·51
Jute yarn											
Production	114·57	108·41	131·71	137·56	144·50	142·24	137·8	127·6	137·6	141·8	115·6
Jute cloth											
Production(3)	67·93	65·14	76·58	80·93	86·13	88·64	80·7	73·3	79·8	82·2	68·8
Hard hemps											
Home consumption:											
Sisal line	62·48	49·07	56·80	63·52	66·55	64·14	67·14	66·74	75·31	74·87	69·58
Manila hemp	14·22	13·97	13·00	15·09	16·99	17·84	16·48	15·06	15·24	13·58	14·12
Stocks (end of period):											
Sisal line	9·40	9·02	11·77	9·09	13·60	9·44	10·78	10·40	7·39	13·60	11·59
Manila hemp	7·28	7·11	9·21	8·66	7·87	7·53	6·28	5·16	4·82	4·18	3·65

TIME SERIES. The figures for raw jute relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1952), the figures for jute yarn and cloth are for periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1952) and for imported jute goods for periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1953).

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Including jute yarn, piece goods and new sacks and bags.
(2) Disposals by Jute Control of imported cloth and bags and imports on private account.
(3) Estimated from consumption of yarn by weavers.

Leather and tanning materials

TABLE 185

Thousand tons(1)

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Cattle hides											
Production(2)(3)	66·7	58·8	57·8	76·0	72·3	80·6	84·1	84·3	70·6	77·6	86·6
Stocks (end of period)(4)	27·5	12·8	16·1	21·4	11·7	13·7	13·7	9·8	10·9	10·9	11·3
Calfskins(3)											
Production	3·5	3·3	2·8	2·6	2·1	2·7	2·0	1·5	1·2	1·7	1·8
Stocks (end of period)	1·1	1·0	1·2	1·0	1·3	1·1	1·1	0·7	0·8	1·0	1·0
Finished leather											
Heavy:											
Production: Sole leather	69·1	59·6	60·5	62·7	55·6	47·9	46·3	37·3	30·3	22·4	23·9
Other	5·4	4·5	4·2	4·8	5·0	4·5	4·0	3·7	3·6	3·7	3·4
Light (Million square feet):											
Production: Upper leather	227·3	182·6	216·7	197·6	192·0	184·5	190·8	170·4	187·7	189·4	191·1
Lining leather	101·5	90·6	110·5	104·3	105·1	100·4	105·5	97·8	113·0	95·5	94·6
Other	140·9	126·3	148·1	153·0	164·1	156·0	161·4	163·8	181·4	176·2	172·2
Vegetable tanning materials											
Consumption(5):											
Total	100·4	75·3	75·0	81·5	72·1	66·8	57·9	38·8	41·3	38·5	39·6
Quebracho	18·7	12·4	9·3	8·3	7·4	6·9	5·8	3·3	4·2	4·1	4·3
Wattle (bark and extract)	39·9	33·7	39·3	43·0	37·3	35·7	32·9	23·0	22·8	21·0	22·3
Myrobalans (nut and extract)	25·3	18·2	19·5	22·6	21·0	17·7	13·9	9·2	11·5	10·8	10·9
Other vegetable tanning materials(6)	16·6	10·9	6·9	7·5	6·3	6·5	5·3	3·3	2·8	2·6	2·1
Stocks (all materials) (end of period) (6)(7)	42·0	26·7	23·5	22·2	27·5	21·4	22·9	10·6	8·2	7·9	8·2

TIME SERIES. The figures for production of cattle hides and calfskins relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1958).

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Except where otherwise stated.
(2) Wet.
(3) Kips are included with cattle hides. Excluding production by private slaughter and casualties up to June 1954.
(4) Wet, dry and dry salted cattle and buffalo hides.
(5) From 1958 consumption by the United Kingdom tanning industry only.
(6) Including a small quantity of synthetic extracts.
(7) From 1958 the weight of home manufactured liquid extracts has been halved to give the approximate equivalent on a solid or powdered basis.

INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS

Timber

TABLE 186

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Softwood(1)												
Production	Thousand standards (2)	46·6	38·3	46·8	56·9	49·6	44·7	43·1	38 0	36·2	39·5	39·2
Deliveries:												
Total	,,	1,141·9	1,093·1	1,299·6	1,536·5	1,597·5	1,506·1	1,505·4	1,412·2	1,590·7	1,685·4	1,725·4
Imported	,,	1,095·8	1,056·2	1,254·6	1,477·3	1,547·1	1,461·6	1,462·5	1,374·2	1,553·8	1,645·0	1,687·0
Home grown	,,	46·1	36·9	45·0	59·2	50·4	44·4	42·9	38·0	36·9	40·4	38·4
Stocks (end of period):												
Total	,,	723·6	615·6	748·5	495·7	625·6	496·4	577·4	543·2	472·2	655·9	613·8
Imported	,,	718·5	609·2	740·3	488·6	619·5	490·3	571·1	537·1	466·5	650·9	608·2
Home grown	,,	5·1	6·4	8·2	7·0	6·1	6·1	6·3	6·2	5·8	4·9	5·8
Hardwood(1)												
Production	Million cu. ft.	34·0	30·3	28·7	24·8	23·4	21·1	20·1	18 0	16·6	15·5	14·9
Deliveries:												
Total	,,	94·1	69·3	75·6	65·0	66·9	61·6	60·7	56 9	60·7	63·5	60·1
Imported	,,	59·6	39·3	46·7	39·8	43·3	40·7	40·6	39·0	44·0	47·6	45·1
Home grown	,,	34·5	30·0	28·9	25·2	23·6	20·9	20·1	17·9	16·7	15·9	15·1
Stocks (end of period):												
Total	,,	27·5	25·0	22·8	21·5	24·0	21·8	21·7	22·5	20·6	21·8	23·1
Imported	,,	23·5	20·6	18·6	17·9	20·6	18·5	18·5	19·2	17·4	18·9	20·4
Home grown	,,	4·1	4·4	4·2	3·5	3·4	3·3	3·3	3·3	3·2	2·9	2·7
Pitwood												
Production:												
Total	Thousand standards (3)	161·5	245·5	261·2	328·6	327·2	339·4	358·5	329·9	313·2	308·7	290·2
Sawn	,,	99·1	145·8	143·0	202·6	208·6	220·8	237·4	225·2	214·2	216·5	208·3
Round	,,	62·4	99·7	118·2	126·0	118·6	118·6	121·1	104·7	99·0	92·1	81·9
Consumption	,,	794·4	778·4	735·2	733·8	732·0	743·3	760·0	698·3	614·9	566·3	530·5
Stocks (end of period)	,,	350·5	661·3	658·0	654·1	586·3	549·7	561·2	457·6	387·6	320·0	256·4
Plywood(1)												
Production	Thousand cu. ft.(4)	71·9	53·5	62·4	1,794	1,892	1,743	1,746	1,620	1,730	1,852	1,440
Deliveries	,,	509·0	401·1	608·8	14,471	14,523	13,398	15,115	15,077	18,913	23,937	21,248
Stocks (end of period)	,,	287·2	399·2	172·7	2,657	4,878	3,078	3,267	3,395	3,559	3,947	4,470
Wood chipboard												
Production	Thousand tons	..	..	..	..	..	25·3	33·4	35·0	37·8	34·7	48·8
Stocks (end of period)		..	..	..	..	..	1·2	1·4	3·7	5·7	7·2	5·4

TIME SERIES. From 1956, the figures for pitwood and wood chipboard relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1958). Source: Board of Trade

(1) The figures of deliveries and stocks from 1954 are not comparable with earlier figures because of changes in the items and establishments covered. Details of these changes are given in the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes to the Monthly Digest of Statistics.*

(2) Standards of 165 cubic feet.

(3) Gothenburg standards of 180 piled cubic feet.

(4) From 1951 to 1953 figures are shown in terms of million square feet.

Woodpulp, paper and paper-making materials

TABLE 187

Thousand tons(1)

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Woodpulp											
For paper-making(2):											
Consumption	1,339·5	1,234·6	1,490·8	1,668·0	1,849·2	1,876·6	1,942·5	1,993·9	2,056·8	2,300·6	2,269·4
Stocks (end of period)(3)	357·6	385·0	336·4	325·1	437·1	522·7	485·7	412·2	314·6	429·8	445·4
For manufacture of rayon and transparent cellulose film:											
Consumption	184·8	134·8	203·1	213·9	223·6	224·8	235·0	209·3	242·0	259·4	241·7
Stocks (end of period)	33·0	54·1	37·1	46·0	71·9	65·8	62·7	49·2	37·0	40·7	46·1
Other paper-making materials											
Total (paper equivalent):											
Consumption	1,277·7	1,065·1	1,122·2	1,304·2	1,323·3	1,257·7	1,249·0	1,307·3	1,387·4	1,526·5	1,503·9
Stocks (end of period)	171·7	219·7	181·9	170·9	218·1	234·3	246·6	219·0	192·4	194·4	231·6
Imported pulpwood (Thousand piled cubic fathoms)											
Consumption	71·9	77·6	72·3	86·4	78·7	76·1	76·3	74·9	74·6	84·1	71·3
Stocks (end of period)	14·1	46·0	38·1	39·0	45·1	52·4	60·5	42·6	38·6	30·0	40·1
Other pulpwood (including wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops)											
Consumption	82·1	64·3	84·1	79·4	73·2	80·1	105·8	142·8	243·2	287·6	302·6
Stocks (end of period)	5·4	8·5	7·0	4·0	7·7	7·8	12·3	52·2	26·2	38·5	33·0
Straw for paper-making(4)											
Consumption	168·2	136·7	119·6	125·2	129·3	99·4	57·0	47·1	35·1	39·0	18·0
Stocks (end of period)	16·9	12·8	12·7	5·9	8·8	4·0	6·5	5·7	9·1	2·9	2·0
Rags, waste ropes, etc.											
Consumption	152·8	119·8	118·4	139·5	142·2	132·7	130·5	127·3	123·9	130·1	123·7
Stocks (end of period)(5)	48·2	32·2	30·9	30·7	37·1	27·8	29·7	25·4	25·3	23·4	23·2
Esparto											
Consumption	386·7	250·0	237·4	326·6	301·3	262·1	199·8	186·7	198·3	218·8	210·6
Stocks (end of period)	26·6	18·2	29·5	18·7	19·8	27·1	19·9	17·9	15·3	19·0	21·9
Waste paper											
Consumption	998·0	822·2	913·2	1,043·8	1,096·6	1,061·9	1,095·8	1,169·4	1,226·2	1,339·8	1,354·3
Stocks (end of period)(5)	117·1	124·0	90·4	85·4	121·4	131·8	127·7	119·9	107·3	126·4	151·8
Newsprint											
Production	526·9	536·9	602·9	612·3	619·5	642·5	652·5	626·0	669·2	740·8	712·4
Home consumption(6)	595·9	642·5	768·0	821·2	882·2	944·8	894·0	945·0	1,138·8	1,266·3	1,273·6
Exports	95·2	73·7	124·8	127·7	138·6	136·1	121·8	104·3	81·2	46·5	27·4
Stocks (end of period)(6)	110·0	190·0	111·0	98·0	105·0	134·0	146·0	148·0	115·0	137·0	182·0
Other paper and board(7)											
Production: Total(8)	2,192·6	1,803·5	2,084·3	2,466·9	2,675·6	2,640·3	2,721·3	2,876·4	2,986·2	3,332·4	3,313·9
Paper: Total(8)	1,449·3	1,155·3	1,319·0	1,580·6	1,744·6	1,703·2	1,733·1	1,815·3	1,883·8	2,130·7	2,134·4
Printing and writing paper	752·4	608·4	675·2	816·8	918·1	893·0	875·2	909·1	889·9	1,041·3	1,020·5
Greaseproof, glazed transparent and vegetable parchment	24·9	21·2	22·4	26·7	28·6	26·4	26·2	27·3	27·9	29·3	33·6
Tissue paper: Cigarette	7·2	5·5	6·2	45·3	47·6	47·1	51·2	61·9	70·6	86·6	88·3
Tissue paper: Other	36·6	32·9	34·2								
Other packing and wrapping paper	505·2	379·2	479·0	563·6	605·8	588·1	616·3	648·7	714·8	770·9	780·8
Other paper(8)	123·0	108·1	102·0	128·2	144·6	148·6	164·2	168·2	180·7	202·6	211·2
Board: Total	743·2	648·3	765·3	886·3	931·0	937·1	988·2	1,061·1	1,102·4	1,201·7	1,179·5
Boards for packaging	584·1	525·7	617·5	649·3	697·4	699·8	724·8	794·7	827·6	903·8	886·4
Boot and shoe board	15·6	11·8	13·5								
Roofing felt	70·7	49·7	61·2	68·9	70·1	73·0	71·5	74·4	79·0	80·0	77·5
Building boards	37·8	32·9	43·8	49·1	50·0	52·2	59·7	66·1	65·6	73·9	69·1
Other board	35·0	28·2	29·3	119·0	113·4	112·1	132·3	125·8	130·2	143·9	146·5
Home deliveries(9)	2,870·5	2,051·4	2,474·5	3,075·5	3,428·2	3,212·8	3,439·4	3,539·6	3,788·6	4,232·6	4,223·0
Exports	82·4	76·6	68·9	79·7	85·8	100·9	82·1	80·2	82·4	88·0	89·6
Stocks (end of period)(10)	65·7	103·9	72·0	71·8	83·0	110·0	119·3	146·2	145·4	152·8	186·0

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1958).

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Imported pulpwood is shown in piled cubic fathoms. One piled cubic fathom = 1·8 tons (air dry weight).
(2) Including woodpulp for cellulose wadding.
(3) Excluding Government stocks from 1954.
(4) Including consumption and stocks at certain pulping plants.
(5) Excluding stocks held by merchants.
(6) These figures are partly estimated and for 1957 and 1958 exclude newsprint for periodicals.
(7) The figures from 1954 are not entirely comparable with those for earlier years owing to the revised classification of certain items.
(8) Including cellulose wadding from July 1956.
(9) The figures are not adjusted for changes in merchants' or users' stocks.
(10) Stocks held by paper-makers only.

Fertilizers

TABLE 188 Years ended 30 June Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
P_2O_5 (Phosphate)(1)											
Total production	319	280	368	367	326	364	356	350	371	396	398
Single superphosphate	171	147	193	195	168	185	185	157	151	136	131
Ground basic slag	79	63	81	75	67	82	82	81	82	106	94
Ground phosphate	42	31	42	36	23	21	18	16	17	18	12
All others	27	39	54	62	68	76	71	96	120	137	161
Total home deliveries(2)	420	282	394	368	334	381	374	386	385	459	446
Ground basic slag	120	70	100	91	75	100	101	103	98	123	106
Other straight	..	..	..	71	52	49	39	39	30	38	36
In compound form	..	..	..	207	207	232	234	244	256	298	305
N (Nitrogen)(1)											
Production	262	286	308	312	303	304	330	341	350	395	442
Home deliveries(3)	211	182	230	242	248	291	302	310	340	415	452
Deliveries for export(4)	60	80	94	63	65	26	8	64	48	51	33
K_2O (Potash)(1)											
Home deliveries(3)	271	218	247	273	274	328	338	348	375	426	432
Compounds(1)(5)											
Production	2,147	1,543	2,005	2,091	2,067	2,373	2,347	2,325	2,513	2,756	2,857
Home deliveries	2,187	1,436	1,999	2,065	2,069	2,301	2,306	2,388	2,442	2,757	2,790

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Natural organic fertilizers are excluded. Total production and deliveries of manufactured fertilizers are covered in terms of the content of the nutrients P_2O_5 (phosphate), N (nitrogen) and K_2O (potash) either in straight or compound form. Straight fertilizers contain only one of the three primary nutrients; compounds contain either two or three of the nutrients. Double counting is avoided in the figures.

(2) From 1954 figures cover manufacturers' deliveries to merchants or to farmers whether in compound form or straight, plus imported fertilizer delivered for direct application. Before 1954 figures relate to manufacturers' deliveries and deliveries from imports of straight fertilizers for direct application or for use in the manufacture of compounds.

(3) Deliveries by manufacturers to first buyers and deliveries of imported fertilizer, whether for straight application or for further processing by other manufacturers into compounds.

(4) Including exports of ammonium sulphate for non-agricultural use.

(5) Total weight of compound fertilizers.

Chemicals

TABLE 189 Thousand tons(1)

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Materials used for the manufacture of sulphuric acid											
Anhydrite:											
Consumption	178·4	176·0	182·8	176·7	416·6	689·6	737·1	749·0	748·0	760·1	704·4
Stocks (end of period)	0·4	0·5	0·8	0·4	14·1	9·5	16·7	11·2	8·1	15·1	10·7
Pyrites:											
Consumption	207·9	217·5	378·2	494·2	458·1	393·7	366·9	327·7	319·3	353·0	337·4
Stocks (end of period)(2)	120·7	131·5	181·5	188·7	203·3	212·2	245·7	186·2	156·8	140·2	136·9
Spent oxide:											
Consumption	231·5	231·3	286·0	286·8	260·9	252·2	263·6	242·7	221·8	250·2	235·1
Stocks (end of period)	247·7	238·0	177·8	142·0	125·0	130·2	112·0	97·5	88·5	69·9	82·2
Sulphur:											
Production(3)	8·2	15·0	25·6	40·8	45·9	53·0	39·1	49·6	53·7	63·0	59·0
Consumption (for acid production)(4)	276·7	233·0	263·3	265·2	271·9	292·0	328·4	319·6	383·5	440·2	452·2
Stocks (end of period)(4)	104·8	179·7	61·6	56·7	73·7	82·7	95·7	89·9	61·2	64·0	87·0
Sulphuric acid(5)											
Production	1,606·1	1,505·5	1,875·3	2,042·5	2,097·1	2,251·2	2,335·9	2,241·1	2,428·5	2,701·4	2,662·0
Consumption(6): Total	1,674·0	1,550·4	1,899·2	2,044·3	2,133·2	2,247·7	2,365·9	2,265·0	2,452·9	2,728·6	2,670·5
Fertilizers	625·3	648·8	769·9	746·5	775·6	819·9	860·9	832·4	840·5	915·6	956·5
All other chemical uses	515·6	456·2	573·3	682·6	686·1	758·2	815·6	816·7	945·4	1,105·5	1,075·7
Textiles	204·2	149·5	222·4	232·9	239·0	242·8	247·6	200·1	221·2	233·7	199·0
Metallurgy	92·0	102·8	103·8	115·5	125·0	126·7	130·7	117·5	125·6	142·4	123·4
Other	236·9	193·1	229·8	266·8	307·5	300·1	311·1	298·3	320·2	331·4	316·0
Stocks (end of period)	75·8	70·2	58·8	71·7	73·2	103·3	102·5	98·5	102·0	100·0	120·4
Calcium carbide											
Production	110·8	102·9	106·0	114·4	130·6	133·2	139·4	144·9	171·1	212·6	254·9
Deliveries(7)	123·4	121·0	135·2	165·8	184·8	182·4	212·0	225·4	252·7	310·5	309·2
Stocks (end of period)	33·3	37·1	14·9	18·4	36·7	42·4	31·6	26·8	21·7	28·6	51·8
Industrial alcohol (Ethyl alcohol)(8)											
Production (Million proof gallons)	60·1	41·7	41·3	51·4	62·0	58·2	64·2	47·1	47·6	53·3	56·3

Source: Board of Trade and H.M. Customs and Excise

(1) Except for industrial alcohol.

(2) Excluding Government stocks.

(3) Recovered and by-product sulphur, including other than for acid use.

(4) Filter cake and boiler bottom are included.

(5) As 100 per cent. acid.

(6) Including recovered acid; also including imports of 59·8 and 22·0 thousand tons in 1951 and 1952 respectively.

(7) Despatches from works, including imports.

(8) Industrial alcohol made from molasses and derived from other processes.

Synthetic dyestuffs, colours, paint, varnish and allied products

TABLE **190**

	Unit	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Synthetic dyestuffs											
Production(¹)	Thousand tons	20·4	28·9	33·6	30·1	28·1	30·7	24·1	29·0	31·4	29·6
Colours											
Manufacturers' sales(²):											
Total	Thousand tons	50·8	58·5	68·0	70·0	64·0	62·9	55·5	63·8	69·0	65·6
Pigment dyestuffs (including toners)		. .	. .	4·0	. .	. .	4·4	4·5	5·2	5·7	5·1
Inorganic pigment colours	,,	. .	. .	18·8	. .	. .	17·1	15·4	17·9	18·9	18·4
Others(³)	,,	. .	. .	45·2	. .	. .	41·3	35·7	40·7	44·3	42·1
Paint, varnish and allied products											
Estimated sales by larger establishments:											
All paints and varnishes: Total	Million gallons	69	69	72	78	80	81	82·8	90·2	91·9	89·5
Emulsion paints		10·5	10·7	11·4	11·9	12·5	12·8	5·2	6·1	6·8	7·7
Other water paints	,,							7·9	8·3	7·8	6·8
Cellulose based paints, varnishes and lacquers	,,	6·8	7·0	7·2	8·0	7·9	7·7	7·2	8·0	8·6	8·2
Varnishes, lacquers and stains (other than cellulose)(⁴)	,,	52	51	8·2	58	60	61	7·7	7·7	8·1	7·3
Other(⁵)	,,			45·2				54·8	60·1	60·5	59·4
Manufactured thinners (solvent mixtures), removers and strippers	,,	. .	. .	9·9	. .	. .	. .	11·5	12·8	13·1	13·3
Mastic cements, paste fillers and putty	Thousand tons	. .	. .	42	. .	. .	. .	53	58	60	63

Source: Board of Trade

(¹) Excluding dyestuffs intermediates, synthetic organic pigments, etc. Production is measured in terms of 100 per cent. pure dye content or in terms of domestic standard powder strength as appropriate.

(²) Prior to 1957 the figures are estimates of deliveries derived from returns made by a sample of colour makers. From 1957, for pulp colours the weight included is the amount of dry pigment contained in the pulp; for pigment dyestuffs the weight is given in terms of 100 per cent. pure dye content.

(³) Ochres and earth colours, colour lakes, synthetic oxides of iron.

(⁴) Including clear oil and printers' varnishes, japans, wood preservatives (other than those containing oils of coal tar).

(⁵) Including metallic paint, bituminous paints, ships' bottom compositions.

Soap, detergents and polishes

TABLE **191**

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Soap											
Total production(¹)	567·4	500·2	468·8	456·3	466·8	462·2	473·1	433·9	438·2	440·1	433·9
Hard, in bars or tablets	190	161	154	150	144	136	130	116	112·4	105·3	101·2
Flakes and chips	41	39	36	36	30	31	30	28·5	28·3	27·3	26·4
Powders and dry soaps (other than abrasive)	195	172	159	160	173	178	194	174·1	179·6	185·7	184·6
Toilet	92	88	90	94	102	102	102	101·0	103·3	106·5	107·3
Other(²)	49	40	30	16	18	15	17	14·2	14·6	15·3	14·4
Synthetic detergents and surface-active materials(³)											
Net sales	100	. .	. .	215	234	258	255	278	295	313	317
Polishes											
Manufacturers' sales:											
Floor and furniture polishes	16·5	17·3	16·2	17·2	17·6	18·1	17·2	17·5	19·0	20·6	19·0
Leather polishes	6·2	5·3	5·0	6·0	6·3	6·1	6·2	5·9	6·4	6·1	6·3
Metal, stove and other polishes	. .	8·4	8·6	10·2	10·8	11·3	11·6	12·3	12·2	11·9	11·3

Source: Board of Trade

(¹) For household, domestic and industrial (including laundries) purposes. Figures for 1951 to 1954 relate to deliveries. Shaving soap, shampoos and dentifrices are excluded.

(²) Including soft and liquid soap and abrasive soap (hard or in powder form).

(³) Excluding wetters, disinfectants, spreaders and emulsifiers, abrasive and scouring preparations containing synthetic detergents. Sales by larger manufacturers in the United Kingdom, free of double counting of materials at different stages of manufacture, expressed in terms of weight of product as sold. Figures before 1958 are estimates.

Plastics materials(¹)

TABLE 192

Thousand tons

	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Net sales								
All plastics materials	272·9	316·5	336·3	390·7	415·6	503·8	567·5	614·2
Thermosetting materials	143·1	160·0	161·4	170·2	171·0	195·9	216·8	217·5
Alkyds:								
Solid and liquid resins	29·6	28·1	30·6	33·7	34·1	39·2	41·1	43·5
Solutions, emulsions and dispersions (net resin content)	4·2	7·8	8·6	9·4	10·2	9·9	9·9	8·8
Other			0·3	0·4	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·6
Aminoplastics:								
Solid and liquid resins, including solutions (net resin content)	23·9	26·9	28·4	28·5	28·2	30·4	32·6	32·2
Moulding and extrusion compounds	19·1	20·0	20·5	22·0	21·6	24·3	27·3	27·9
Phenolics and cresylics:								
Straight solid and liquid resins	12·8	12·5	11·4	10·8	11·0	12·0	17·0	16·6
Modified solid and liquid resins	5·3	6·0	5·8	5·9	5·3	5·3	3·9	4·0
Moulding and extrusion compounds	27·6	31·2	25·9	26·4	26·3	30·0	30·6	28·2
Decorative laminated sheet	14·7	19·8	7·7	8·1	7·9	9·3	9·7	9·2
Other laminated sheet			8·3	9·2	8·3	9·1	8·1	8·1
Cast sheet and laminated or cast rod, tube and profile shapes			3·2	3·2	3·3	3·6	4·0	3·9
Solutions, emulsions and dispersions (net resin content)	1·7	1·7	2·2	3·1	3·3	4·0	5·1	5·3
Unsaturated polyesters (excluding epoxide resins and polyurethanes	0·4	0·9	2·2	3·2	4·7	6·7	8·4	9·7
Other thermosetting materials(including casein plastics, epoxide resins and polyurethanes	3·8	5·1	6·2	6·3	6·3	11·5	18·5	19·4
Thermoplastic materials	129·7	156·4	175·0	220·5	244·6	307·9	350·7	396·7
Cellulose plastics:								
Moulding and extrusion compounds	6·7	6·6	6·2	6·8	5·9	5·6	6·3	5·4
Other (including photographic film base)	4·5	5·3	5·2	5·5	5·7	6·0	7·2	6·8
Polyvinyl chlorides:								
Moulding and extrusion compounds	26·6	27·8	26·8	35·6	39·1	46·3	49·7	53·7
Plasticised sheet	12·9	17·5	16·0	25·0	28·2	33·4	43·1	45·4
Unplasticised sheet			2·2	1·9	2·2	3·1	3·6	3·4
Rod, tube and profile shapes			1·0	2·0	2·1	3·5	4·6	5·2
Solutions, emulsions and dispersions (net resin content)	2·0	1·6	1·2	1·8	1·7	2·1	2·2	2·0
Polystyrene:								
Moulding and extrusion compounds	20·9	20·6	22·9	28·9	29·8	35·0	37·1	45·4
Other	0·5	0·7	1·0	2·2	3·3	4·4	5·7	5·7
Polyvinyl acetate (net resin content)	55·6	76·4	9·7	10·7	12·1	13·2	14·8	16·4
Polyolefines (polyethylene and polypropylene):								
Granules and moulding and extrusion compounds			82·8	100·2	114·5	155·4	89·8	115·5
Sheet, rod, tube, film, foil and profile shapes							16·9	19·0
Other thermoplastic materials (including acrylics, polyamides, polytetrafluorethylene and polyvinyl chloride resins—i.e. polymers sold as such)							69·6	72·8
Stocks (end of period)								
Thermosetting materials	13·6	14·7	15·9	16·8	16·2	17·8	21·5	22·3
Thermoplastic materials	16·2	21·2	22·2	27·7	38·4	44·4	81·8	78·4

(¹) The figures represent net sales by United Kingdom establishments manufacturing synthetic resins and plastics materials. To calculate net sales, purchases by the establishments of United Kingdom produced materials were deducted from the corresponding figures of gross sales of such materials; net sales are therefore free of any double counting of materials at various stages of manufacture. Stock figures exclude materials purchased for further processing and relate only to those materials produced by United Kingdom manufactures and held awaiting sale or further processing in the establishments in which processed. Materials that are only merchanted or factored, that is, materials bought and re-sold without further processing, are excluded.

Source: Board of Trade

Rubber and carbon black

TABLE **193**

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Natural rubber											
Imports: Total	357·6	330·2	257·7	249·6	309·0	287·4	285·6	293·5	208·8	210·4	272·2
Crude	336·4	314·7	235·2	217·8	276·1	259·9	253·6	261·2	175·4	179·2	245·4
Latex	21·2	15·4	22·6	31·9	32·9	27·5	32·0	32·2	33·3	31·1	26·8
Home consumption: Total	237·0	200·1	209·4	244·3	248·3	200·2	186·9	182·3	184·3	179·9	166·0
Crude	220·6	184·5	191·1	216·2	216·8	172·8	159·8	152·4	153·8	154·0	141·7
Latex	16·5	15·5	18·2	28·1	31·5	27·4	27·1	29·9	30·5	25·9	24·3
Re-exports: Total	61·1	135·8	42·4	14·5	39·4	111·5	70·5	145·8	41·7	72·1	119·2
Crude	60·1	134·3	40·2	13·4	38·0	109·5	67·7	143·0	38·8	68·4	115·2
Latex	1·0	1·5	2·1	1·1	1·4	2·0	2·8	2·8	2·8	3·7	4·0
Stocks (end of period)(¹): Total	63·3	63·6	51·5	37·5	36·4	31·1	44·3	29·1	19·6	32·7	23·4
Crude	57·3	60·3	49·1	32·4	31·4	28·0	38·9	24·4	14·9	25·6	18·4
Latex	6·0	3·3	2·4	5·1	5·0	3·2	5·4	4·7	4·7	7·1	5·1
Synthetic rubber											
Production	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·8	11·3	56·3	90·4	105·5
Imports: Total	4·7	6·3	5·7	12·0	25·5	43·2	57·6	56·3	38·4	57·3	41·4
Dry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38·4
Latex	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3·0
Exports	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·7	6·7	19·7	21·4
Home consumption: Total	4·4	5·5	5·4	9·4	21·3	41·1	59·2	65·0	80·2	115·8	121·3
Dry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	109·2	113·7
Latex	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6·6	7·6
Stocks (end of period)(²): Total	1·8	2·3	2·8	5·5	10·4	11·6	13·5	11·4	10·2	16·2	18·2
Reclaimed rubber											
Production	36·7	26·7	30·9	36·5	36·4	35·9	41·4	40·1	42·3	45·8	46·6
Home consumption	30·1	24·5	25·9	30·6	31·5	28·2	32·3	33·6	34·9	35·2	34·6
Exports	4·4	4·0	5·6	5·7	6·4	7·9	9·6	8·5	10·7	12·0	13·0
Stocks (end of period)	4·8	2·9	2·5	2·5	3·4	3·4	3·5	3·4	2·4	3·0	3·1
Natural, synthetic and reclaimed rubber: Total consumption	271·5	230·1	240·7	284·3	301·1	269·5	278·4	280·9	299·4	331·0	321·9
Natural and synthetic rubber (analysis of consumption by products):											
Total	241·4	205·6	214·8	253·7	269·6	241·3	246·1	247·3	264·5	295·7	287·4
Tyres and tubes	135·8	108·1	115·9	133·6	147·9	126·2	128·0	126·8	139·9	155·7	152·8
Cables	13·4	12·7	9·8	11·5	11·9	9·4	10·2	9·4	8·4	9·2	8·3
Belting	11·3	11·0	9·9	10·1	7·1	6·0	5·9	6·4	6·5	7·2	7·1
Footwear (including soles, heels and soling sheet)	17·2	17·2	18·0	15·1	19·3	19·1	19·6	16·8	17·8	16·5	16·6
Cellular products	11·2	11·2	13·0	17·7	20·6	15·4	15·6	16·1	16·9	16·4	14·8
Other uses	52·6	45·4	48·2	65·7	62·8	65·2	66·8	71·8	75·0	90·7	87·8
Carbon black											
Production(³)	27·3	31·1	45·6	65·2	77·5	81·9	104·3	109·2	121·2	144·0	134·4

TIME SERIES. Calendar years except for consumption prior to 1954, the figures for which relate to periods of 52 weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

(¹) Excluding Government stocks; the figures prior to 1958 are not strictly comparable with those for subsequent years.
(²) From 1960 excluding importers' stocks.
(³) Including lamp and vegetable black; excluding acetylene and bone black.

Minerals: Production

TABLE 194

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Chalk	13,292	14,294	15,346	15,624	16,539	16,755	16,220	14,108	15,363	15,505	15,476
Chert and flint	234	175	86	124	137	182	169	152	98	157	112
China clay	909	790	809	972	1,144	1,196	1,224	1,213	1,312	1,638	1,620
China stone	70	70	62	64	63	60	58	48	46	47	50
Potters' clay(1)	393	386	343	360	413	428	460	449	446	522	499
Clay, shale, etc.(2)	24,569	26,420	28,133	28,954	29,317	29,397	28,404	25,999	27,781	30,819	33,749
Fireclay	2,540	2,787	2,742	2,523	2,454	2,583	2,442	2,180	2,075	2,159	2,253
Moulding and pig-bed sand	671	720	739	755	798	759	760	735	768	836	723
Gravel and sand(3)	43,990	49,976	52,642	53,486	59,530	62,576	59,313	61,567	67,165	73,376	86,231
Igneous rock(4)	12,397	12,693	12,912	13,217	13,958	14,333	14,167	14,388	15,655	16,265	17,289
Limestone	27,371	27,945	29,814	29,356	31,242	32,285	33,845	33,081	37,238	40,079	41,333
Oil shale	1,412	1,404	1,386	1,356	1,336	1,054	902	742	708	669	468
Sandstone(5)	4,137	4,371	4,526	4,320	4,435	4,443	4,639	4,710	4,251	4,959	4,375
Slate	162	143	139	145	138	126	131	111	94	93	95
Barytes and witherite:											
Not ground	58	43	43	46	49	54	55	46	38	41	35
Ground (Unbleached)	29	27	26	27	33	22	23	13	23	20	39
Calcspar	20	20	17	18	20	20	23	23	27	24	24
Fluorspar(6)	52	61	64	64	79	75	85	71	74	85	98
Gypsum(7)	2,284	2,394	2,674	2,761	2,916	3,334	3,349	3,251	3,388	3,595	3,551
Iron pyrites	13	10	10	7	6	4	4	3	1	—	—
Salt obtained from brine	1,054	955	940	1,019	1,073	1,050	1,044	1,086	1,132	1,233	1,191
Salt contained in brine used for purposes other than salt making	3,578	2,952	3,074	3,414	3,655	3,835	3,853	3,733	4,185	4,385	4,195
Salt, rock	54	45	43	43	70	99	88	116	143	150	285

(1) Including ball clay.
(2) Including diatomite produced in Northern Ireland.
(3) Including silica sand.
(4) Including perlite.
(5) Including silica stone, ganister, grit and conglomerate.
(6) Excluding mineral obtained from some old mine dumps for which returns are not made to the Ministry of Power.
(7) Including anhydrite.

Source: Ministry of Power and
Ministry of Commerce, Northern Ireland

TABLE 195

Building materials and components: Production (1)

Great Britain

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Building bricks (excluding refractory and glazed)	Millions	6,080	6,622	7,195	7,247	7,163	7,131	6,914	6,440	6,967	7,283	7,414
Cement(2)	Th. tons	10,192	11,138	11,218	11,960	12,513	12,763	11,962	11,666	12,591	13,288	14,149
Building sand(3)	Th. cu. yds.	6,928	8,134	8,597	9,171	9,407	10,037	10,044	9,631	10,978	12,831	13,879
Concreting sand	,,	10,331	11,038	11,611	12,294	13,271	14,497	14,199	13,953	15,814	18,221	20,144
Gravel(4)	,,	19,470	21,071	21,731	22,186	25,410	26,708	25,536	25,999	31,526	33,350	38,208
Moulding sands:												
Naturally bonded	Th. tons	812	881	806	629	740	842	703	584	583	758	621
For synthetic moulding sands	,,	731	746	704	819	947	917	1,027	927	1,053	1,233	1,396
Other	,,	91	85	74	133	81	60	173	103	205	109	131
Glass-making sands	,,	837	750	728	816	996	1,086	1,042	1,027	984	1,153	1,135
Other silica sand (including refractory sand for open hearth furnaces)	,,	584	519	524	534	512	555	651	557	777	719	692
Clay roofing tiles	Th. squares	641	718	806	818	721	583	516	428	410	377	338
Concrete roofing tiles	,,	954	1,256	1,825	2,049	1,824	1,987	1,926	1,855	2,109	2,301	2,352
Roofing slates	,,	282	278	262	250	238	238	240	182	138	148	130
Slates (damp-proof course)	Thousands	7,268	7,853	6,801	6,199	6,386	6,399	6,577	4,139	4,368	4,425	4,115
Gypsum (excluding anhydrite)	Th. tons	1,238	1,358	1,521	1,654	1,581	1,690	1,699	1,487	1,586	1,733	1,889
Plaster	,,	285	342	408	461	455	501	510	501	549	609	665
Plasterboard	Th. sq. yds.	48,382	43,673	53,440	55,646	54,578	52,687	52,558	48,652	52,483	57,493	60,540
Insulation board, laminated wall board and hard board	Th. tons	37·8	32·9	43·8	49·1	50·0	52·2	59·7	66·1	65·6	73·9	69·1
Unglazed quarry tiles	Th. sq. yds.	2,339	2,174	2,107	2,164	2,328	2,347	2,257	1,999	1,860	1,913	1,878
Other unglazed tiles	,,	766	710	683	725	784	892	1,046	908	933	1,260	1,188
Glazed tiles	,,	8,846	9,028	7,654	9,354	10,268	10,215	9,638	9,193	10,927	11,267	11,820
Cast iron pipes and fittings(2)(5)	Equiv. th. tons of cast iron	108	115	129	129	147	141	142	129	140	139	140
Stoneware pipes and conduits	Th. tons	558	620	652	634	638	658	637	587	600	651	707
Lead sheet and pipe(2)	,,	72	60	71	79	79	74	68	66	69	74	73
Copper pipe(2)	,,	45	47	37	47	50	53	58	62	66	72	68
Copper sheet, strip and plate(2)	,,	61	54	44	60	62	57	57	56	58	62	59
Metal windows, and casement doors:												
Steel	Tons	93,337	96,880	82,362	87,926	92,642	87,626	78,023	70,159	75,679	73,054	71,543
Aluminium	,,	784	1,124	507	900	1,512	2,169	2,169	1,922	2,319	2,995	4,531

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks for insulation board, etc.; and cast iron pipes and fittings (53 weeks in 1958).

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works, Board of Trade and British Bureau of Non-ferrous Metal Statistics and Ministry of Power

(1) The figures are summaries of returns made by manufacturers and producers. They represent total production and not merely the quantities available for building purposes.

(2) United Kingdom.

(3) From 1958 figures include sand used in the production of sand lime bricks.

(4) From 1959 figures include hoggin, irrespective of purpose.

(5) Including rainwater, hot water and soil pipes and gutters.

TABLE 196

Construction: Value of output in Great Britain

£ million

	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959(1)	1960	1961
Total by all agencies	1,864	2,077	2,144	2,177	2,399	2,581	2,845
Output by contractors:							
New work: Total	1,170	1,335	1,387	1,405	1,514	1,653	1,881
New housing: Total	549	568	553	518	568	629	689
For public authorities	332	325	307	254	245	240	252
For private developers	217	243	246	264	323	389	437
Other new work: Total	621	767	834	887	946	1,024	1,192
For public authorities	284	337	375	416	444	432	498
For private developers: Total	337	430	459	471	502	592	694
Industrial	213	271	275	271	282	341	408
Miscellaneous	124	159	184	200	220	251	286
All other work	367	399	403	415	462	493	522
Output by labour employed by public authorities (2)	327	343	354	357	423	435	442

(1) From the beginning of 1959 the figures for the construction industries are given according to the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*. This revised classification includes constructional engineering firms whose main activity is erection, and not fabrication.

(2) Output of operatives employed directly by Government departments, local authorities and public utilities, (British Railways, Electricity Council, etc.). The figures from 1959 cover a somewhat wider field than the earlier series.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

ENGINEERING

Output of machinery, instruments and other engineering products(1)

TABLE 197

	Unit	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Tractors of 10 belt horse-power and over(2)									
Wheeled and half track	Number(3)	132,870	133,043	108,545	144,117	141,128	161,382	180,981	175,724
Complete	Value £000(4)	59,448	64,649	49,827	72,188	75,508	87,277	98,887	104,036
Parts	,, ,,			5,833	7,425	8,795	15,969	14,447	13,913
Tracklaying	Number(4)	4,426	4,280	3,178	3,602	3,305	4,275	4,639	4,947
Complete	Value £000(4)	12,669	14,215	5,617	6,363	6,348	10,687	13,602	13,617
Parts	,, ,, (4)			6,180	8,300	8,927	10,234	9,825	11,375
Mechanical handling equipment									
Mechanically propelled works trucks: Total	Value £000	5,474	7,086	8,195	8,357	7,424	7,923	11,384	13,467
Fork-lift	Number(3)	3,095	4,056	4,427	4,151	3,581	3,996	5,451	6,717
Other	,, (3)	2,951	3,754	3,336	3,074	2,641	2,519	3,908	3,815
Cranes(5)	Value £ million	19·9	21·4	24·0	27·7	25·2	24·9	24·5	26·8
Conveyors and elevators(6)	,, £000	16,942	19,069	21,660	23,984	25,789	22,630	24,235	30,092
Other mechanical handling equipment(3)	,, ,,	18,765	20,512	24,732	28,897	29,524	30,776	30,245	33,705(7)
Civil engineering contractors' plant(4)									
Excavators: Complete(8)	Value £000	14,602	15,525	14,884	14,708	14,228	17,300	22,898	28,986
Parts and accessories(8)	,, ,,	4,532	5,048	6,026	6,408	5,929	5,225	5,573	6,290
Earth-moving machinery	,, ,,	14,158	18,351	22,315	23,876	23,432	25,157	27,550	32,110
Concrete mixing and handling machinery	,, ,,	5,637	6,823	6,591	6,584	6,604	7,474	9,085	9,504
Asphalt and tar macadam plant	,, ,,	2,324	2,956	2,911	3,041	3,152	3,950	3,654	4,613
Road rollers	,, ,,	2,496	3,026	3,201	2,963	1,923	2,397	2,672	2,996
Crushing, pulverising and screening plant	,, ,,	4,524	4,735	5,444	5,948	5,957	6,457	7,054	7,334
Machine tools and engineers' small tools and gauges									
Metal-working machine tools	Value £000(9)	65,596	75,384	85,479	95,235	83,915	78,768	94,936	115,713
Wood-working machine tools	,, ,, (9)	4,638	4,833	4,735	4,377	4,163	4,955	5,627	5,802
Engineers' small tools and gauges (including diamond tools)	,, ,,	49,811	57,378	63,284	65,857	60,284	55,108	66,772	75,410
Stationary engines, boilers and boiler-house plant									
Internal combustion engines(10):									
Total	Thousands	352	433	420	383	350	372	383	342
	Value £000(9)	44,147	49,463	50,579	49,961	48,799	55,648	62,149	64,902
Industrial (including marine auxiliary)	Thousand b.h.p.	3,645	4,256	4,270	4,178	4,004	4,980	6,204	6,287
Marine propulsion	,, ,,	624	642	661	695	531	630	719	760
Parts and accessories	Value £000	12,348	12,617	14,839	15,878	14,714	15,501	18,117	19,384
Water tube boilers	Value £ million	48·0	50·1	59·2	59·4	61·2	59·5	57·2	56·5
Shell boilers and boiler house plant(11)	,, ,,	19·7	21·6	21·4	23·5	25·6	25·0	30·8	32·5
Electrical machinery									
Electricity generating plant:									
Hydraulic turbines	Thousand b.h.p.	508	447	165	817	1,032	1,716	1,136	661
Steam turbo-alternators 10,000 kW and over	Megawatts	2,342	2,620	3,372	2,698	2,557	3,676	5,146	4,760
Steam turbines less than 10,000 kW	,,	215	192	170	253	216	224	163	449
Rotating electrical machines(3)(12):									
Total	Value £000(9)	44,497	51,687	57,231	63,021	64,015	68,395	71,002	78,110
Fractional horse-power	,, ,, (9)	10,288	12,019	11,327	11,763	12,785	14,989	14,973	14,839
1–250 horse-power kVA or kW	,, ,, (9)	26,808	31,092	36,046	39,865	39,807	40,623	42,239	45,204
Over 250 horse-power kVA or kW	,, ,, (9)	7,401	8,576	9,858	11,393	11,424	12,783	13,791	18,066
Food preparation machinery	Value £ million	33·0	32·4	32·3	33·3	33·3	33·1	37·3	41·3
of which:									
Bakery, biscuit and flour confectionery plant	,, ,,	7·2	7·5	7·3	7·6	7·3	7·2	7·9	9·0
Office machinery									
Typewriters	Number	225,336	247,049	266,949	286,426	279,223	275,867	355,155	429,546
	Value £000(13)	8,023	8,970	9,281	9,737	8,751	9,567	10,988	11,492
Accounting and similar machines	,, ,, (13)	17,541	19,700	25,473	26,728	29,769	33,562	38,724	41,574
Other office machines	,, ,, (13)	8,199	8,964	9,409	12,238	13,272	14,589	18,875	20,408
Clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms									
Clocks: Total	Thousands	5,296	5,721	5,316	5,695	5,335	5,792	6,146	6,167
	Value £000(9)	4,682	5,293	5,128	5,396	5,379	5,575	5,978	6,241
Mechanical	Thousands	4,779	5,095	4,676	5,036	4,599	5,005	5,197	5,015
Electrical	,,	517	626	640	659	736	787	947	1,152
Car clocks	,,	142	224	179	142	189	187	265	174
Watches	,,	2,931	3,410	2,836	2,596	2,329	2,587	2,952	3,162
	Value £000(9)	3,855	4,358	3,623	3,617	3,361	3,657	4,187	4,428
Time recorders (mechanical and electrical)	,, ,, (9)	445	606	687	749	838	791	990	1,047
Time switches (mechanical and electrical)	,, ,, (9)	1,282	1,517	1,430	1,510	1,830	2,785	3,126	3,475

See footnotes on page 159.

Source: Board of Trade

Output of machinery, instruments and other engineering products (1)

TABLE **197** *(continued)*

	Unit	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Miscellaneous electrical equipment									
Radio sets: Transistorised(3)	Thousands	1,553	1,623	1,325	1,466	1,351	1,381	1,250	2,417
Other(3)	,,							714	278
Car radios(3)	,,	94	102	121	134	193	277	296	199
Radiograms(3)	,,	371	417	236	243	264	176	244	180
Television sets(3)	,,	1,237	1,771	1,457	1,867	1,998	2,863	2,141	1,256
Cine-projectors: 35mm.	Value £000	1,451	1,113	754	673	616	447	411	377
Other	,, ,,	1,348	1,591	1,591	1,354	1,395	1,663	1,562	1,508
Blankets and pads(14)	Thousands(15)	210	333	539	563	686	1,031	1,400	1,212
Dry shavers(16)	,, (15)	462	656	898	1,011	859	997	986	850
Floor polishers	,, (15)	135	146	116	105	88	91	81	88
Irons	,, (15)	2,925	2,963	2,452	2,428	2,448	2,483	2,433	2,251
Toasters	,, (15)	269	328	269	298	285	247	252	347
Vacuum cleaners	,, (15)	1,219	1,238	1,026	1,245	1,340	1,651	1,317	1,443
Domestic washing machines	Thousands(15)	841	918	614	667	876	1,230	1,019	995
	Value £000(8)(15)	22,146	26,741	19,174	23,499	33,014	50,905	42,123	42,825
Electric lamps, complete (including flash-lamp bulbs)	Millions(3)	290	348	330	297	312	326	378	399
	Value £000(9)	17,321	18,393	17,964	19,343	19,680	20,968	23,897	25,119
Other machinery and equipment									
Cameras (excluding cine-cameras)	Thousands	1,523	1,476	1,302	1,115	872	957	1,036	1,079
	Value £000(9)	2,087	2,240	1,996	1,769	1,665	1,540	1,971	1,905
Industrial valves	Value £ million	26·2	29·1	33·6	37·5	35·1	35·0	38·2	43·4
Mining machinery	,, ,,	37·8	39·9	41·7	45·2	53·0	46·5	46·1	53·6
Pumps(17)	,, ,,	38·0	40·8	43·8	44·7	48·4	52·2	54·9	54·9
Refrigerating machinery: Domestic	Value £000	16,359	16,644	14,815	17,532	24,638	36,218	38,053	29,517
Commercial	,, ,,	8,321	9,831	10,860	12,152	13,885	16,714	17,988	15,693
Industrial	,, ,,	3,695	3,603	4,407	4,680	5,532	6,092	6,561	7,122

Source: Board of Trade and Ministry of Aviation

(1) Figures of quantity relate to complete units; figures of value include replacement parts and accessories except where otherwise stated. The figures relate to deliveries except where it is stated otherwise. (2) Including tractors for industrial and agricultural uses, but excluding those for road haulage. Market-garden type tractors, that is, tractors of under 10 horse-power appear in Table 199. Tractors for road haulage are included under "Goods vehicles" in Table 200. (3) Figures relate to production. (4) Figures relate to production up to second quarter 1956. (5) Deliveries of specialist producers from 1958. Earlier figures relate to production. (6) Excluding lifts, escalators and hoists, all of which are included under "Other mechanical handling equipment." The figures also exclude underground conveyors which are included under "Mining machinery." (7) Figures from October 1961 have been collected on a different basis and are not strictly comparable with those for earlier periods. (8) From 1959 grabs are included with complete excavators; before 1959 they are included with parts and accessories. (9) Excluding replacement parts and accessories. (10) Including engines for use in industry, rail traction and track-laying tractors, marine auxiliary engines and some engines for marine propulsion. Engines for aircraft, road motor vehicles, fighting vehicles and wheeled and half-track tractors other than heavy earth-moving types, and heavy slow-speed engines for ship propulsion are excluded. (11) Excluding fuel oil burners. (12) Including electric motors and generators, other than turbo-generator sets, rotary converters, etc. (13) Excluding stationers' goods. (14) Blankets only from July 1959. (15) Figures from the third quarter of 1959 have been collected on a different basis and are not strictly comparable with those for earlier periods. (16) Home deliveries. (17) Including from 1958 hydraulic accumulators and rams.

Agricultural machinery: Production(1)

TABLE **198**

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Value (£ million)											
Total(2)	106·8	106·1	93·8	107·8	113·5	102·5	130·6	142·5	163·2	166·3	176·4
of which for export	59·0	58·5	48·6	57·6	58·0	55·0	72·3	71·3	88·8	101·7	104·1
Number											
Tractors: Total	178,085	154,103	136,808	166,791	174,609	139,133	185,336	186,503	215,581	227,509	231,806
Agricultural types	140,210	124,270	109,756	135,186	135,238	111,363	147,396	144,078	164,784	183,311	176,892
Tracklayers(3)	4,379	3,540	2,704	3,834	3,702	2,818	3,279	2,950	3,402	1,330	1,168
Wheeled(4)	135,831	120,730	107,052	131,352	131,536	108,545	144,117	141,128	161,382	180,981	175,724
Market garden types(5)	37,875	29,833	27,052	31,605	39,371	27,770	37,940	42,425	50,797	45,198	54,914
Tractor mouldboard ploughs	61,724	44,715	28,472	29,702	26,571	19,534	22,443	27,835	23,802	16,388	18,515
Disc harrows	13,109	14,563	8,203	11,230	10,076	6,282	8,754	8,831	8,938	6,169	8,692
Cultivators (including rotary)	35,391	28,934	17,731	17,177	15,666	13,311	15,327	16,080	19,831	19,862	20,218
Corn drills(6)	6,623	6,719	4,274	4,010	3,796	2,993	4,164	3,695	4,581	3,541	3,795
Farmyard manure spreaders	11,454	11,065	7,687	9,403	10,697	6,203	8,390	7,814	7,623	7,781	8,027
Mowers	28,361	23,618	15,860	19,554	19,009	19,967	18,875	18,745	20,690	16,539	15,269
Pick-up balers	5,249	6,660	7,007	9,904	10,805	8,025	8,019	13,559	13,937	14,684	14,160
Combine harvesters	5,999	5,306	4,757	6,120	6,209	5,088	6,883	6,553	4,401	3,213	2,781
Grain and grass driers	540	796	614	1,151	1,142	1,612	1,751	1,581	1,768	1,647	1,595
Milking machines	14,993	9,895	10,882	10,238	7,617	10,005	8,241	6,513	8,138	8,435	9,349

(1) From 1959 figures relate to deliveries, except for agricultural tractors where the numbers produced are shown. (2) Including value of items not shown separately below, and also parts and accessories. (3) Including half-tracks up to 1955. (4) Including industrial wheeled and half-track tractors from 1956. (5) Tracklayers and wheeled types, including self-propelled cultivators and motor scythes. (6) Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and Board of Trade

Aircraft, motor vehicles and cycles: Production

TABLE 199

Number

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
New civil aircraft (including military types for export(1))	388	628	388	556	651	438	480	360	161	136
Motor vehicles(2)										
Passenger cars:										
Total	448,000	594,808	769,165	897,560	707,594	860,842	1,051,551	1,189,943	1,352,728	1,003,967
1,000 c.c. and under	304,064	412,188	572,970	683,918	486,978	647,517	230,725	341,608	581,038	408,501
Over 1,000 c.c. but not over 1,600 c.c.							533,288	557,849	476,556	379,226
Over 1,600 c.c. but not over 2,800 c.c.	..	..	..	..	210,972	200,854	269,722	254,748	234,818	168,374
Over 2800 c.c.	..	..	..	..	9,644	12,471	17,816	35,738	60,316	47,866
Omnibuses, coaches, trolley buses and goods vehicles:										
Total	241,658	239,467	268,714	339,508	296,950	288,253	312,856	370,484	457,972	460,167
Omnibuses, coaches and trolley buses:										
Total	8,733	7,158	8,081	9,657	10,504	12,905	15,071	17,379	19,048	17,050
Single deck buses	6,669	4,754	6,250	7,608	7,996	10,639	12,416	15,320	16,826	14,526
Double deck buses	1,956	2,282	1,762	1,991	2,382	2,123	2,439	1,990	2,210	2,508
Trolleybuses	108	122	69	58	126	143	216	69	12	16
Goods vehicles etc(3):										
Total	232,925	232,309	260,633	329,851	286,446	275,348	297,785	353,105	438,924	443,117
Under 15 cwt. carrying capacity	107,549	123,119	143,384	188,385	155,540	142,148	166,027	185,029	221,180	246,705
15 cwt. to 6 tons carrying capacity	112,441	94,162	97,020	117,194	105,553	109,182	101,501	119,169	152,851	128,980
Over 6 tons carrying capacity	12,935	15,028	20,229	24,272	25,353	24,018	30,257	48,907	64,893	67,432
Trailers:										
Caravans(4)	11,432	12,798	14,293	14,252	14,359	22,500	32,481	38,976	46,680	37,395
Other(5)	25,271	36,006	19,569	16,424	16,866	14,714	13,378	15,158	19,610	27,257
Motor cycles(1): (Thousands)										
Total	157·8	154·1	179·6	177·2	124·5	173·0	139·7	248·9	203·2	149·8
Mopeds (engine not exceeding 50c.c.)	..	..	..	..	..	17·5	20·5	78·8	33·8	24·4
Motor scooters	..	..	..	..	..	29·1	19·7	29·2	29·9	30·1
Other(6)	..	..	..	..	..	126·5	99·6	141·0	139·5	95·3
Pedal cycles(1) (Thousands)	3,624	2,994	3,297	3,562	2,873	2,548	2,156	2,213	2,278	1,980

TIME SERIES. Figures for motor vehicles relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1954 and 1958). Figures for motor cycles are for calendar years from 1954.

Source: Board of Trade and Ministry of Aviation

(1) Deliveries. (2) Including taxis, and chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. (3) Excluding battery-powered electric road vehicles. (4) The figures from 1957 are not comparable with earlier years because they include the output of several firms not previously included. (5) Including detachable semi-trailers. (6) Including three-wheeled motor vehicles other than tractors, invalid carriages and electrically powered vehicles.

Merchant shipbuilding(1)

TABLE 200

	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number					
All vessels:					
Total	299	298	292	282	279
Export	65	46	47	37	41
Tankers	35	40	44	33	33
Passengers and cargo vessels(2)	132	128	101	89	81
Other vessels(3)	132	130	147	160	165
Thousand gross tons					
All vessels:					
Total	1,448	1,453	1,388	1,303	1, 390
Export	375	314	173	119	296
Tankers	510	554	646	483	548
Passengers and cargo vessels(2)	884	853	691	765	763
Other vessels(3)	54	46	51	55	79

(1) The figures are for ships completed in the year, excluding vessels of under 100 gross tons, tonnage being measured on completion. (2) Passenger liners, passenger-cargo liners, tramps, coasters and colliers.
(3) Trawlers and all other miscellaneous vessels.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Hosiery, knitwear and gloves: Production(1)

TABLE 201

Millions

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Underwear, shirts and nightwear(2)(3):											
Men's: Total	46·2	39·9	53·8	49·3	52·0	56·7	54·5	52·1	57·6	62·9	58·7
Cotton	38·7	..	44·6(4)	41·9(4)	45·2	50·0	48·2	46·8	51·7	57·9	53·3
Women's: Total	62·6	50·5	74·3	72·9	78·4	82·6	75·7	75·2	78·2	78·3	77·6
Cotton	48·3	..	45·0	43·4	45·1	46·5	42·9	45·5	48·6	49·7	50·3
Children's and infants': Total	31·3	34·1	49·9	43·2	44·8	51·2	49·0	47·6	49·4	52·3	50·5
Cotton	26·3	..	41·2	36·8	38·0	43·3	41·5	41·2	43·6	46·2	44·2
Outerwear(2):											
Pullovers, jumpers, cardigans, etc.:											
Men's: Total	11·4	10·4	13·1	12·7	13·5	15·6	16·1	15·3	17·6	18·4	18·9
Wool	9·8	..	11·8	11·5	12·3	14·3	14·3	13·5	15·4	16·0	15·6
Women's: Total	26·0	28·9	36·2	34·1	37·0	40·7	38·5	41·4	44·3	47·0	44·9
Wool	22·5	..	27·3	25·9	29·6	33·0	30·3	30·6	31·4	29·7	27·4
Children's: Total	10·2	19·8(5)	14·5	14·1	13·6	14·9	16·5	13·0	13·7	14·4	13·2
Wool	9·1	..	11·9	10·7	9·9	10·9	11·3	9·0	9·7	9·4	8·0
Infants' outerwear(6): Total	7·2	..	11·1	9·9	10·4	11·4	11·1	9·9	10·4	11·4	10·7
Wool	6·9	..	10·7	9·1	9·0	10·1	9·9	8·6	8·3	8·3	6·6
Socks and stockings (Pairs):											
Men's	122·6	108·2	117·3	120·7	123·0	119·6	101·3	87·7	90·7	95·2	88·6
Women's stockings: Total	236·6	211·3	229·8	232·7	232·6	232·2	225·0	235·5	245·2	272·2	304·3
Nylon	94·5	112·8	126·7	169·8	189·1	200·9	207·0	222·4	235·1	264·4	298·6
Circular knitted: Total	141·9	111·4	116·6	109·6	106·3	98·0	87·0	96·4	115·2	141·0	177·3
Nylon	34·2	39·6	43·4	66·1	73·7	73·7	73·3	86·3	107·5	135·3	173·3
Fully fashioned: Total	94·7	99·9	113·2	123·1	126·4	134·2	137·9	139·1	130·0	131·1	126·9
Nylon	60·3	73·2	83·3	103·7	115·4	127·2	133·7	136·0	127·6	129·2	125·2
Women's ankle socks and three-quarter hose(7)	19·4	16·5	20·6	21·0	19·4	18·1	16·2	11•8	12·4	11·0	8·6
Children's and infants' socks, three-quarter hose and stockings	105·9	89·4	102·9	103·7	97·5	95·0	79·0	68·4	66·5	69·6	63·0
Gloves(8) (Pairs): Total	45·71	43·57	47·48	51·05	50·45	47·34	41·37	38·62	36·69	39·60	39·14
Leather(9)	17·71	17·14	17·88	18·12	18·33	17·85	15·81	15·87	15·28	15·93	15·33
Fabric(9)	16·98	16·90	19·97	23·65	24·27	21·33	19·33	18·99	18·14	20·62	21·58
Knitted(10)	11·02	9·53	9·63	9·28	7·85	8·16	6·23	3·76	3·27	3·05	2·23

TIME SERIES. Calendar years or annual rates based on the 12 months beginning nearest 1 January.

Source: Board of Trade

(1) The figures for 1952 relate to production by all known firms; later figures are sales by establishments employing more than 10 persons. From April 1957, figures relate to sales by establishments employing 25 or more persons. (2) Including garments made-up from knitted fabrics of all types by establishments engaged in knitting, except for the year 1952 when garments made-up from warp knitted fabrics were excluded. (3) Underwear only in 1952. (4) Including some silk.
(5) Including infants' outerwear. (6) Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, bonnets, etc.
(7) Described as ankle socks in 1952. (8) Excluding rubber gloves and sports gloves.
(9) Manufacturers' sales. (10) From 1953, including linings knitted to shape in the piece.

Footwear : Manufacturers' sales(1)

TABLE 202

Million pairs

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Footwear (other than rubber protective footwear)(2): Total	149·1	139·9	162·5	158·7	155·9	159·0	164·3	157·2	166·7	174·7	177·3
Footwear (other than slippers and house shoes) with uppers wholly or mainly of leather(3):											
Total	97·1	87·1	100·5	99·9	99·8	104·1	109·0	105·2	112·5	119·0	122·8
Men's	27·2	24·8	29·5	29·3	30·2	30·0	30·8	30·4	31·0	33·8	34·2
Women's	38·7	33·9	38·8	38·9	41·2	43·1	46·0	45·0	50·6	54·2	56·8
Boys' and youths'	6·4	6·0	7·1	7·6	6·7	8·7	9·9	8·5	8·5	7·9	8·4
Girls' and maids'	15·0	14·2	16·2	15·8	13·9	13·8	13·7	12·6	13·1	13·5	13·3
Infants'	9•8	8·2	8·9	8·3	7·8	8·5	8·6	8·7	9·3	9·6	10·1
Footwear (other than slippers and house shoes) with uppers wholly or mainly of other materials(3)(4)(5)	28·9	30·2	33·8	31·7	30·5	27·9	28·0	23·6	24·5	24·3	21·2
Slippers, house shoes and ballet shoes(6)	23·1	22·6	28·2	27·1	25·6	27·0	27·3	28·4	29·7	31·4	33·2
Protective rubber footwear, wellingtons, etc.	11·2	8·9	7·8	10·1	10·6	8·8	7·6	8·9	7·4	7·9	7·0

(1) Excluding clogs. (2) Excluding sales to meet Government orders for the years 1951 and 1952.
(3) Excluding sports and surgical footwear from 1951 to 1956. (4) Including plimsolls.
(5) Including all ballet shoes in 1951. (6) Including all ballet shoes from 1957.

Source: Board of Trade

Domestic furniture, divans, floor coverings and miscellaneous household equipment: Manufacturers' sales(1)

TABLE 203

	Unit	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Domestic furniture (2)	Value £mn.	..	..	110·0	105·6	102·1	108·1	110·5	122·7	121·7	125·9
Divans(3):											
Single	Millions	0·23	0·32	0·40	0·44	0·46	0·48	0·55	0·71	0·78	0·81
Double	,,	0·15	0·15	0·27	0·30	0·31	0·33	0·38	0·49	0·54	0·60
Floor coverings											
Linoleum	Million square yards	37·2	46·2	58·8	61·7	55·5	55·6	61·1(4)	58·3	57·2	50·7
Printed felt base		67·1	76·2	84·1	85·4	89·1	82·6	91·7(4)	86·1	84·9	78·7
Coir matting	,, ,,	1·8	2·0	1·7	1·5	1·2	1·0	0·8	0·7	0·6	0·5
Carpets and rugs: Wool	,, ,,	37·6	41·5	46·1	45·1	40·5	44·4	45·7	45·6	46·0	42·7
Tufted	,, ,,	4·9	7·9	9·0	8·3	9·1	3·0(5)	5·9	9·0	11·7	13·3
Other	,, ,,						9·7	10·1	9·3	10·7	10·8
Brushes											
Decorating	Value £000	3,587	3,660	4,172	4,448	4,423	4,347	4,417	4,782	5,430	5,622
Toilet	,,	3,137	3,285	3,601	3,529	3,389	3,161	2,969	3,507	3,568	3,764
Household	,,	4,712	4,701	4,984	5,095	5,241	5,522	5,427	5,179	5,063	5,248
Other(6)	,,	2,198	2,206	2,704	3,333	3,260	3,450	3,439	3,700	3,743	3,987
Domestic pottery											
Earthenware	,,	19,825	20,938	21,246	21,411	19,097	19,541	21,821	21,342	22,182	22,247
China	,,	8,405	8,462	8,874	8,999	7,741	7,947	8,639	9,178	9,945	10,289
Stoneware	,,	704	762	862	979	950	1,057	1,144	1,244	1,395	1,517
Jet and Rockingham	,,	454	419	440	478	407	432	414	364	372	391
Cutlery, spoons and forks											
Finished cutlery:											
Tools of trade	,,	573	447	491	543	547	492	431	400	430	459
For domestic use(7)	,,	4,484	4,599	5,463	5,890	5,354	5,737	6,122	6,094	6,732	7,021
Spoons and forks (other than of silver and gold)	,,	2,996	2,670	2,930	3,492	3,454	3,848	4,007	3,812	4,083	4,297
Domestic hollow-ware	,,	17,767	17,755	19,342	20,002	18,113	18,441	17,815	27,398	27,110	27,760

TIME SERIES. Calendar years or annual rates based on the 12 months beginning nearest 1 January.

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Figures for domestic furniture are deliveries by firms with more than ten employees engaged on domestic furniture production in Great Britain; figures for divans are manufacturers' deliveries. (2) Excluding items made entirely of metal. (3) Excluding un-upholstered metal divans; from March 1952, including upholstered spring bases. (4) 13 month period December 1957 to December 1958. (5) Figures relate to 9 months only. (6) Including brushes filled with wire, artists' brushes, brushes for machines and, from 1955, painting rollers. (7) Scissors of all types are included in cutlery for domestic use.

Toys and games, sports equipment, sensitized film, pens and pencils: Manufacturers' sales

TABLE 204

£ thousand

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Toys and indoor games										
Indoor games	1,792	1,762	2,068	2,241	2,453	2,685	2,759	3,087	3,421	3,105
Dolls and soft toys	2,533	3,152	3,606	3,360	3,014	3,287	3,265	3,429	3,739	3,494
Wooden	1,369	1,584	1,812	1,738	1,801	1,782	1,804	1,666	1,789	1,606
Metal	9,911	10,144	11,765	12,882	14,027	14,156	13,472	13,291	15,817	15,749
Plastic	3,253	4,305	5,384	6,237	6,929	7,552	7,873	8,328	8,649	9,955
All other toys and games	5,252	5,868	5,782	5,780	5,897	6,392	6,522	6,304	7,129	8,226
Sports equipment	6,914	7,554	8,527	9,292	9,729	10,649	10,872	11,932	12,724	13,295
Sensitized film and other sensitized goods	17,332	19,380	21,224	24,045	25,822	27,680	27,831	30,248	33,189	34,816
Pens and pencils										
Fountain pens	2,892	3,116	3,098	2,949	2,973	2,857	2,465	2,424	2,610	2,597
Ball point pens	1,162	1,487	1,570	2,102	2,361	2,516	2,763	3,189	3,378	3,405
Wood and mechanical pencils	1,782	1,871	2,059	2,276	2,263	2,370	2,247	2,256	2,465	2,414
All other(1)	1,537	1,550	1,648	1,635	1,549	1,489	1,420	1,050	846	869

TIME SERIES: Figures relate to years beginning 1 February and ending 31 January in the following year.

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Refills for ball point pens, spare nibs, etc.

Drink and tobacco

TABLE 205

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Beer (Million bulk barrels)											
Production	25	25	25	24	24	24	25	24	25	27	28
Consumption(1)	26	26	25	25	25	25	25	25	26	27	29
Spirits (Million proof gallons)											
Production(2)	32	34	32	40	45	49	54	59	66	77	82
Consumption(3)	10	10	10	11	12	12	13	13	14	15	16
Tobacco (Million lb.)											
Clearances: Gross(4)	287	280	283	290	298	300	304	310	315	319	317
Net(5)	221	218	224	233	236	236	243	246	255	261	259
Stocks (end of period)	498	430	452	468	507	523	532	534	515	548	572

(1) Total quantity of home-made and of imported beer retained for home use. (2) Potable spirits distilled including spirits produced from molasses. (3) Home-made spirits and imports; quantities duty paid and retained for home use. (4) Duty paid clearances of unmanufactured tobacco. (5) Duty paid clearances of tobacco, including manufactured tobacco, *less* quantity on which drawback has been paid.

Source: H.M. Customs and Excise

Area of crops and grassland(1)

TABLE 206

At June in each year

Thousand acres

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Crops and grass(2):											
Total	31,131	31,163	31,177(3)	31,128(3)	31,103(3)	31,092(3)	31,030(3)	31,001	30,873	30,860	30,637
Arable land	17,998	18,104	18,107	17,864	17,542	17,610	17,524	17,516	17,760	18,051	17,954
Permanent grassland	13,134	13,059	12,953	13,214	13,532	13,471	13,502	13,485	13,113	12,809	12,683
Crops and fallow:											
Total	12,118	12,261	12,304	11,832	11,301	11,485	11,176	11,165	10,912	11,182	10,871
Wheat	2,131	2,030	2,217	2,457	1,948	2,293	2,113	2,208	1,929	2,102	1,827
Barley	1,908	2,281	2,226	2,063	2,296	2,323	2,622	2,755	3,059	3,372	3,828
Oats	2,857	2,882	2,840	2,588	2,581	2,564	2,348	2,217	2,032	1,974	1,733
Mixed corn for threshing(4)	854	853	817	610	468	424	341	285	234	205	149
Rye (grain)	54	56	68	44	19	26	26	23	14	19	19
Potatoes	1,050	990	985	945	874	921	811	821	816	829	703
Sugar beet	425	408	415	437	424	426	430	439	434	436	427
Fodder crops:											
Beans	109	127	146	122	88	107	87	90	79	82	70
Peas	32	30	39	31	21	19	14	15	10	12	10
Turnips and swedes(5)	597	593	593	574	569	528	512	497	483	453	420
Mangolds	264	224	215	206	183	176	154	148	132	134	110
Other	463	538	581	565	550	551	555	548	501	531	518
Hops	22	22	22	20	20	20	20	21	20	20	20
Mustard	59	42	38	34	40	32	32	35	32	26	28
Fruit	332	331	323	318	313	308	300	296	292	286	276
Vegetables(6):											
Total	422	424	443	440	458	454	404	425	400	415	363
Carrots	25	28	33	27	33	33	29	34	32	36	29
Onions	5	5	7	5	5	6	4	5	3	4	4
Cabbage, savoys, kale, etc.	61	52	53	47	54	57	49	50	49	49	43
Brussels sprouts	41	46	50	44	47	49	43	48	49	48	48
Peas (harvested dry)	117	123	119	132	122	105	78	72	55	47	26
Peas (green for market)	41	40	47	43	44	37	31	35	29	33	28
Peas (green for canning)	25	28	34	43	50	52	56	59	67	74	72
Beans (broad, runner and French)	12	13	14	14	18	20	22	25	23	25	23
Tomatoes	5	5	5	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3
Other vegetables	90	84	81	81	81	91	89	94	90	96	87
Flowers and nursery stock	24	25	23	26	27	28	29	30	30	32	32
Fruit and vegetables not grown primarily for sale	9	10	14	12	11	9	8	7	7	6	6
Other crops	120	90	74	59	61	59	56	49	40	56	27
Bare fallow	384	305	225	281	349	217	314	255	366	193	305
Lucerne(7)	84	106	109	111	103	102	101	96	85	82	82
Temporary grassland(8):											
Total	5,796	5,737	5,694	5,920	6,138	6,022	6,246	6,255	6,764	6,786	7,002
For mowing(9)	3,004	2,993	2,854	2,883	3,006	2,879	3,041	3,128	3,179	3,171	3,419
For grazing	2,792	2,744	2,839	3,037	3,132	3,143	3,206	3,127	3,585	3,616	3,583
Permanent grassland(8):											
Total	13,134	13,059	12,953	13,214	13,532	13,471	13,502	13,485	13,113	12,809	12,683
For mowing(9)	3,129	3,218	3,174	3,068	3,203	3,263	3,211	3,415	3,219	3,372	3,179
For grazing	10,004	9,841	9,779	10,146	10,329	10,208	10,292	10,070	9,894	9,437	9,504
Rough grazings(10)	17,066	17,046	16,890(11)	16,880(11)	16,875	16,771	16,827	16,873	18,319	18,299	18,191

Source: Agricultural Departments

(1) Excluding holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain. In Northern Ireland, excluding holdings of less than one quarter of an acre up to 1953 and of less than one acre from 1954.

(2) Excluding rough grazings. Including estimates for certain items (mainly among fodder and horticultural crops) not separately returned in June.

(3) Including 118,000 acres returned in England and Wales as "arable and permanent grass temporarily out of use through flooding" in 1953, 51,000 acres in 1954, 29,000 acres in 1955, 11,000 acres in 1956 and 4,000 acres in 1957 (affected by the East Coast flooding of 1953).

(4) Figures relate to total mixed corn in England and Wales from 1951 to 1954 and include mashlum for threshing in Scotland.

(5) Including fodder beet from 1959.

(6) Figures for 1961 are estimated.

(7) England and Wales only.

(8) Owing to changes in definition, figures collected in Great Britain from 1959 for this item (and therefore for "total arable" acreage) are not directly comparable with those for earlier years.

(9) For hay, silage, drying or seed production. See footnote (8) to Table 207.

(10) Figures for 1959, 1960 and 1961 include the total area of deer forest land in Scotland.

(11) Including 18,000 acres returned in England and Wales as " rough grazing in sole right temporarily out of use through flooding " in 1953 and 9,000 acres (affected by the East Coast flooding of 1953) in 1954.

Estimated quantity of crops and grass harvested(¹)

TABLE **207**

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Wheat	2,316	2,307	2,664	2,783	2,599	2,845	2,683	2,711	2,785	2,992	2,573
Barley	1,939	2,334	2,521	2,244	2,936	2,800	2,957	3,170	4,016	4,241	4,974
Oats	2,616	2,772	2,821	2,440	2,709	2,486	2,145	2,138	2,187	2,058	1,822
Mixed corn(²)	819	844	855	562	515	412	329	278	262	221	171
Rye (grain)	47	50	66	39	19	25	24	21	13	18	18
Potatoes(³)	8,284	7,848	8,260	7,325	6,278	7,533	5,691	5,556	6,916	7,158	6,204
Sugar beet	4,534	4,236	5,275	4,521	4,556	5,169	4,539	5,742	5,510	7,215	5,936
Fodder crops:											
Beans	94	102	130	97	83	93	77	72	68	79	64
Peas	23	21	31	15	18	11	10	7	8	9	7
Turnips and swedes(⁴)	9,932	9,706	10,824	9,919	8,223	9,049	8,610	8,689	7,224	8,729	7,723
Mangolds	6,083	4,818	5,509	4,513	3,800	4,298	3,559	3,578	2,675	3,591	2,719
Straw:											
Wheat	2,065	2,013	2,209	2,407	2,015	2,007	1,967	1,838	1,845	1,697	1,706
Barley	1,450	1,721	1,866	1,624	1,931	1,725	1,920	1,675	1,986	1,949	2,632
Oat	2,871	2,944	3,065	2,631	2,548	2,513	2,247	2,128	1,932	1,863	1,693
Hops	16	14	14	12	13	9	13	15	11	12	10
Fruit (grown for sale)	956	899	806	815	676	867	687	960	869	942	517
Vegetables (grown for sale)	2,387	2,314	2,724	2,236	2,274	2,733	2,351	2,543	2,276	2,992	2,681
Lucerne(⁵)	104	123	130	121	149	110	130	110	118	111	123
Hay from temporary grassland(⁵)(⁶)	4,062	4,206	3,970	3,690	4,190	3,513	3,962	4,208	4,276	4,218	4,870
Hay from permanent grassland(⁵)	3,150	3,325	3,348	2,900	3,534	3,168	3,250	3,745	3,394	3,737	3,700

Source: Agricultural Departments

(¹) See footnote (¹) to Table 206.
(²) See footnote (⁴) to Table 206.
(³) Excluding chats in Northern Ireland from 1951 to 1959.
(⁴) Including fodder beet from 1959.
(⁵) In England and Wales the production of hay does not include grass grown for silage, drying or seed. Prior to 1954 production was calculated from the area cut for hay only, and since 1954 has been calculated from the estimates of areas cut for hay and actually harvested. The production of hay in Scotland is calculated from the area cut for hay only and excludes grass mown for silage or drying. Prior to 1960 the estimates of production of hay in Northern Ireland included all grass for mowing.
(⁶) Clover and rotation grasses.

Estimated yield per acre(¹)

TABLE **208**

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Wheat	Cwt.	21·7	22·7	24·0	22·7	26·7	24·8	25·4	24·6	28·9	28·5	28·2
Barley	„	20·3	20·5	22·7	21·7	25·6	24·1	22·6	23·0	26·3	25·2	26·0
Oats	„	18·3	19·2	19·9	18·9	21·0	19·4	18·3	19·3	21·6	20·9	21·1
Mixed corn(²)	„	19·3	19·9	21·0	18·5	22·0	19·5	19·4	19·6	22·4	21·7	23·0
Rye (grain)	„	17·4	17·9	19·5	17·9	20·0	19·4	18·9	18·6	19·2	19·9	19·3
Potatoes(³)	Tons	7·9	7·9	8·4	7·8	7·2	8·2	7·0	6·8	8·5	8·6	8·8
Sugar beet	„	10·7	10·4	12·8	10·4	10·8	12·2	10·6	13·2	12·8	16·7	14·0
Fodder crops:												
Beans	Cwt.	17·2	16·1	17·8	15·9	18·8	17·3	17·7	16·1	17·2	19·4	18·3
Peas	„	14·4	14·6	15·9	9·6	17·1	11·7	13·8	9·7	15·9	15·4	15·3
Turnips and swedes(⁴)	Tons	16·7	16·4	18·3	17·3	14·5	17·2	16·8	17·5	15·0	19·3	18·4
Mangolds	„	23·2	21·6	25·6	21·9	20·8	24·5	23·3	24·4	20·3	26·9	24·7
Straw:												
Wheat	Cwt.	19·4	19·8	19·9	19 6	20·7	17·5	18·6	16·6	19·1	16·2	18·7
Barley	„	15·2	15·1	16·8	15·7	16·8	14·9	14·6	12·2	13·2	11·6	13·8
Oat	„	20·1	20·4	21·6	20·3	19·8	19·6	19·2	19·2	19·1	18·9	19·6
Hops	„	14·4	12·8	12·5	12·0	12·6	9·3	13·2	14·3	11·0	12·3	10·4
Lucerne(⁵)	Cwt.	44·3	43·3	44·5	42·2	44·3	37·8	40·8	38·5	41·7	41·8	42·5
Hay from temporary grassland(⁴)(⁵)	„	30·5	31·5	31·9	30·0	30·9	27·7	29·1	31·5	30·3	31·4	33·1
Hay from permanent grassland(⁴)	„	22·0	22·8	23·5	22·6	23·5	21·7	22·0	25·2	23·0	24·8	25·3

See footnotes to Table 207.

Source: Agricultural Departments

Cattle, sheep, pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings(¹)

TABLE **209**

At June in each year

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Cattle:											
Total	10,473	10,244	10,444	10,718	10,668	10,907	10,881	10,956	11,291	11,771	11,936
Cows and heifers in milk	3,043	3,020	3,108	3,176	3,161	3,232	3,331	3,330	3,297	3,451	3,577
Cows in calf but not in milk	610	579	574	552	545	561	560	554	552	562	577
Heifers in calf with first calf	823	874	828	833	783	875	834	764	816	823	827
Bulls being used for service	114	106	100	97	89	88	84	79	78	79	80
Other cattle:											
Two years and over	1,689	1,721	1,714	1,635	1,562	1,545	1,485	1,351	1,317	1,314	1,329
One year and under two	2.050	1,898	1,936	2,117	2,226	2,252	2,215	2,289	2,461	2,675	2,744
Under one year	2,144	2,046	2,184	2,308	2,301	2,354	2,370	2,588	2,769	2,868	2,802
Sheep and lambs:											
Total	19,984	21,655	22,455	22,873	22,949	23,594	24,796	26,105	27,612	27,871	28,967
Ewes for breeding	8,088	8,497	8,717	8,908	9,202	9,596	9,840	10,322	10,735	11,232	11,505
Rams for service	244	250	259	265	272	276	295	317	320	322	332
Other sheep:											
One year and over	3,810	3,796	4,043	4,126	3,696	3,249	3,279	3,635	4,020	3,800	3,645
Under one year	7,842	9,112	9,436	9,573	9,779	10,473	11,382	11,831	12,537	12,517	13,485
Pigs:											
Total	3,891	4,962	5,165	6,251	5,843	5,474	5,974	6,485	5,984	5,724	6,043
Sows for breeding	560	594	699	814	683	685	743	802	705	725	774
Boars for service	29	32	35	45	42	41	43	47	41	40	43
Other pigs:											
Five months and over	881	1,220	1,090	1,174	1,148	1,066	1,123	1,160	1,109	1,018	1,042
Two months and under five	1,583	2,011	2,059	2,661	2,499	2,304	2,547	2,791	2,657	2,449	2,591
Under two months	883	1,105	1,281	1,556	1,471	1,377	1,518	1,686	1,471	1,491	1,594
Poultry:											
Total	94,344	94,974	92,119	83,644	86,857	92,464	94,868	99,724	106,605	103,005	114,289
Total fowls	90,067	90,345	87,516	79,835	83,420	88,275	90,789	95,887	102,263	98,360	108,398
Fowls in Great Britain:											
Total	73,092	74,708	73,696	69,048	72,686	77,348	79,566	84,068	90,778	88,296	98,508
Six months and over	33,565	32,538	32,606	32,361	31,752	32,996	36,397	36,860	39,293	38,239	39,166
Under six months	39,527	42,170	41,090	36,687	40,934	44,352	43,169	47,208	51,485	50,057	59,342
Ducks	2,379	2,470	2,311	1,658	1,318	1,302	1,411	1,269	1,221	1,295	1,562
Geese	730	766	785	699	559	543	506	433	398	388	355
Turkeys	1,168	1,393	1,506	1,453	1,561	2,344	2,161	2,135	2,723	2,961	3,974

(¹) See footnote (¹) to Table 206.

Source: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural tractors, machines and implements in use(1)

TABLE 210

Number

	Great Britain			England and Wales				
	1956	1959	1961	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Tractors: Total(2)	477,700	474,980	480,743	424,980	430,800	417,790	416,720	420,820
Agricultural types (10 h.p. and over):								
Total	412,420	425,420	427,346	368,130	379,350	370,890	369,730	370,540
Tracklayers	17,970	18,030	19,857	17,650	17,140	16,110	16,130	17,860
Wheeled	394,450	407,390	407,489	350,480	362,210	354,780	353,600	352,680
Market garden types (under 10 h.p.):	65,280	49,560	53,397	56,850	51,450	46,900	46,990	50,280
Mouldboard ploughs, tractor drawn	340,690	334,430	334,098	284,100	289,740	280,680	271,470	278,760
Disc harrows	100,200	..	103,076	80,740	85,980	..	86,780	88,540
Cultivators(3)	..	..	462,079	464,480	432,250	..	441,130	421,660
Corn drills(4)	139,780	156,930	133,361	124,190	119,410	120,000	120,380	119,000
Farmyard manure spreaders	65,390	86,960	99,666	65,380	70,260	78,270	82,230	89,450
Mowers	222,220	224,100	203,732	190,290	186,300	195,770	178,950	175,580
Pick-up balers	39,830	66,430	77,972	43,590	51,620	61,690	66,440	70,880
Combine harvesters	32,890	51,730	54,243	35,370	39,890	48,370	47,930	50,190
Grain and grass driers	9,380	16,700	20,103	11,040	13,170	15,670	17,750	18,610
Milking machines(5)	..	..	..	290,120	288,040	293,400	300,390	107,140

(1) Owned by farmers and contractors (including Ministry services). Figures for England and Wales are at March, September or December; figures for Scotland are at February.

(2) From 1959 the figures for England and Wales (collected in March) are not strictly comparable with those for 1956 to 1958 (collected in September).

(3) Cultivators and harrows other than disc. Including grubbers and scufflers.

(4) Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.

(5) Figures for 1961 relate to the number of installations; earlier fiigures relate to the number of units

Source: Agricultural Departments

Forest area

TABLE 211

At 30 September in each year

Thousand acres

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Forest area										
United Kingdom	3,855	3,901	3,943	3,985	4,025	4,062	4,116	4,153	4,201	4,247
Great Britain	3,793	3,837	3,877	3,917	3,954	3,988	4,040	4,075	4,120	4,163
Northern Ireland	62	64	66	68	71	74	76	78	81	84
Forestry Commission (Great Britain)										
Total estates	1,856	1,909	2,038	2,102	2,177	2,254	2,361	2,403	2,475	2,546
Land under plantation	800	867	936	1,005	1,062	1,121	1,172	1,224	1,283	1,344
Plantable land acquired(1)	53·6	53·6	77·1	61·1	56·2	56·1	51·2	38·8	59·2	51·7
Total area planted(1)(2)	61·6	67·6	70·4	67·9	62·4	57·9	52·4	55·1	61·7	63·7
Area lost by fire(1)	0·5	0·5	0·4	0·3	4·1	0·1	0·4	0·4	1·6	0·3
State afforestation in Northern Ireland										
Total estates	56·7	61·3	67·5	73·0	78·0	81·4	88·7	94·5	97·0	107·0
Land under plantation	32·4	34·2	36·0	38·2	40·6	43·0	46·0	49·7	53·8	58·0
Plantable land acquired(1)	3·0	3·9	5·2	4·4	4·2	3·4	5·0	4·5	2·1	8·7
Total area planted(1) (3)	2·4	1·9	2·2	2·4	2·4	2·7	3·5	3·7	4·4	4·5
Area lost by fire(1)	—	—	0·06	—	0·05	—	—	—	—	0·01

(1) During twelve months ended 30 September.

(2) Including replanting after damage by fire.

(3) Including areas replanted.

Source: Forestry Commission and Ministry of Agriculture, Northern Ireland

Gross output of agriculture(1)

Years ended May

TABLE 212

£ million

	1937/38	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(2)
Total(3)	300·7	1,159·6	1,262·0	1,293·2	1,354·1	1,386·8	1,466·8	1,469·0	1,496·2	1,502·8	1,610·5
Farm crops(3)											
Total	42·8	186·4	253·9	237·1	254·6	245·8	262·7	268·6	265·5	270·5	276·4
Grain: Wheat	9·5	42·7	61·4	73·7	67·3	73·8	68·0	63·4	68·6	74·9	61·6
Barley	6·1	33·0	54·5	50·2	56·6	52·0	55·6	53·2	69·2	67·9	76·0
Oats	3·5	7·3	15·2	10·2	12·4	13·3	11·1	10·4	12·7	10·2	9·9
Other	0·1	1·0	1·9	1·2	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·4
Potatoes	14·6	64·6	75·5	63·9	78·1	63·4	89·4	95·5	67·2	64·5	82·5
Sugar beet	4·7	23·9	29·9	25·1	27·3	30·8	25·4	32·1	34·5	39·4	32·6
Hops	2·0	7·5	7·3	6·6	6·6	5·8	6·7	7·6	6·7	7·2	6·8
Other	2·4	6·4	8·1	6·3	5·8	6·1	6·0	5·9	6·1	6·1	6·6
Livestock and livestock products:											
Total	214·3	835·3	880·3	945·9	925·8	992·8	1,027·0	1,027·4	1,028·1	1,046·4	1,117·3
Fatstock:											
Total	89·1	337·3	370·5	434·4	385·9	436·1	454·4	447·7	431·7	429·8	484·3
Cattle	41·3	121·2	143·0	183·6	154·9	200·6	216·3	203·3	191·0	195·7	227·1
Calves	1·8	2·7	2·3	6·3	5·8	6·1	5·2	4·2	4·6	5·3	5·6
Sheep and lambs	17·1	51·1	54·1	58·4	56·7	62·9	70·9	68·2	77·8	78·5	88·7
Pigs	28·9	162·3	171·0	186·2	168·5	166·6	162·0	172·0	158·3	150·2	163·0
Milk and milk products	79·9	316·0	335·6	327·9	339·1	348·5	345·2	335·6	343·5	352·6	364·8
Eggs(4)	31·5	133·4	129·3	131·4	143·7	148·4	159·1	162·7	164·2	170·9	169·3
Poultry(5)	7·4	29·5	25·9	33·6	39·7	42·3	49·7	62·6	69·0	74·4	79·1
Wool	4·2	15·2	15·6	16·5	15·3	15·2	16·5	16·6	17·3	16·1	17·1
Other	2·2	3·9	3·4	2·2	2·1	2·2	2·1	2·2	2·4	2·6	2·6
Fruit, vegetables and flowers:											
Total	33·9	121·7	113·8	128·1	140·5	128·1	146·2	131·3	143·6	139·8	164·3
Fruit	8·5	33·2	35·5	34·4	38·7	39·3	49·0	39·6	41·9	37·0	52·0
Vegetables	18·9	72·7	62·2	75·5	82·2	69·3	76·4	69·5	79·2	78·1	85·8
Flowers and nursery stock	6·5	15·7	16·0	18·2	19·7	19·6	20·8	22·2	22·4	24·7	26·6
Other(6)	3·1	9·1	7·2	8·7	12·5	19·8	24·7	24·6	30·9	37·3	34·4
Value of physical change in stocks on farms of crops and Livestock(7)	+6·6	+7·1	+6·9	−26·6	+20·6	+0·3	+6·2	+17·0	+28·1	+8·7	+18·1

(1) In Great Britain from holdings of over one acre only; in Northern Ireland one acre and over from 1954/55, for earlier years one quarter of an acre and over.

(2) Forecast prepared in February 1962.

(3) Estimates of the value of output from 1953/54 differ from those of earlier years since they include receipts from the sale of all crops, including those amounts which were ultimately bought back as feeding stuffs.

(4) For food and for hatching.

(5) Poultry meat and poultry for stock.

(6) These estimates include (a) the difference between the value of potatoes purchased by the Ministry of Food and their value when sold back for stockfeed up to 1952/53, (b) deficiency payments for barley, oats and mixed corn not sold off farms, and (c) receipts from the sale of horticultural seeds, timber, hides and skins, etc.

(7) The value at market prices of changes in the volume of stocks on farms and work in progress within each year.

Source: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural output at constant prices (all holdings)(1)

TABLE 213

Years ended May

£ million

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(2)
Output									
1. Farm crops:									
Total	274·4	251·0	252·4	273·8	247·9	247·8	287·8	301·2	283·8
Wheat	60·8	71·5	68·5	76·3	74·1	71·5	78·1	86·6	71·7
Barley	56·7	49·6	62·3	54·8	57·7	55·9	74·3	73·5	86·2
Oats	18·3	12·0	14·9	14·8	11·4	11·0	13·3	11·1	10·3
Potatoes	88·6	77·6	65·3	86·3	66·7	63·5	76·4	78·2	72·0
Sugar beet	31·2	25·5	27·1	30·1	24·8	31·6	33·7	39·4	32·4
Other farm crops	18·8	14·6	14·3	11·4	13·2	14·4	12·1	12·4	11·2
2. Livestock:									
Total	391·8	487·4	442·4	485·5	521·6	522·9	518·2	543·2	611·7
Cattle and calves	151·3	190·8	163·1	202·4	212·3	186·9	178·0	187·7	212·0
Sheep and lambs	53·7	56·6	59·6	61·8	68·0	65·8	75·7	77·6	86·0
Pigs	157·4	204·8	178·1	172·9	186·7	200·5	184·6	182·3	197·7
Poultry	29·4	35·3	41·7	48·4	54·5	69·8	79·9	95·6	116·0
3. Livestock products:									
Total	517·1	521·0	531·8	557·8	571·9	579·8	600·5	611·5	636·0
Eggs for human consumption	162·2	169·0	176·3	191·7	199·8	215·4	226·3	222·5	232·6
Milk and milk products	335·0	331·6	335·8	346·0	349·1	338·8	346·9	360·8	371·3
Wool (clip)	15·6	16·6	15·2	15·2	17·1	18·1	18·6	17·6	19·1
Other livestock products	4·2	3·8	4·5	5·0	5·9	7·6	8·7	10·7	13·0
4. Horticultural products:									
Fruit, flowers and vegetables	192·5	182·0	179·7	192·8	179·7	192·3	193·6	210·3	193·7
5. Sundry output(3)	11·8	10·4	11·0	10·6	10·8	10·7	11·3	11·5	13·2
6. Stock changes:									
Growing crops	−9·2	−12·4	+5·7	−12·1	+1·7	−7·1	+7·6	−14·5	+7·6
Livestock	+17·4	−12·6	+14·3	+10·4	+7·6	+17·5	+20·5	+24·5	+10·7
7. Total (items 1–6)	1,395·8	1,426·7	1,437·3	1,518·8	1,541·2	1,564·0	1,639·6	1,687·7	1,756·7
8. Miscellaneous grants and subsidies(4)	36·7	36·1	38·6	41·4	42·0	42·4	49·4	51·1	48·9
Input									
9. Feeding-stuffs	309·2	379·1	363·7	374·4	398·7	436·7	445·0	440·3	474·4
10. Seeds	30·5	30·7	29·8	30·0	31·4	32·8	35·2	33·1	32·8
11. Livestock	39·8	48·2	43·8	59·6	62·7	56·5	50·3	55·0	65·8
12. Total (items 9–11)	379·5	458·0	437·4	464·0	492·7	526·0	530·5	528·4	572·9
13. Machinery (including repairs, fuel and oil and depreciation)	191·6	193·0	196·0	194·3	196·4	199·2	197·9	195·5	194·9
14. Fertilizers	56·3	55·8	65·5	65·4	69·3	69·8	81·7	84·0	87·7
15. Other input(5)	139·5	141·3	138·9	142·0	142·0	147·7	154·4	158·2	157·6
16. Total input (items 12–15)	766·8	848·1	837·7	865·6	900·4	942·6	964·5	966·1	1,013·1
17. **Value of net output** (items 7 plus 8 minus 16)	665·7	614·7	638·2	694·6	682·8	663·8	724·5	772·8	792·4
Index of net output (Average of 1954/55 to 1956/57=100)	*103*	*95*	*98*	*107*	*105*	*102*	*112*	*119*	*122*

NOTE—There are differences in definition between some of the items in this table and the corresponding items in Tables 212 and 214.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

(1) The values are calculated from prices averaged over the three-year period 1954/55 to 1956/57 and include output from units under one acre.

(2) Forecast prepared in February 1962.

(3) Includes Co-operative Society dividends on sales and purchases.

(4) That is, those not allocated to specific items of output or input.

(5) Includes maintenance work by landlords and occupiers.

Estimated farming net income

TABLE **214**

Years ended May

£ million

	1937/38	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(1)
Farming net income	56	347·5	346	311·5	347·5	338	374·5	333	362	389·5	431·5
Revenue											
Total(2)	306·5	1,230	1,347·5	1,383	1,446·5	1,506	1,565	1,576	1,618	1,652·5	1,753
Farm crops(3)	43·5	187	255	238	253	246·5	264·5	268	265·5	270·5	276
Fatstock	89	337·5	370·5	434·5	386	436	454·5	448	432	430	484·5
Milk and milk products	80	316	336	328	339	348·5	345	335·5	343·5	352·5	365
Eggs and poultry	39	163	155	165·5	183·5	191	209	225	233	245·5	248·5
Horticultural products	33·5	121·5	114	127·5	140·5	128	146	131·5	143·5	140	164·5
Other products	9	26	25	26	30	37·5	43·5	43·5	50·5	55·5	53·5
Production grants and other credits	5	55	64	60·5	74	86	92·5	93·5	113·5	119	119
Increase in value at cost of farm stocks and work in progress	7·5	24	28	3	40·5	32·5	10	31	36·5	39·5	42
Expenditure											
Total	250·5	882·5	1,001·5	1,071·5	1,099	1,168	1,190·5	1,243	1,256	1,263	1,321·5
Labour	66	257	266	265·5	275·5	284·5	293	305	300·5	300·5	299·5
Rent and interest	43	68	71·5	74·5	77·5	81·5	86·5	87·5	93·5	105·5	117
Machinery:											
Depreciation(4)	7·5	56	58·5	59	63	66	72	75·5	81	80	83
Fuel and oil	5	51·5	49	47	47	51	49	50	47	46·5	49
Other(5)	10	70	72·5	73	79	80·5	86	89	91·5	88	92
Feeding stuffs	78	187	276	334	324	347·5	327·5	359	355	351·5	376
Fertilizers	8	70	73	71·5	91	93·5	102·5	100	118	111	114·5
Seeds(6)	4·5	24	26·5	29	26·5	28·5	28	30·5	30·5	32	30·5
Imported livestock(7)	14·5	35	41	47·5	43	56·5	66	60	49·5	53	62·5
Other expenses	14	64	67·5	70·5	72·5	78·5	80	86·5	89·5	95	97·5

(1) Forecast prepared in February 1962.

(2) Estimates of the value of output from 1953/54 differ from those for earlier years since they include the gross receipts from sales of crops for feed. From that date, expenditure on feeding-stuffs is correspondingly based on the gross value of purchased concentrates, whether home-grown or imported.

(3) The estimates of the value of gross output of farm crops in Table 212 are here adjusted for changes in the stocks of crops awaiting sale between the beginning and end of the accounting year; these changes have been included in "Increase in value at cost of farm stocks and work in progress."

(4) Estimated depreciation allowances for vehicles and machinery valued at replacement cost.

(5) Repairs, contract services, etc.

(6) Purchased imported seeds plus merchants' margins on home-grown seed.

(7) Imported livestock plus transport and merchanting charges on inter-farm sales of home-bred livestock.

Source: Agricultural Departments

Sales for food of farm produce and livestock

TABLE **215**

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Cereals:												
Wheat(1)	Th. tons	1,516	1,451	1,525	1,561	1,499	1,308	1,338	1,188	1,240	1,373	1,550
Barley	,,	1,082	1,161	935	1,094	1,063	1,097	965	1,108	1,230	1,251	1,211
Oats(2)	,,	256	226	186	149	161	161	135	107	111	121	111
Potatoes(3)	,,	5,209	5,242	4,903	4,869	4,652	4,196	4,483	4,073	3,958	4,345	4,490
Milk:												
Total	Mn. gals.	1,790	1,816	1,937	1,978	1,943	2,130	2,201(4)	2,142	2,068	2,283	2,388
For consumption as liquid milk	,,	1,567	1,545	1,518	1,515	1,516	1,521	1,504	1,518	1,537	1,559	1,583
For manufacture	,,	223	271	419	463	427	609	697	624	531	724	805
Animals slaughtered:												
Cattle and calves:												
Total	Thousands	3,749	3,367	3,200	3,614	3,420	3,985	3,969	3,664	3,271	3,870	4,257
Cattle	,,	2,445	2,158	2,103	2,595	2,480	2,836	2,967	2,952	2,642	3,010	3,336
Calves	,,	1,304	1,209	1,097	1,019	940	1,149	1,002	712	629	860	921
Sheep and lambs	,,	5,846	7,324	7,498	9,367	8,319	9,602	9,731	9,408	12,614	11,439	13,212
Pigs:												
Total	,,	4,313	6,421	7,896	10,103	10,413	9,664	10,008	11,012	10,830	10,272	10,727
For bacon	,,	3,285	4,542	4,508	4,506	4,442	3,842	4,035	4,328	4,312	3,848	4,470
Other	,,	1,028	1,879	3,388	5,597	5,971	5,822	5,973	6,684	6,518	6,424	6,257

TIME SERIES. The figures for cereals and for animals slaughtered relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1953 and 1960).

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

(1) Flour millers' receipts of home-grown wheat.

(2) Oatmeal millers' receipts of home-grown oats.

(3) Including consumption on farms and seed sold for food.

(4) Including suspected contaminated milk.

Average weekly earnings of agricultural workers (1)

Great Britain

TABLE 216

	Adult males(2)		Youths(3)		Women and girls	
Half-yearly periods	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1947 April — September	97	7	62	3	65	1
October — March 1948	104	4	67	8	70	5
1948 April — September	108	7	71	2	73	4
October — March 1949	105	2	68	10	72	9
1949 April — September	114	9	77	0	76	6
October — March 1950	110	10	72	5	76	6
1950 April — September	115	5	77	11	75	3
October — March 1951	115	8	74	10	77	11
1951 April — September	123	3	79	5	82	3
October — March 1952	126	8	83	0	85	5
1952 April — September	133	8	86	3	86	5
October — March 1953	132	9	84	3	90	4
1953 April — September	142	2	88	2	92	11
October — March 1954	142	10	88	8	96	1
1954 April — September	151	10	91	5	95	3
October — March 1955	150	2	90	3	96	5
1955 April — September	165	4	99	1	104	5
October — March 1956	160	3	95	5	106	2
1956 April — September	174	2	101	10	111	7
October — March 1957	174	11	103	0	114	3
1957 April — September	184	10	109	6	116	9
October — March 1958	183	5	111	9	120	1
1958 April — September	195	7	116	6	124	2
October — March 1959	193	9	118	0	126	2
1959 April — September	204	1	120	7	129	0
October — March 1960	195	2	118	8	127	2
1960 April — September	211	8	125	9	132	5
October — March 1961	206	11	124	10	134	4
1961 April — September	224	1	132	6	146	7
October — March 1962	215	1	131	1	136	5
Years ended March						
1947/48	100	11	65	0	67	9
1948/49	106	10	70	0	73	1
1949/50	112	10	74	8	76	6
1950/51	115	7	76	5	76	7
1951/52	125	0	81	3	83	10
1952/53	133	2	85	3	88	5
1953/54	142	6	88	5	94	6
1954/55	151	0	90	10	95	10
1955/56	162	10	97	3	105	4
1956/57	174	7	102	5	112	11
1957/58	184	2	110	7	118	5
1958/59	194	8	117	3	125	2
1959/60	199	7	119	7	128	1
1960/61	209	3	125	3	133	4
1961/62	219	7	131	9	141	6

Source: Agricultural Departments

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(1) Total earnings of hired regular whole-time workers, including payments in kind valued, where applicable, in accordance with Agricultural Wages Orders.

(2) 21 years and over up to March 1956, and 20 years and over thereafter.

(3) Under 21 years up to March 1956, and under 20 years thereafter.

Processed food and animal feeding-stuffs: Production

TABLE 217

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Flour milling:											
Wheat milled: Total	5,389	5,195	5,050	5,080	5,140	5,391	5,232	5,145	5,041	5,112	5,005
Home produced	1,484	1,413	1,425	1,575	1,381	1,202	1,245	1,075	1,100	1,242	1,409
Imported	3,905	3,782	3,625	3,505	3,759	4,189	3,987	4,070	3,941	3,870	3,596
Flour produced	4,312	4,150	3,991	3,822	3,769	3,910	3,720	3,672	3,632	3,693	3,592
Offals produced	979	940	1,008	1,232	1,351	1,485	1,524	1,475	1,437	1,442	1,424
Oat milling:											
Oats milled by oatmeal millers	256	226	203	170	167	167	155	170	158	141	134
Products of oat milling	142	126	114	96	89	93	84	90	90	80	77
Seed crushing:											
Oilseeds and nuts processed	1,067	1,065	1,150	1,105	1,082	1,094	1,030	932	1,030	1,010	925
Crude oil produced(1)	465	469	512	460	438	448	422	369	373	343	341
Oilcake and meal produced(2)	576	578	622	649	618	626	610	547	641	647	572
Production of home-killed meat(3):											
Total	974	1,030	1,127	1,463	1,370	1,493	1,533	1,556	1,523	1,613	1,753
Beef	618	569	588	730	683	778	791	783	693	789	870
Veal	28	26	22	22	21	25	22	16	14	19	21
Mutton and lamb	130	163	167	205	174	194	199	190	246	224	263
Pork	93	163	241	373	368	362	385	431	434	441	444
Offal	105	109	109	133	124	134	136	136	136	140	155
Production of bacon and ham(3)	191	263	244	242	244	210	212	220	216	180	202
Production of milk products:											
Butter	6	7	15	23	15	25	34	30	14	37	48
Cheese (including farmhouse)	44	55	88	82	63	100	113	95	88	110	114
Condensed milk	86	114	138	115	177	191	182	179	181	186	182
Milk powder	24	26	42	49	45	69	69	57	48	84	91
Cream(4)	2	1	12	13	17	18	20	24	27	30	32
Sugar: production from home-grown sugar-beet (as refined sugar)	628	641	645	616	632	620	650	564	842	779	919
Production of compound fats:											
Margarine	447	445	406	379	366	365	351	329	358	368	330
Compound fat	215	167	209	170	155	145	130	137	133	135	139
Production of other processed foods:											
Jam and marmalade	297	290	269	231	221	215	214	223	206	209	210
Syrup and treacle	110	113	96	70	70	69	61	62	57	55	50
Canned vegetables	300	339	332	374	430	504	471	509	563	555	562
Canned and bottled fruit	83	84	75	93	94	99	80	102	110	87	90
Canned soups(5)	72	89	86	101	123	129	154	155	161	201	214
Canned meat	27	34	31	26	31	36	38	46	50	53	62
Canned fish	17	21	11	12	12	13	12	11	12	8	8
Biscuits	415	436	470	472	487	514	522	524	515	538	546
Breakfast cereals(6)	79	83	89	93	98	100	106	106	114	116	119
Chocolate confectionery	228	221	306	298	274	305	302	309	275	314	323
Sugar confectionery	228	245	330	385	383	373	356	360	345	356	338
Cocoa powder and drinking chocolate	27	23	21	23	22	19	19	21	20	20	18
Glucose	116	108	157	167	167	165	172	168	173	189	189
Production of soft drinks (million gallons):											
Concentrated	13	16	16	16	23	22	29	28	39	40	44
Unconcentrated	134	143	155	148	187	180	201	194	227	215	230
Compound feeding stuffs(7):											
Total	4,310	4,466	5,167	5,937	6,433	6,659	6,347	7,189	8,515	8,646	8,958
Cattle food	1,523	1,383	1,665	2,072	2,295	2,287	1,988	2,258	2,680	2,794	2,749
Calf food	123	116	159	204	203	205	206	259	315	324	301
Pig food	1,194	1,471	1,568	1,752	1,778	1,581	1,529	1,655	1,863	1,764	1,850
Poultry food	1,439	1,466	1,732	1,806	2,042	2,467	2,524	2,899	3,528	3,611	3,893
Horse and ewe food	14	12	12	20	30	31	26	47	64	76	70
Other compounds	17	18	31	83	85	88	74	71	65	77	95

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1953 and 1960) with the following exceptions: cream—figures are for calendar years: condensed milk and milk powder—figures for 1951 to 1954 and from 1958 relate to calendar years; canned vegetables, canned and bottled fruit, canned soups and canned fish—figures are for calendar years from 1954; canned meat—figures are for calendar years from 1952.

(1) Including production of maize oil. (2) Excluding castor meal, cocoa cake and meal. (3) Including meat subsequently canned. (4) Sterilized and fresh (including farm) cream. (5) The 1961 figure relates to ready to serve equivalent; earlier figures relate to can content. (6) Other than oatmeal and oatmeal flakes.

(7) Because of slight changes in definition, figures after 1953 (the year of de-control) are not completely comparable with earlier figures. Figures before 1959 relate to Great Britain only.

Food and animal feeding-stuffs: Disposals

TABLE 218

Thousand tons

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Flour	4,716	4,674	4,521	4,314	4,223	4,160	4,025	4,045	4,000	4,038	3,964
Sugar(¹):											
Total disposals	2,634	2,476	2,810	3,063	3,204	3,169	3,371	2,976	3,178	3,083	2,988
For food in the United Kingdom	1,930	1,833	2,145	2,365	2,475	2,588	2,703	2,410	2,609	2,622	2,679
Syrup and treacle	110	113	95	69	70	70	61	61	58	56	50
Meat and fish:											
Fresh and frozen meat and offal(²)	1,363	1,556	1,857	2,090	2,249	2,358	2,411	2,404	2,333	2,441	2,500
Bacon and ham(²)	414	496	565	554	555	531	542	558	563	586	596
Fresh, frozen and cured fish (landed weight)(²):											
Total disposals	1,084	1,103	1,052	994	1,028	1,003	964	948	940	916	869
For food in the United Kingdom	962	932	846	825	853	872	856	852	830	827	805
Dairy products:											
Butter	324	241	300	312	330	353	398	463	431	431	465
Cheese	236	174	214	215	212	217	235	236	218	236	242
Condensed milk	140	129	155	148	200	197	185	198	188	191	192
Milk powder(³)	82	68	81	101	105	111	109	125	131	129	130
Eggs in shell	552	573	607	649	621	632	680	704	746	764	771
Oils(⁴):											
Vegetable oil	992	884	955	919	885	849	797	742	742	691	680
Marine oil(⁵)	146	74	103	112	109	101	122	139	143	156	165
Jam and marmalade	320	308	278	238	231	229	219	228	215	214	220
Potatoes(⁶):											
Total disposals	6,005	6,133	5,559	6,046	5,138	4,805	5,572	4,818	4,532	4,944	5,163
For food in the United Kingdom	5,378	5,372	5,004	5,005	5,044	4,720	4,739	4,800	4,523	4,621	4,779
Other foods:											
Chocolate and sugar confectionery	468	475	668	693	671	686	667	666	635	674	666
Tea	190	204	238	234	228	246	239	244	241	240	238
Raw coffee	46	43	41	39	38	41	45	46	50	55	58
Cocoa beans(⁷)	123	112	128	120	102	92	109	95	73	74	80
Barley:											
For brewing and distilling	977	1,180	965	} 1,074	1,082	1,119	1,027	1,134	1,290	1,317	1,280
For food	25	25	25								
Maize:											
Total disposals	1,109	1,293	1,413	1,463	1,700	1,668	1,778	2,475	2,989	3,136	3,221
Animal feed	874	1,058	1,167	1,200	1,365	1,295	1,321	1,906	2,349	2,382	2,474
Oilcake and meal:											
High and medium protein	708	721	1,069	1,130	1,182	1,247	1,206	1,459	1,677	1,665	1,616
Low protein	299	284	277	316	260	235	222	218	148	160	183
Wheat milling offals	1,157	1,036	1,340	1,750	1,682	1,752	1,838	1,875	1,847	1,729	1,681
Fish and meat meal for animal feed	154	181	224	295	303	333	313	338	373	378	452

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1953 and 1960) with the following exceptions: fish and potatoes—figures are for calendar years; condensed milk and milk powder—figures for 1951 to 1954 and from 1958 relate to calendar years; cocoa beans—figures for 1951 to 1953 relate to calendar years.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

(¹) As refined sugar.
(²) Including usage for canning.
(³) Full cream and skimmed milk powder only; buttermilk and whey powder are not included.
(⁴) As crude oil.
(⁵) Seal oil is not included after April 1954.
(⁶) Excluding seed and chat potatoes.
(⁷) From 1955, quantities ground in the United Kingdom only.

Estimated food supplies per head of population

TABLE **219**

lb. per head per annum

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Cereal products and sugar:											
Flour	203·6	201·7	192·7	187·2	182·5	178·7	172·5	171·5	168·4	166·4	164·8
Rice	2·7	2·5	2·3	2·2	1·9	2·5	2·4	2·3	2·4	2·6	2·9
Oat products	6·5	5·5	5·0	4·2	3·8	4·0	3·6	3·9	3·9	3·3	3·3
Other cereals	5·1	5·2	5·2	5·2	5·2	5·3	5·7	5·7	5·9	5·8	5·9
Starch and other farinaceous foods	3·1	4·6	3·2	3·6	2·6	2·4	2·9	2·7	2·9	2·8	2·6
Sugar(¹)	95·0	90·4	98·7	106·1	108·8	109·8	111·7	115·5	112·3	112·8	114·1
Meat and fish:											
Fresh and frozen meat	53·6	61·7	73·1	83·8	89·0	93·2	93·5	92·4	89·0	91·6	93·8
Offal	6·7	6·8	6·5	7·9	8·0	8·3	8·9	8·8	8·7	9·2	9·7
Canned meats(²)	10·1	8·8	6·3	7·5	8·5	7·9	9·1	8·7	8·9	8·6	8·8
Bacon and ham	19·4	22·9	24·9	25·0	25·8	24·3	24·7	25·2	25·2	25·9	26·3
Poultry	5·5	5·5	5·3	5·6	6·4	7·2	7·9	9·4	11·2	12·4	14·6
Fresh, frozen and cured fish	22·0	20·8	18·8	18·3	19·0	19·3	18·9	18·8	17·8	18·2	17·6
Canned fish(²)	1·2	1·1	0·9	1·8	1·6	2·4	2·2	3·2	3·6	2·5	2·1
Dairy products:											
Liquid milk	345·2	338·8	329·5	328·2	324·4	323·4	318·7	320·3	321·6	323·9	326·2
Cheese	10·5	7·7	9·3	9·4	9·0	9·3	10·0	9·9	9·2	9·8	10·1
Condensed milk	5·8	5·6	6·6	5·7	6·3	6·3	6·1	6·5	6·1	6·0	6·1
Milk powder	3·2	2·5	2·7	3·3	3·1	3·5	3·0	3·6	4·3	4·3	3·9
Eggs in shell	24·5	25·1	25·9	28·4	27·0	27·3	28·9	29·7	30·5	31·1	32·1
Egg products (shell egg equivalent)	3·1	2·5	2·3	1·6	2·4	2·1	2·0	2·1	2·4	2·1	1·9
Fats:											
Butter	14·6	10·9	13·2	14·1	14·7	15·5	17·3	20·0	18·5	18·4	19·7
Margarine	18·7	19·3	17·8	18·3	17·9	17·1	15·5	13·7	14·7	15·0	13·3
Lard and compound cooking fat	12·1	11·0	9·7	10·1	10·6	10·7	10·4	10·8	12·0	12·9	12·0
Other edible oils and fats	9·5	8·7	10·2	11·6	10·3	10·4	11·2	9·8	10·2	9·3	10·9
Fruit and vegetables:											
Fresh citrus fruit	19·4	16·0	20·3	18·6	18·6	16·5	18·2	16·7	19·9	20·7	19·6
Other fresh fruit	48·9	49·6	48·2	47·4	47·9	49·2	49·6	46·5	56·0	55·5	51·8
Canned and bottled fruit	8·9	6·2	7·7	10·5	13·9	13·8	15·9	16·2	17·4	17·5	57·9
Dried fruit	5·8	6·1	7·2	8·4	6·4	5·7	6·7	6·4	6·4	6·1	5·7
Potatoes	234·7	251·8	245·3	242·3	234·2	224·5	223·8	212·0	211·4	220·0	221·8
Fresh tomatoes	15·7	16·7	15·7	13·7	15·7	14·3	15·8	14·4	16·3	15·5	15·4
Other fresh vegetables	100·2	101·7	102·6	93·3	94·2	93·0	92·6	94·2	94·8	101·9	96·7
Canned vegetables	10·0	8·6	7·0	9·4	9·6	10·0	10·2	10·7	10·4	10·8	11·6
Pulses	7·3	6·9	7·5	8·7	8·3	9·8	9·4	7·9	8·9	9·3	7·0
Other foods:											
Tea	8·1	8·5	9·5	9·7	9·3	10·1	9·8	9·9	9·5	9·6	9·5
Coffee	1·7	1·5	1·3	1·3	1·3	1·5	1·6	1·7	1·9	2·1	2·1
Cocoa powder	1·3	1·1	1·1	1·4	1·6	1·4	1·6	1·3	1·2	1·3	1·1

(¹) Including sugar in all home produced and imported manufactured foods and in brewing, but excluding sugar in exported manufactured foods.

(²) Imported only.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Landings of fish of British taking: Landed weight

England and Wales

TABLE 220

Thousand tons

		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
From all fishing regions								
Total fish(1)		645·5	640·6	571·6	564·8	547·2	536·2	499·0
Demersal fish:								
Prime white		7·1	6·8	7·0	6·9	6·9	6·9	6·3
Flat		38·4	33·6	34·2	35·5	37·8	35·7	33·7
Coarse round		57·8	54·6	56·6	62·3	56·4	55·0	45·7
Other round		460·6	466·0	407·7	401·1	391·0	389·2	365·4
Other kinds or mixed, livers and roes		30·1	28·9	25·1	25·8	24·4	25·2	20·8
Pelagic fish:								
Herring		40·5	38·4	34·2	25·5	22·2	16·6	18·6
Other		11·0	12·3	6·8	7·7	8·5	7·6	8·5
Distant water(2)								
Total fish		404·8	418·6	355·9	356·5	347·3	344·3	335·1
Prime white:	Halibut	1·0	1·0	1·3	1·7	1·7	1·7	1·4
Flat:	Plaice	10·6	9·6	10·1	9·9	8·8	7·8	7·2
	Lemon sole	1·0	0·8	1·0	1·1	1·1	1·2	1·0
	Other	0·7	0·4	0·7	0·7	0·5	0·5	0·4
Coarse round:	Saithe (coalfish)	12·1	11·5	13·9	15·0	12·5	16·8	12·0
	Skate and ray	0·5	0·4	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·4	0·4
	Other	6·0	5·8	6·3	7·6	7·6	5·6	6·6
Other round:	Cod	294·7	318·5	254·7	255·5	252·9	224·1	215·1
	Haddock	62·5	56·9	50·9	45·1	44·5	63·8	71·2
	Other	13·2	11·8	13·7	16·6	14·4	19·1	17·0
Other kinds or mixed(3)		2·5	1·9	2·8	2·7	2·8	3·3	2·8
Middle and near water(4)								
Total fish		202·2	182·6	184·5	177·8	166·6	162·4	138·0
Prime white:	Sole	2·9	2·6	2·2	2·1	1·8	1·9	2·0
	Halibut	0·7	0·6	0·8	0·8	0·8	0·9	0·5
	Other	2·3	2·3	2·4	2·0	2·3	2·1	2·1
Flat:	Plaice	19·9	17·5	17·3	18·9	22·9	22·1	21·0
	Lemon sole	1·6	1·1	1·2	1·1	1·2	1·4	1·7
	Other	3·3	2·9	2·7	2·6	2·3	1·9	1·5
Coarse round:	Saithe (coalfish)	17·9	17·9	17·0	20·4	19·1	17·2	11·5
	Skate and ray	9·9	8·7	9·0	9·3	8·1	7·0	7·8
	Dogfish	9·1	7·9	7·2	6·9	6·2	5·8	5·0
	Other	1·5	1·6	1·7	1·7	1·6	1·5	1·6
Other round:	Cod	41·7	31·9	40·0	37·8	40·8	46·1	31·9
	Hake	13·7	13·4	10·9	10·3	8·2	8·3	7·1
	Haddock	17·1	18·3	21·0	18·6	14·8	14·7	9·5
	Whiting	7·3	5·2	5·2	6·3	5·2	3·6	6·7
	Other	7·7	7·5	8·8	9·2	8·4	7·5	5·1
Other kinds or mixed(3)		1·7	1·7	1·4	1·7	1·7	1·7	1·7
Pelagic:	Herring	40·0	37·9	33·3	24·9	18·1	16·2	17·8
	Other	3·9	3·6	2·4	3·2	3·1	2·5	3·5
Inshore fisheries(4)								
Total fish		12·8	14·3	10·5	9·3	13·6	9·6	9·9
Prime white		0·2	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3
Flat		1·3	1·3	1·2	1·2	1·0	0·8	0·9
Coarse round		0·8	0·8	1·0	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·8
Other round		2·7	2·5	2·5	1·8	1·8	2·0	1·8
Other kinds or mixed(3)		0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·3
Pelagic		7·6	9·2	5·3	5·0	9·5	5·5	5·8
Regions unknown								
Mixed fish(5)		25·7	25·1	20·7	21·2	19·7	19·9	16·0

(1) Excluding shell fish.
(2) Barents Sea, Murman coast, Norwegian coast, Bear Island, Spitsbergen, Iceland, Greenland West, Newfoundland, Greenland East and Labrador.
(3) Including roes.
(4) Figures relate to landings by fishing vessels under 40 feet registered length only.
(5) Mainly livers of fish.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Landings of fish of British taking: Value

England and Wales

TABLE 221

£ thousand

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total fish	35,356	33,156	31,254	32,944	34,348	35,612	35,690	37,267	36,917	38,144	36,777
Demersal and pelagic	34,470	32,278	30,318	32,011	33,317	34,587	34,612	36,198	35,860	37,064	35,642
Shell	880	874	931	933	1,031	1,025	1,078	1,069	1,057	1,080	1,135
Demersal fish											
Total	32,552	30,468	28,603	30,509	32,052	33,269	33,422	35,044	34,961	36,275	34,828
Prime white:											
Total	1,706	1,499	1,505	1,521	1,557	1,599	1,651	1,621	1,599	1,744	1,697
Sole	818	671	694	732	820	832	795	757	705	719	776
Halibut	516	499	467	423	389	392	504	549	550	629	504
Other	372	329	344	366	348	375	352	315	344	396	417
Flat:											
Total	3,650	3,383	3,342	3,697	4,295	4,260	4,188	4,491	4,789	4,726	4,589
Plaice	2,961	2,741	2,689	3,065	3,679	3,701	3,586	3,896	4,180	4,112	4,009
Lemon sole	328	367	427	374	370	335	377	373	396	422	433
Other	361	275	226	258	246	224	225	222	213	192	147
Coarse round:											
Total	2,359	2,418	2,262	2,362	2,352	2,402	2,521	2,833	2,604	2,610	2,352
Saithe (coalfish)	677	803	880	934	910	1,012	1,086	1,396	1,176	1,304	1,106
Skate and ray	970	857	800	834	800	780	788	781	765	725	714
Dogfish	453	437	344	344	378	329	345	313	327	283	223
Other	259	321	238	250	264	281	302	343	336	298	309
Other round:											
Total	23,902	22,351	20,776	22,213	23,114	24,303	24,416	25,425	25,344	26,549	25,619
Cod	15,097	14,474	13,271	14,373	15,291	16,704	16,700	17,675	17,877	17,784	16,686
Hake	2,829	2,602	2,562	2,347	2,080	2,017	1,891	1,918	1,633	1,618	1,511
Haddock	4,608	4,027	3,826	4,150	4,583	4,513	4,698	4,582	4,599	5,769	6,249
Whiting	580	541	434	484	394	390	357	376	399	432	374
Other	788	707	683	859	766	679	770	874	836	946	799
Other kinds or mixed	121	126	125	136	146	156	170	181	191	218	215
Livers and roes	814	691	593	580	588	549	476	493	434	428	356
Pelagic fish											
Total	1,918	1,809	1,715	1,502	1,265	1,318	1,190	1,154	899	789	814
Herring	1,618	1,500	1,453	1,298	1,000	995	991	909	668	583	595
Mackerel	130	121	101	93	93	71	84	86	79	70	89
Other	170	188	161	111	172	252	115	159	152	136	130
Shell fish											
Total	880	874	931	933	1,031	1,025	1,078	1,069	1,057	1,080	1,135
Crab	241	268	263	256	268	288	263	291	289	275	292
Lobster	123	124	140	157	193	203	237	239	232	239	293
Oyster	165	140	162	149	142	135	135	118	115	111	92
Shrimp	150	134	136	161	183	190	212	196	160	154	119
Other	201	208	230	210	245	209	231	225	261	301	339

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Landings of fish of British taking: Landed weight

Scotland

TABLE **222**

Thousand tons

		951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
From all fishing regions												
Total fish(¹)		244·2	305·4	320·6	298·9	307·3	287·1	293·8	292·4	303·2	259·5	240·5
Demersal fish:												
Prime white		4·2	3·3	2·6	2·4	2·4	2·2	2·4	2·5	2·4	2·2	2·1
Flat		10·5	11·0	11·1	10·8	11·5	11·0	11·1	11·6	12·3	12·2	12·4
Coarse round		9·6	9·0	8·7	10·8	11·4	15·7	17·0	17·3	16·1	16·4	17·4
Other round		119·4	125·5	130·9	134·8	148·9	154·9	171·8	166·5	150·0	134·3	132·6
Other kinds or mixed, roes, etc.		5·4	5·7	5·9	4·2	3·8	3·8	3·2	5·5	3·8	3·2	3·6
Pelagic fish:												
Herrings		89·8	138·4	151·1	130·4	120·3	95·1	82·4	82·0	110·9	88·1	68·0
Mackerel		3·7	3·8	2·2	2·9	2·4	2·1	2·4	2·6	3·4	2·5	3·2
Other		1·5	8·6	8·1	2·7	6·5	2·3	3·3	4·4	4·3	0·6	1·2
Distant water(²)												
Total fish		38·5	31·2	26·2	27·2	25·5	26·8	30·8	28·4	28·4	36·4	39·5
Prime white:	Halibut	2·9	2·1	1·7	1·4	1·3	1·2	1·3	1·5	1·4	1·5	1·4
Flat:	Lemon soles	0·9	0·7	0·4	0·5	0·4	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·7	0·9	0·9
	Other	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·8	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·6
Coarse round:	Saithe (coalfish)	2·1	1·3	1·0	0·6	1·0	1·2	0·8	1·3	1·4	1·9	2·2
	Skates and rays	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·4	0·4	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·4	0·7	0·6
	Other	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·2	0·5	0·4	0·6	0·6	0·8	1·1	1·4
Other round:	Cod	14·7	13·0	9·9	13·2	11·1	11·1	12·2	9·8	9·9	14·4	15·2
	Haddock	8·2	6·5	6·3	6·5	7·3	7·5	9·3	9·2	8·8	10·4	10·5
	Other	6·3	4·6	4·0	2·9	2·1	2·9	3·0	1·8	2·9	3·2	3·8
Other kinds or mixed, pelagic fish, roes, etc.		2·0	1·7	1·9	1·1	1·1	1·2	1·5	2·5	1·8	1·9	2·9
Other waters (including inshore)												
Total fish		205·6	274·2	294·4	271·7	281·8	260·3	263·0	264·0	274·8	223·1	201·0
Prime white:	Halibut	0·6	0·6	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·5	0·4	0·3
	Other	0·7	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·7	0·8	0·7	0·5	0·3	0·4
Flat:	Plaice	4·2	4·2	4·7	4·9	5·0	5·0	5·0	5·1	5·8	5·5	5·5
	Lemon soles	2·2	2·5	2·8	2·3	2·4	2·3	2·2	2·0	2·3	2·1	2·3
	Other	2·8	3·3	2·9	2·7	3·4	3·0	2·7	3·6	3·1	3·3	3·1
Coarse round:	Saithe (coalfish)	2·1	2·7	2·6	3·9	2·8	3·8	3·7	3·3	3·4	2·6	2·6
	Skates and rays	4·2	4·0	4·1	4·4	4·6	4·9	5·1	5·6	5·3	5·1	5·1
	Other	0·3	0·3	0·2	1·3	2·1	4·6	6·1	5·7	4·9	5·0	5·5
Other round:	Cod	16·0	22·7	26·5	27·7	25·6	25·2	31·6	32·1	32·4	25·9	23·7
	Hake	4·1	4·1	3·0	2·5	3·0	2·9	2·3	1·9	1·6	2·3	2·9
	Haddock	33·3	31·7	43·7	48·3	59·3	66·5	75·0	70·3	53·1	46·6	40·0
	Whiting	32·2	38·7	33·9	29·1	36·4	36·9	35·2	39·3	38·7	29·3	34·0
	Other	4·5	4·3	3·7	4·7	4·1	2·0	3·2	2·1	2·7	2·2	2·5
Other kinds or mixed, roes, etc.		3·4	3·9	4·1	3·1	2·8	2·7	1·7	3·0	2·8	2·0	2·1
Pelagic fish:	Herrings	89·8	138·4	151·1	130·4	120·3	95·1	82·4	82·0	110·0	87·4	66·6
	Mackerel	3·6	3·8	2·2	2·9	2·4	2·1	2·4	2·5	3·4	2·5	3·2
	Other	1·5	8·6	8·1	2·7	6·5	2·3	3·3	4·3	4·3	0·6	1·2

(¹) Excluding shell fish.

(²) Barents Sea, North West of Norway, Bear Island, Iceland, Greenland, Newfoundland, Faröes, Irish Sea, West of Ireland and Labrador.

Source: Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland

Landings of fish of British taking: Value

Scotland

TABLE 223

£ thousand

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total fish	11,155	11,728	10,976	11,613	11,665	12,400	13,451	14,546	15,311	14,745	14,648
Demersal and pelagic	10,859	11,419	10,678	11,239	11,197	11,890	12,868	13,880	14,502	13,794	13,493
Shell	296	310	298	375	468	509	583	666	809	951	1,155
Demersal fish											
Total	8,785	8,461	7,953	8,865	9,013	9,973	11,133	11,954	12,216	11,840	11,705
Prime white:											
Total	631	540	447	426	390	425	478	491	492	506	509
Halibut	555	483	382	358	311	333	385	390	416	448	433
Other	76	57	65	68	79	92	93	101	76	58	83
Flat:											
Total	1,174	1,163	1,083	1,157	1,232	1,354	1,329	1,254	1,489	1,473	1,471
Plaice	541	517	474	549	590	662	624	636	721	701	707
Lemon soles	454	456	443	437	433	481	501	457	526	532	590
Other	178	191	166	172	209	212	204	161	242	240	246
Coarse round:											
Total	328	307	286	379	400	598	638	640	634	687	740
Saithe (coalfish)	73	74	65	98	83	122	125	129	141	139	159
Skates and rays	246	220	214	236	247	290	303	321	298	334	330
Other	10	12	8	44	70	185	210	190	195	214	251
Other round:											
Total	6,470	6,280	5,964	6,778	6,883	7,483	8,573	9,447	9,492	9,086	8,880
Cod	1,655	1,737	1,740	2,121	1,897	1,917	2,515	2,642	2,843	2,970	2,890
Hake	509	489	363	327	379	416	383	296	272	331	380
Haddock	2,732	2,274	2,493	2,947	3,108	3,521	4,114	4,535	4,165	3,990	3,712
Whiting	1,356	1,604	1,215	1,188	1,315	1,500	1,411	1,682	2,014	1,600	1,662
Other	219	175	153	196	184	129	150	292	198	195	236
Other kinds or mixed, livers and roes	183	171	172	125	108	112	115	122	109	88	97
Pelagic fish											
Total	2,073	2,958	2,725	2,373	2,185	1,917	1,734	1,926	2,286	1,954	1,788
Herrings	2,010	2,845	2,622	2,300	2,095	1,850	1,640	1,807	2,169	1,882	1,702
Mackerel	50	50	37	48	48	49	61	70	74	65	73
Other	14	63	66	24	41	18	33	49	43	7	13
Shell fish											
Total	296	310	298	375	468	509	583	666	809	951	1,155
Lobsters	182	176	173	180	205	231	266	330	373	481	548
Other	114	134	125	195	263	278	317	336	436	470	607

Source: Department of Agriculture
and Fisheries for Scotland

Fishing fleet(1)

England and Wales

TABLE 224

At 31 December in each year

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total fishing vessels	6 845	4,851	4,827	4,698	4,533	4,526	4,833	4,828	4,836	4,762	4,834
Trawlers:											
Total	1,692	1.899	1,885	1,862	1,980	1,876	1,996	2,061	2,049	2,055	2,078
Steam: 15 gross tons and over	714	713	676	615	528	439	402	377	340	285	248
Motor: 15 gross tons and over	134	180	197	215	242	262	305	343	400	451	501
Under 15 gross tons	824	992	998	1,014	1,178	1.144	1,259	1,297	1,264	1,274	1,284
Sail: Under 15 net tons	20	14	14	18	32	31	30	44	45	45	45
Drifters:											
Total	278	135	122	100	51	55	58	65	63	62	57
Steam: 15 gross tons and over	78	71	59	42	31	22	14	11	9	5	—
Motor: 15 gross tons and over	14	4	1	3	2	2	3	2	4	4	3
Under 15 gross tons	165	54	56	49	17	30	37	44	42	45	46
Sail: Under 15 net tons	21	6	6	6	1	1	4	8	8	8	8
Line fishing vessels:											
Total	1,005	693	726	734	1,255	1,306	1,434	1,421	1,441	1,414	1,440
Steam. 15 gross tons and over	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Motor: 15 gross tons and over	23	34	56	92	94	91	96	95	109	105	102
Under 15 gross tons	982	657	669	641	1,161	1,215	1,338	1,326	1,332	1,309	1,338
Vessels with lines and drift nets combined:(2)											
Total	1,000	744	707	663	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Steam 15 gross tons and over	—	—	—	—							
Motor: 15 gross tons and over	65	45	—	—							
Under 15 gross tons	927	696	703	659							
Sail: Under 15 net tons but over 18ft. keel	8	3	4	4							
Other vessels											
Total	2,870	1 380	1,387	1,339	1,247	1,289	1,345	1,281	1,283	1,231	1,259
Steam: 15 gross tons and over	50	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Motor: 15 gross tons and over	204	144	156	144	150	174	184	195	207	215	222
Under 15 gross tons	1,910	1,065	1,066	1,040	967	996	1,045	961	943	887	906
Sail: 15 net tons and over	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Under 15 net tons but over 18ft. keel	41	36	35	32	24	20	20	22	25	24	24
Under 18ft. keel	662	132	129	122	105	99	96	103	108	105	107

(1) From 1952 figures refer only to vessels being used for fishing. Figures for 1951 include all fishing vessels for which records were kept by the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen.

(2) From 1955 vessels using more than one method of fishing are recorded under the main method employed during the year.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture. Fisheries and Food

Fishing fleet

Scotland

TABLE 225

At 30 November in each year

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961(2)
Total fishing vessels	5,019	4,764	4,493	3,667	3.458	3,304	3.225	3,174	3,136	3,121	3,069
Trawlers:											
Total	266	264	245	211	210	193	192	195	179	160	169
Steam	236	235	219	208	206	183	164	152	102	49	20
Motor	30	29	26	3	4	10	28	43	77	111	149
Drifters and line fishing vessels:											
Total	593	507	485	454	389	318	274	234	195	204	207
Steam drifters	91	54	38	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Steam line fishing vessels	25	19	21	17	11	4	3	1	—	—	—
Motor(1)	477	434	426	431	377	314	271	233	195	204	207
Inshore vessels:											
Total	4,160	3,993	3,763	3,002	2,859	2,793	2,759	2,745	2,762	2,757	2,693
Motor: Mainly white fish	1,989	1,954	1,840	1,628	1,569	1,588	1,621	1,617	1,647	1,620	1,496
Creel fishing	1,286	1,233	1,236	1,105	1,070	1,017	1,000	992	1,003	1,030	1,095
Sailing vessels	885	806	687	269	220	188	138	136	112	107	102

(1) Mainly herring fishing.

(2) At 31 December

Source: Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland

VII. DISTRIBUTION

Retail and other service establishments in 1950 and 1957(¹)

Number, turnover and persons engaged

TABLE 226

	1950			1957		
	Number of establishments	Turnover £ thousand	Number of persons engaged	Number of establishments	Turnover £ thousand	Number of persons engaged(²)
Total retail trade	579,813	5,099,979	2,407,572	573,988	7,798,317	2,568,886
Grocery and provision dealers	140 559	1,232,460	510,285	149,109	2,042,269	550,060
Other food retailers	143,896	1,005,582	550,775	126,777	1,564,745	501,633
Dairymen	10,231	195,382	78,593	7,534	322,921	72,314
Butchers	39,818	269,162	129,455	39,219	513,769	138,817
Fishmongers, poulterers	9,511	61,244	30,221	8,108	73,142	26,279
Greengrocers, fruiterers (including those selling fish)	43,954	193,142	114,962	39,515	270,451	108,093
Bread and flour confectioners	24,181	178,476	152,992	17,644	215,889	111,039
Off-licences	8,204	75,640	20,268	8,802	112,656	23,649
Other food shops	7,997	32,536	24,284	5,955	55,917	21,442
Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	74,613	503,316	254,335	77,440	703,022	285,169
Clothing and footwear	96,247	931,761	410,983	93,556	1,150,547	398,501
Boot and shoe shops	14 878	138,609	57,584	14,458	179,126	60,947
Men's wear shops	15,590	200,159	71,475	14,906	245,136	68,074
Women's wear, drapery and general clothing shops	65,779	592,993	281,924	64,192	726,285	269,480
Household goods	65,062	570,735	250,741	64,906	887,614	285,131
Furniture shops	18,376	274,660	97,467	18,867	341,090	99,845
Radio and/or electrical goods shops	10,153	85,414	43,657	12,037	233,824	66,556
Cycle and perambulator shops (including cycle and radio shops)	8,666	46,074	24,813	7,332	61,273	21,251
Ironmongers, hardware shops	25,413	125,750	73,366	24,050	188,935	78,173
Gas showrooms	1,347	22,875	6,035	1,363	29,727	6,979
Electricity showrooms	1,107	15,963	5,403	1,257	32,765	12,327
Other non-food retailers	57,771	384,782	231,794	58,487	577,887	238,159
Booksellers, stationers	10,483	71,987	54,992	6,875	89,575	37,778
Chemists, photographic dealers	18,209	167,078	86,904	18,129	269,845	96,182
Jewellery, leather and sports goods shops	15,946	86,046	46,843	17 220	134,586	55,860
Other non-food shops	13,133	59,671	43,055	16,263	83,880	48,339
General stores	1,665	471,343	198,659	3,713	872,233	310,233
Department stores	529	308,339	129,304	718	453,912	169,156
Variety and other general stores	1,136	163,003	69,355	2,995	418,321	141,077
Service trades						
Boot and shoe repairers	18,467	18,983	34,199	14,458	22,590	28,265
Hairdressers	33,113	38,153	84,232	34,458	62,495	102,273

Source: Board of Trade

(¹) The 1957 Census of Distribution covered retail trade, boot and shoe repairing and hairdressing. More detailed figures for 1957 and an explanation of the methods used in classifying by kinds of business are given in the *Report on the Census of Distribution and Other Services*, 1957.

The wholesale trade, non-residential catering and the motor trades, which were included in the 1950 census, were not covered in 1957. For statistics relating to these trades reference should be made to *Census of Distribution and Other Services*, 1950: *Volume I, Retail and Service Trades.—Area Tables: Volume II, Retail and Service Trades—General Tables: Volume III, Wholesale Trades.*

The figures for the retail trade relate only to retail establishments, i.e., shops or other establishments from which goods are sold. Particulars of the central offices and warehouses of multiple organisations and co-operative societies are not included. A retail establishment is any separate retail selling point; in addition to ordinary retail shops, whether independent shops or branches of larger organisations, the term covers, e.g., market stalls, kiosks in cinemas, mail order houses, distributing depots from which roundsmen work, travelling shops and credit traders working a round, hawkers, pedlars and other itinerant traders.

(²) "Persons engaged" includes all persons who worked in the business in the week ended October 26, 1957, including those temporarily absent through sickness or holidays. All working proprietors and members of the owner's family who worked in the business are included as well as paid employees. Directors paid by fee only are excluded. Part-time workers are included, however short the period for which they worked during the week.

Retail trade: Index numbers of value and volume(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE 227

	Sales in 1957 £ million	Weekly average 1957=100			
		1958	1959	1960	1961
Value					
All kinds of business: total all retailers	7,637	103	107	111	115
Independent retailers	4,493	102	104	107	111
Multiple retailers	1,874	106	116	122	129
Co-operative societies	890	102	104	106	107
General department stores	381	103	109	116	122
Food shops: total all retailers	3,619	103	106	109	113
Independent retailers	2,149	102	104	106	109
Multiple retailers	751	107	114	123	133
Co-operative societies	719	102	103	104	105
Grocers	2,048	103	107	110	114
Butchers	519	102	102	107	108
Greengrocers, fruiterers	272	104	104	103	111
Fishmongers, poulterers	73	105	107	112	115
Bread and flour confectioners	218	104	106	111	117
Off-licences	112	104	107	112	121
Dairymen	324	102	105	109	116
Other food shops	53	104	109	111	110
Non-food shops: total all retailers	4,018	103	108	113	117
Clothing and footwear shops: total all retailers	1,188	100	104	113	117
Independent retailers	634	99	101	107	110
Multiple retailers	461	102	110	122	127
Co-operative societies	94	100	100	106	109
Footwear shops	187	102	107	118	122
Men's wear shops	255	98	103	112	116
Women's wear shops	746	101	104	112	116
Durable goods shops: total all retailers	739	105	118	112	112
Independent retailers	478	101	107	105	106
Multiple retailers	198	115	143	124	123
Co-operative societies	63	109	122	122	123
Furniture shops(²)	324	105	116	112	115
Other durable goods shops(²)	352	104	118	109	107
Radio, electrical, cycle and perambulator shops	290	100	108	99	97
Electricity showrooms	33	123	177	158	159
Gas showrooms	30	122	157	148	150
Miscellaneous non-food shops(³)	1,710	104	107	113	119
Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	699	102	102	106	111
Booksellers, stationers(⁴)	69	106	109	117	123
Chemists, photographic goods dealers(⁵)	205	103	109	115	124
Jewellers	71	102	109	118	124
Leather goods, sports goods, toys and fancy goods shops	63	102	106	114	119
Ironmongers and hardware shops(²)	184	104	106	108	111
		Index of volume at average 1957 prices			
Volume					
All kinds of business	100	101	105	108	111
Food shops	100	100	101	105	107
Non-food shops	100	102	109	112	113

(¹) Descriptions of the series were published in the *Board of Trade Journal* for 10th February, 1961.
(²) Excluding Co-operative societies. (³) Including sales of variety and other general stores.
(⁴) Including only independent retailers. (⁵) Excluding receipts under the National Health Service.

Source: Board of Trade

VIII. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS

Public roads in Great Britain

TABLE **228**

At 31 March(¹)

Miles

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	179,630	185,523	186,261	187,040	188,095	189,037	190,151	191,146	193,072	194,180	195,217
Trunk and other classified roads:											
Trunk(²)	4,459	8,248	8,254	8,270	8,270	8,270	8,271	8,309	8,334	8,438	8,468
Class I	22,800	19,563	19,551	19,585	19,606	19,670	19,736	19,706	19,735	19,738	19,747
Class II	17,037	17,691	17,700	17,690	17,696	17,646	17,605	17,603	17,595	17,606	17,620
Class III	135,334	48,678	48,693	48,721	48,781	48,818	48,849	48,853	48,875	48,913	48,927
Unclassified roads		91,343	92,063	92,774	93,742	94,633	95,690	96,675	98,533	99,485	100,455

(¹) In Scotland after 1955, as at 15 May.

(²) Main traffic arteries for which the Minister of Transport or the Secretary of State for Scotland is the highway authority. The whole cost of construction and repair is borne by central funds.

Source: Ministry of Transport and Scottish Development Department

Spending on public roads(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE **229**

Years ended 31 March(²)

£ thousand

	1939	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	58,284	81,516	86,028	90,335	100,197	111,136	121,917	136,717	165,998	188,068	196,075
Trunk	4,231	9,036	9,763	9,589	11,092	13,020	17,709	22,026	41,659	50,417	47,542
Class I	17,702	17,106	18,354	19,421	21,626	23,657	26,653	31,857	38,091	43,849	47,153
Class II	6,333	7,188	7,974	8,545	9,451	10,577	11,235	11,800	11,894	13,063	14,731
Class III	20,710	11,340	12,344	13,286	14,378	16,487	16,799	17,484	17,401	18,540	20,405
Unclassified		18,557	18,294	19,211	20,588	23,178	25,646	26,393	28,870	31,464	35,526
Cleansing, administration, etc.	9,308	18,289	19,299	20,283	23,062	24,217	23,874	27,157	28,083	30,735	30,720
Trunk											
Total	4,231	9,036	9,763	9,589	11,092	13,020	17,709	22,026	41,659	50,417	47,542
New construction and major improvement	1,504	1,818	1,820	1,687	1,963	3,121	7,709	11,112	31,014	39,216	36,244
Maintenance and minor improvement(³)	2,727	7,218	7,943	7,902	9,129	9,899	10,000	10,914	10,645	11,201	11,298
Other classified and unclassified roads											
New construction and major improvement:											
Total	15,873	4,283	4,307	5,975	7,004	9,972	14,264	18,313	26,357	33,407	39,193
Class I	8,839	2,041	2,095	3,302	3,943	5,230	7,871	11,999	19,543	23,936	26,531
Class II	1,948	528	340	724	865	1,360	1,959	2,037	2,127	3,003	3,859
Class III	5,086	443	551	766	869	1,436	1,730	1,893	1,845	2,557	2,914
Unclassified		1,271	1,321	1,183	1,327	1,946	2,704	2,384	2,842	3,911	5,889
Maintenance and minor improvement:											
Total	28,872	49,908	52,659	54,488	59,039	63,927	66,069	69,221	69,899	73,509	78,620
Class I	8,863	15,065	16,259	16,119	17,683	18,427	18,782	19,858	18,548	19,913	20,621
Class II	4,385	6,660	7,634	7,821	8,586	9,217	9,276	9,763	9,767	10,060	10,872
Class III	15,624	10,897	11,793	12,520	13,509	15,051	15,069	15,591	15,556	15,983	17,491
Unclassified		17,286	16,973	18,028	19,261	21,232	22,942	24,009	26,028	27,553	29,636
All roads											
Cleansing, administration, etc.(⁴)	9,308	18,289	19,299	20,283	23,062	24,217	23,874	27,157	28,083	30,735	30,720

(¹) Figures for trunk roads for 1939 represent claims for payment met by the Ministry of Transport during that year. Figures for other roads and for cleansing, administration, etc., and for all other years for trunk roads are of expenditure during the year. The figures are based on returns from local highway authorities. Since the return is made within a short period after the close of the financial year, in many cases estimates have been used. Because of this and certain differences in coverage, the figures of total expenditure on highways are less (by about 5 per cent.) than those derived from epitomes of accounts of local authorities and published in *Local Government Financial Statistics* (H.M.S.O.).

(²) In Scotland after 1955, years ended 15 May.

(³) Figure for 1939 includes cleansing, administration, etc. on trunk roads.

(⁴) Figure for 1939 excludes cleansing, administration, etc. on trunk roads.

Source: Ministry of Transport and Scottish Development Department

Vehicles with licences current(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 230

Thousands

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	3,094	4,904	5,286	5,775	6,412	6,920	7,427	7,904	8,608	9,384	9,907
Private cars, etc	1,944	2,508	2,762	3,100	3,526	3,888	4,187	4,549	4,966	5,526	5,979
Motor cycles, etc.:											
Total	462	949	1,037	1,139	1,256	1,326	1,471	1,520	1,733	1,861	1,869
Bicycles:											
Up to 50 c.c.(2)	444	121	155	192	228	247	284	273	347	388	396
Other		801	855	916	993	1,043	1,148	1,202	1,331	1,407	1,394
Tricycles	19	18	19	21	25	26	30	35	46	57	70
Pedestrian controlled vehicles	—	9	9	10	10	10	10	9	9	9	8
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	97	136	119	110	105	102	99	97	95	94	92
Buses, coaches, taxis, etc.:											
Not over 8 seats	35	52	36	28	24	21	19	17	15	14	13
Over 8 seats	50	76	76	75	75	75	75	75	75	76	76
Trolleybuses	3	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	2
Tramcars	9	4	3	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	—
Goods vehicles:											
Total	497	968	1,000	1,037	1,114	1,179	1,221	1,274	1,332	1,403	1,457
General haulage vehicles:											
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	203	418	451	479	534	586	625	668	711	757	793
Over 1½ tons and not over 3	236	407	402	399	406	405	391	374	359	348	330
Over 3 tons	39	88	93	103	118	136	150	174	203	237	272
Agricultural vans and lorries(3)	13	45	44	45	45	46	49	52	53	55	56
Showmen's goods vehicles and tractors(4)	3	4	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Local authorities' watering vehicles(4)	1	2	2	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
General haulage tractors	2	4	4	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc.(5)	29	305	327	346	368	379	400	414	432	443	452
Vehicles exempt from licence duty(6):											
Total	64	38	41	43	43	46	49	50	50	57	58
Owned by Government authorities(7)	47	—	1	2	—	1	1	1	1	1	—
Other:											
Ambulances	4	6	6	6	6	6	7	7	7	7	15
Fire engines	3	7	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	8	
Other	11	25	27	28	30	31	34	35	35	41	44

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(1) Licences current at any time during the September quarter. From 1961 the census is on a sample basis.

(2) Before 1958, up to 60 c.c.

(3) Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm.

(4) After 1955, showmen's goods vehicles and local authorities' watering vehicles are included with general haulage vehicles and showmen's tractors are included with general haulage tractors.

(5) Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on the public roads.

(6) Vehicles operating under defence permits are excluded throughout.

(7) Except in 1938, excluding most vehicles operated by Government authorities and run under the scheme for Crown vehicles. These numbered 59,334 in 1961.

Source: Ministry of Transport

New vehicle registrations

Great Britain

TABLE 231

Number

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	419,854	455,843	583,506	718,328	906,685	750,758	836,731	981,569	1,253,002	1,369,386	1,259,162
Cars, etc.:											
Total	..	188,423	295,795	387,281	502,265	400,928	426,463	556,448	646,808	806,618	744,409
Private cars, etc.	274,355	187,616	295,073	386,386	500,857	399,675	425,355	555,297	645,617	805,017	742,803
Exempt from licence duty	..	807	722	895	1,408	1,253	1,108	1,151	1,191	1,601	1,606
Motor cycles etc.:											
Total	..	135,862	141,404	168,725	191,927	147,921	212,795	191,262	349,774	273,854	225,002
Bicycles:											
Up to 50c.c. (1)	44,344	46,754	44,928	54,887	42,695	41,169	48,542	45,700	114,929	74,530	59,738
Other		85,722	93,686	109,377	142,535	101,602	157,523	137,004	216,877	182,219	152,613
Tricycles	895	1,780	1,676	3,564	5,395	3,843	6,169	7,789	17,273	16,174	11,765
Pedestrian controlled vehicles	—	869	776	767	653	439	300	211	206	271	202
Exempt from licence duty	..	737	338	130	649	868	261	558	489	660	684
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	8,749	5,388	5,012	5,547	5,615	5,100	5,042	4,974	5,101	6,372	6,100
Buses, coaches, taxis, etc.:											
Not over 8 seats	2,671	529	879	1,285	1,781	946	1,310	958	591	1,496	862
Over 8 seats	5,366	4,787	4,073	4,257	3,751	4,119	3,712	3,921	4,482	4,868	5,232
Trolleybuses	712	72	60	5	83	35	20	95	28	8	6
Goods vehicles:											
Total	..	87,709	102,243	115,300	161,636	157,044	145,584	177,303	196,985	232,150	228,868
General haulage vehicles:											
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	62,916	49,082	60,250	67,113	99,590	95,469	93,246	115,399	123,872	142,280	140,741
Over 1½ tons and not over 3		22,871	24,852	28,244	35,548	31,696	22,737	24,918	25,969	30,089	27,006
Over 3 tons	3,479	8,326	10,668	12,298	15,854	18,169	20,857	26,860	36,970	47,798	47,073
Agricultural vans and lorries (2)	1,040	1,541	1,437	1,864	2,636	2,745	3,693	5,363	4,914	5,698	5,351
Showmen's goods vehicles and tractors	4	57	72	77	90	104	31	37	37	10	11
Local authorities' watering vehicles	123	280	319	242	273	287	268	251	257	194	216
General haulage tractors	231	494	481	578	543	522	503	571	653	624	577
Exempt from licence duty	..	5,058	4,164	4,884	7,102	8,052	4,249	3,904	4,313	5,457	7,893
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc. (3):											
Total	..	34,433	35,314	37,240	41,231	33,822	41,543	48,696	50,853	43,933	48,092
Privately owned	7,125	32,565	33,481	35,167	39,206	31,851	39,813	47,164	49,029	42,464	46,374
Exempt from licence duty	..	1,868	1,833	2,073	2,025	1,971	1,730	1,532	1,824	1,469	1,718
Other vehicles exempt from licence duty:											
Total	16,593(4)	4,028	3,738	4,235	4,011	5,943	5,304	2,886	3,481	6,459	6,691
Ambulances	400	618	656	531	538	701	639	606	624	754	931
Fire engines	271	468	584	1,431	803	1,467	809	391	666	612	595
Road construction (5)	469	687	810	1,014	1,201	1,228	1,316	1,465	1,962	2,361	2,563
Other	372	2,255	1,688	1,259	1,469	2,547	2,540	424	229	2,732	2,602

Source: Ministry of Transport

(1) Before 1958, up to 60 c.c.

(2) Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm.

(3) Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on the public roads.

(4) Including 15,081 vehicles owned by Government authorities. In later years these vehicles are included with other exempt vehicles under the appropriate headings.

(5) Including road rollers.

Public road passenger vehicles

Great Britain

TABLE 232

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of vehicles (end of year)	83,034	81,407	80,643	80,431	79,907	79,058	77,923	77,093	77,324	77,777
Buses and coaches	76,148	74,990	74,611	74,572	74,771	74,306	73,462	73,559	74,475	75,660
Single deck	41,505	40,211	39,355	38,926	38,288	37,262	36,457	36,183	36,507	36,621
Double deck	34,643	34,779	35,256	35,646	36,483	37,044	37,005	37,376	37,968	39,039
British Transport Commission:										
Total	23,334	22,934	22,879	22,371	22,125	22,160	21,559	21,407	21,754	22,292
London Transport Executive	8,992	8,466	8,404	7,983	7,793	7,742	7,363	7,371	7,743	7,773
Provincial and Scottish services	14,342	14,468	14,475	14,388	14,332	14,418	14,196	14.036	14,011	14,519
Other operators										
Total	52,814	52,056	51,732	52,201	52,646	52,146	51,903	52,152	52,721	53,368
Local authorities	14,375	14,375	14,567	14,963	15,479	15,776	15,989	16,292	16,405	16,630
Others	38,439	37,681	37,165	37,238	37,167	36,370	35,914	35,860	36,316	36,738
Trolleybuses	3,979	3,857	3,765	3,716	3,506	3,438	3,364	2,862	2,409	1,784
British Transport Commission:										
Total	1,854	1,808	1,775	1,775	1,624	1,595	1,545	1,124	723	221
London Transport Executive	1,811	1,797	1,764	1,764	1,614	1,585	1,536	1,124	723	221
Provincial services	43	11	11	11	10	10	9	—	—	—
Other operators	2,125	2,049	1,990	1,941	1,882	1,843	1,819	1,738	1,686	1,563
Tramcars	2,907	2,560	2,267	2,143	1,630	1,314	1,097	672	440	333
London Transport Executive	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other operators	2,907	2,560	2,267	2,143	1,630	1,314	1,097	672	440	333
Vehicle miles (Millions)	2,530	2,522	2,499	2,508	2,512	2,406	2,348	2,368	2,358	2,377
Buses and coaches	2,285	2,296	2,288	2,313	2,331	2,238	2,198	2,238	2,257	2,302
British Transport Commission:										
Total	898	901	894	888	898	849	818	840	843	862
London Transport Executive	350	350	339	325	325	319	269	291	293	312
Provincial and Scottish Services	548	550	554	562	573	530	550	549	550	550
Other operators:										
Total	1,388	1,395	1,395	1,425	1,432	1,388	1,380	1,399	1,414	1,440
Local authorities	432	441	454	468	484	499	478	493	509	510
Others	955	954	940	957	948	890	902	906	906	929
Trolleybuses	150	147	141	133	130	127	116	108	88	66
British Transport Commission:										
Total	77	75	72	66	64	63	53	49	32	15
London Transport Executive	75	74	71	65	64	63	52	49	32	15
Provincial services	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other operators	73	72	70	68	66	64	63	59	56	51
Tramcars	94	80	70	62	51	40	34	22	13	9
London Transport Executive	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other operators	90	80	70	62	51	40	34	22	13	9

Source: Ministry of Transport

Public road passenger transport

Great Britain

TABLE **233**

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Passenger journeys (Millions)	16,336	16,063	15,936	15,887	15,394	14,710	13,831	13,938	13,681	13,402
Buses and coaches	13,346	13,324	13,397	13,520	13,283	12,796	12,197	12,498	12,534	12,542
British Transport Commission:										
Total	5,266	5,267	5,166	5,130	4,964	4,735	4,242	4,513	4,502	4,554
London Transport Executive	2,918	2,909	2,779	2,720	2,589	2,513	2,007	2,280	2,281	2,377
Provincial and Scottish services	2,348	2,358	2,387	2,410	2,375	2,222	2,236	2,232	2,221	2,177
Other operators:										
Total	8,080	8,058	8,231	8,390	8,319	8,061	7,955	7,984	8,031	7,988
Local authorities	4,565	4,580	4,722	4,832	4,875	4,813	4,751	4,801	4,861	4,833
Others	3,515	3,478	3,509	3,558	3,445	3,248	3,204	3,184	3,171	3,155
Trolleybuses	1,783	1,726	1,663	1,598	1,504	1,437	1,257	1,193	990	756
British Transport Commission:										
Total	784	757	723	690	637	609	482	476	312	145
London Transport Executive	764	747	717	684	631	604	477	475	312	145
Provincial services	20	10	6	6	6	5	5	1	—	—
Other operators	999	969	941	908	867	828	775	717	678	611
Tramcars	1,207	1,013	875	769	607	476	377	247	157	104
London Transport Executive	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other operators	1,178	1,013	875	769	607	476	377	247	157	104
Passenger receipts (£ million)	250·2	260·7	262·2	276·8	289·1	301·7	297·8	305·5	315·1	329·4
Buses and coaches	220·6	231·4	234·3	249·1	261·8	274·1	273·5	283·5	296·8	315·4
British Transport Commission:										
Total	87·0	91·0	92·6	98·1	102·9	106·5	100·0	107·4	112·9	121·9
London Transport Executive	39·2	40·9	41·5	43·7	46·0	48·9	40·1	46·5	50·6	56·1
Provincial and Scottish services	47·8	50·1	51·0	54·4	56·9	57·6	59·8	60·8	62·2	65·8
Other operators:										
Total	133·6	140·4	141·7	151·0	158·9	167·6	173·4	176·2	183·9	193·4
Local authorities	49·3	53·1	55·5	59·3	63·9	70·7	74·4	75·9	79·8	83·2
Others	84·2	87·2	86·2	91·7	95·0	96·9	99·0	100·3	104·1	110·2
Trolleybuses	18·2	18·5	18·5	18·7	19·4	20·4	18·6	18·2	15·6	12·2
British Transport Commission:										
Total	9·3	9·3	9·4	9·6	9·9	10·5	8·5	8·6	6·2	3·1
London Transport Executive	9·1	9·2	9·3	9·5	9·9	10·4	8·5	8·6	6·2	3·1
Provincial services	0·2	0·1	—	—	—	0·1	0·1	—	—	—
Other operators	8·9	9·2	9·1	9·1	9·5	9·9	10·1	9·6	9·4	9·1
Tramcars	11·4	10·8	9·4	9·0	7·9	7·1	5·7	3·8	2·6	1·8
London Transport Executive	0·3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other operators	11·1	10·8	9·4	9·0	7·9	7·1	5·7	3·8	2·6	1·8

Source: Ministry of Transport

Road goods vehicles and operators(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 234

End of year

Thousands

	1938 30 June	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Vehicles(2)										
Total	513·1	1,023·9	1,058·2	1,103·2	1,166·5	1,242·2	1,272·9	1,313·2	1,386·8	1,439·0
Under A and Special A licences(3)	83·7	89·3	88·9	84·4	88·9	89·7	88·5	87·4	88·4	88·0
Under Contract A licences( )	9·5	9·5	10·3	14·2	17·1	18·9	20·4	22·4	25·9	27·4
Under B licences(5)	54·9	58·8	59·2	60·4	62·3	63·4	64·7	65·5	68·1	69·8
Under C licences(6)	365·0	866·3	899·8	944·2	998·2	1,070·2	1,099·3	1,137·9	1,204·4	1,253·8
Operators(7)										
With A licences	23·0	12·4	12·4	12·9	12·9	13·0	13·3	14·0	14·7	15·3
With Special A licences	—	—	2·5	4·4	5·0	5·1	4·9	2·9	1·2	—
With Contract A licences	4·0	5·2	5·7	7·1	8·3	8·7	9·5	10·4	11·8	12·9
With B licences	34·1	31·2	29·2	32·2	32·7	33·1	33·6	33·6	34·0	34·7
With C licences	178·3	432·0	455·0	470·9	494·9	539·2	547·4	558·0	565·3	573·6

Source: Ministry of Transport

(1) Carrier's licence figures.
(2) The series 1953-1961 for A, Contract A and B licences was revised during 1961.
(3) May only be used for the carriage of goods for hire or reward.
(4) May only be used under a contract made for the carriage of another person's goods.
(5) May be used for the carriage of goods in the holders' own business and, subject to restrictions, for the carriage of goods for hire or reward.
(6) May only be used for the carriage of goods in the holder's own business.
(7) These statistics are of licence holders; a person who holds more than one type of licence is included under each type of licence.

Road goods vehicles(1): Number and estimated annual work

Great Britain

TABLE 235

Number

	Total	C licence	Total A and B licence and B.T.C. in 1952	A licence	Contract A licence	B licence	British Transport Commission
1952							
Total vehicles(2)	997,400	836,000	161,400	39,000	9,700	58,700	54,000
Vehicle miles (Millions)(4)	10,969	8,347	2,622	671	224	834	893
Tonnage carried (Millions)(4)	904	540	364	86	44	146	88
Ton mileage (Thousand million)(4)	18·8	10·4	8·4	1·7	0·7	1·9	4·1
1958							
Total vehicles(2)	1,272,900	1,099,300	173,600	88,500	20,400	64,700	
1961							
Total vehicles(2)	1,438,969	1,253,785	185,184	87,952	27,448	69,784	
Unladen weight(3): Over ... Not over							
12 cwt.	62,039	61,847	192	22	28	142	
12 cwt. ... 1 ton	513,814	509,743	4,071	492	366	3,213	
1 ton ... 1½ tons	221,760	215,892	5,868	2,430	306	3,132	
1½ tons ... 2 tons	98,841	93,228	5,613	2,750	490	2,373	
2 tons ... 2½ tons	120,612	103,441	17,171	7,650	1,253	8,268	
2½ tons ... 3 tons	172,330	125,489	46,841	22,137	4,594	20,110	
3 tons ... 4 tons	145,091	86,124	58,967	26,156	9,532	23,279	
4 tons ... 5 tons	52,014	29,583	22,431	11,459	4,805	6,167	
5 tons ... 6 tons	20,218	12,181	8,037	4,996	1,868	1,173	
6 tons ... 7 tons	9,887	5,444	4,443	2,846	1,028	569	
7 tons ... 8 tons	11,316	4,621	6,695	4,916	1,169	610	
8 tons ... 9 tons	5,652	2,963	2,689	1,237	971	481	
9 tons ... 10 tons	3,841	2,261	1,580	543	856	181	
10 tons	1,554	968	586	318	182	86	

Source: Ministry of Transport

(1) Carrier's licence figures except British Transport Commission in 1952. B.T.C. service vehicles are included under C licences throughout, and revenue earning vehicles are incorporated in the totals of the respective licence categories after 1952.
(2) End of year.
(3) Excluding trailers other than semi-trailers.
(4) Estimated from sample enquiries conducted during one week in September 1952. Estimates based on a sample enquiry conducted during one week in April 1958 give the yearly total of tonnage carried as 1,000 millions and the ton mileage as 23.1 thousand million.

Casualties in road accidents

Great Britain

TABLE 236

Number

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total casualties	233,359	208,012	226,770	238,281	267,922	267,960	273,858	299,767	333,453	347,551	349,767
Children under 15(1)	..	40,927	44,246	44,133	48,710	47,009	45,330	49,863	51,688	53,667	55,212
Adults, 15 and over	..	167,085	182,524	194,148	219,212	220,951	228,528	249,904	281,765	293,884	294,555
Deaths(2): Total	6,648	4,706	5,090	5,010	5,526	5,367	5,550	5,970	6,520	6,970	6,908
Pedestrians:											
Under 15	870	611	602	511	578	534	446	485	465	522	534
15 and over	2,176	1,452	1,631	1,715	1,709	1,736	1,779	1,923	2,055	2,186	2,183
Pedal cyclists:											
Under 15	205	118	126	105	124	119	116	136	146	124	142
15 and over	1,196	625	594	591	584	531	547	532	592	555	503
Moped riders(1)(3)	..	..	..	41	60	46	47	42	88	103	104
Motor scooter riders(1)(4)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	168	243	209
Passengers (pillion)(4):											
Under 15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	—	1
15 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41	35	37
Motor cycle riders(1)	989	957	1,048	926	1,086	1,028	1,157	1,162	1,128	1,108	975
Passengers (sidecar or pillion):											
Under 15	156	3	6	4	8	2	11	10	12	9	8
15 and over		182	183	177	208	174	210	207	242	245	210
Other drivers(1)	339	301	391	409	523	533	529	686	730	866	948
Passengers:											
Under 15	717	53	63	40	54	62	56	83	55	91	79
15 and over		404	446	491	592	602	652	704	797	883	975
Persons injured: Total	226,711	203,306	221,680	233,271	262,396	262,593	268,308	293,797	326,933	340,581	342,859
Seriously injured(5): Total	50,782	50,351	56,522	57,201	62,106	61,455	63,706	69,166	80,672	84,443	84,936
Pedestrians:											
Under 15	6,020	5,495	6,147	6,031	6,189	5,952	5,632	6,155	6,429	7,266	7,788
15 and over	10,340	8,446	9,395	10,061	10,109	9,801	10,151	10,344	11,768	12,565	12,092
Pedal cyclists:											
Under 15	2,070	2,051	2,295	2,100	2,425	2,250	2,345	2,654	2,807	2,778	2,733
15 and over	11,449	8,475	8,879	8,315	8,049	7,429	7,634	7,529	7,778	6,974	6,479
Moped riders(1)(3)	..	..	..	828	786	767	795	777	1,369	1,591	1,512
Motor scooter riders(1)(4)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,000	4,845	5,108
Passengers (pillion) (4):											
Under 15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	36	32
15 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	802	962	1,032
Motor cycle riders(1)	20,903	10,781	12,713	12,240	13,959	14,444	15,710	16,797	17,057	16,356	15,090
Passengers (sidecar or pillion):											
Under 15		93	111	139	146	168	141	152	194	172	178
15 and over		2,440	2,755	2,640	3,104	2,814	3,159	3,190	3,546	3,368	3,133
Other drivers(1)		4,352	5,119	5,663	6,808	7,048	7,042	8,999	10,452	11,916	13,115
Passengers:											
Under 15		980	1,128	1,090	1,182	1,210	1,169	1,362	1,442	1,579	1,621
15 and over		7,238	7,980	8,094	9,349	9,572	9,928	11,207	13,014	14,035	15,023
Slightly injured(6): Total	175,929	152,955	165,158	176,070	200,290	201,138	204,602	224,631	246,261	256,138	257,923
Pedestrians:											
Under 15	24,700	17,828	19,222	19,444	20,677	19,602	18,125	19,629	19,822	21,473	22,280
15 and over	33,133	20,671	21,556	23,619	24,635	24,064	23,663	24,691	27,141	28,202	27,422
Pedal cyclists:											
Under 15	8,370	8,121	8,613	8,510	10,066	9,576	9,846	10,908	11,660	10,993	10,843
15 and over	43,838	27,854	29,111	29,674	31,199	29,264	29,257	29,937	29,087	26,309	23,915
Moped riders(1)(3)	..	..	..	2,284	2,461	2,283	2,187	2,179	3,974	4,434	4,311
Motor scooter riders(1)(4)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,961	16,709	17,097
Passengers (pillion)(4):											
Under 15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	101	132	172
15 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,199	3,975	3,984
Motor cycle riders(1)	65,888	21,361	25,087	25,308	31,977	32,747	37,792	41,822	36,484	35,368	32,836
Passengers (sidecar or pillion):											
Under 15		476	543	585	730	693	739	768	754	637	646
15 and over		6,351	6,992	7,359	9,077	8,717	9,714	10,275	9,535	8,914	8,627
Other drivers(1)		15,217	16,927	20,384	24,396	26,181	25,682	31,452	34,554	39,370	41,889
Passengers:											
Under 15		5,067	5,358	5,549	6,491	6,801	6,660	7,479	7,703	7,750	8,036
15 and over		30,009	31,749	33,354	38,581	41,210	40,937	45,491	48,286	51,872	55,865

(1) These figures include a small number of riders and drivers under 15 years of age.

(2) From 1954 persons who died more than 30 dzys after an accident are included under "Persons injured". Before 1954 no period was specified.

(3) Before 1954, moped rider casualties were classed as "motor cycle riders".

(4) Before 1959, motor scooter rider and passenger casualties were classed as "motor cycle riders" and "passengers (sidecar or pillion)" respectively.

(5) Mainly injuries involving detention in hospital.

(6) Mainly injuries requiring medical treatment, but not involving detention in hospital.

Source: Ministry of Transport and Scottish Development Department

ROAD TRANSPORT

Vehicles with licences current(1)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 237

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	109,001	117,498	127,886	141,985	157,960	172,333	180,612	189,784	212,555	227,292	242,414
Private cars, etc.	52,829	56,584	63,135	73,322	83,542	92,605	95,807	102,491	114,736	124,633	135,264
Cycles and tricycles	11,233	13,350	15,502	17,939	21,011	23,072	25,658	26,248	31,193	33,125	32,832
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	3,127	3,200	2,853	2,612	2,444	2,309	2,192	2,081	2,028	2,037	2,112
Taxis	1,552	1,510	1,201	1,034	861	766	650	565	520	471	485
Buses, coaches, etc.	1,355	1,494	1,516	1,556	1,583	1,543	1,542	1,516	1,508	1,566	1,627
Tramcars	220	196	136	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Goods vehicles:											
Total	21,067	22,315	22,966	23,610	25,238	27,378	29,173	29,931	33,409	35,547	39,251
General haulage vehicles:											
Total	19,860	21,044	21,667	22,261	23,885	25,939	27,637	28,921	32,078	34,100	37,541
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	8,812	9,779	10,293	10,762	11,860	13,226	15,162	16,010	18,436	19,918	22,741
Over 1½ tons and not over 3	9,248	9,391	9,327	9,252	9,457	9,730	9,130	8,983	9,032	9,040	8,839
Over 3 tons	1,800	1,874	2,047	2,247	2,568	2,983	3,345	3,928	4,610	5,142	5,961
Agricultural vans and lorries(2)	1,127	1,185	1,224	1,262	1,261	1,338	1,416	901	1,161	1,289	1,566
Tractors for general haulage	80	86	75	87	92	91	108	103	164	151	135
Dumpers(3)	—	—	—	—	—	10	12	6	6	7	9
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc.(4)	19,063	19,472	20,758	21,770	22,867	23,968	25,055	25,937	27,824	28,557	29,320
Vehicles exempt from duty:											
Total	1,682	2,577	2,672	2,732	2,858	3,001	2,727	3,096	3,365	3,393	3,635
Owned by Government authorities	630	1,404	1,456	1,470	1,586	1,662	1,396	1,748	1,944	2,043	2,169
Other:											
Ambulances	133	156	148	153	157	158	172	176	182	180	175
Fire engines(5)	107	111	139	144	112	118	105	103	123	117	120
Other	812	906	929	965	1,003	1,063	1,054	1,069	1,116	1,053	1,171

Source: Ministry of Commerce

(1) Licences current at any time during the September quarter.
(2) Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm.
(3) Taxed at £13 flat rate; at £15 since May 1961.
(4) Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on the public roads.
(5) Including National Fire Service vehicles.

New vehicle registrations

Northern Ireland

TABLE 238

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	8,265	8,983	12,728	16,077	19,452	15,334	17,163	20,658	25,442	28,203	25,318
Private cars, etc.	2,185	3,421	6,281	7,976	10,563	7,667	7,816	11,022	11,698	15,071	13,253
Cycles and tricycles	2,164	2,083	2,574	3,778	4,011	3,175	4,165	3,225	6,329	5,201	3,448
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	122	44	117	46	24	83	88	12	27	73	84
Taxis	67	5	14	14	11	11	8	2	1	7	14
Buses, coaches, etc.	55	39	102	9	13	72	80	9	26	66	70
Trolleybuses	—	—	1	23	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Goods vehicles:											
Total	1,857	1,775	1,934	2,327	2,923	2,781	3,187	3,810	4,487	5,283	6,013
General haulage vehicles:											
Total	1,802	1,734	1,874	2,235	2,799	2,697	3,068	3,733	4,310	5,173	5,874
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	880	1,079	1,137	1,373	1,753	1,665	1,975	2,467	2,825	3,388	4,136
Over 1½ tons and not over 3	667	470	505	620	686	589	522	643	711	831	696
Over 3 tons	255	185	232	242	360	443	571	623	774	954	1,042
Agricultural vans and lorries(1)	52	32	57	82	104	68	97	64	129	93	121
Tractors for general haulage	3	9	3	10	20	16	22	13	48	17	18
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc.(2)	1,780	1,527	1,702	1,808	1,778	1,441	1,724	2,395	2,667	2,370	2,318
Vehicles exempt from duty:											
Total	157	133	120	142	153	187	183	194	234	205	202
Ambulances	19	26	15	10	16	8	11	15	15	24	19
Fire engines	5	8	31	9	1	—	11	3	1	9	—
Road construction vehicles	4	13	14	9	11	45	15	14	30	28	44
Other	129	86	60	114	125	134	146	162	188	144	139

(1) Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm.
(2) Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on the public roads.

Source: Ministry of Commerce

Railway rolling stock

Great Britain

At end of year

TABLE **239**

Number

	1938	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Locomotives										
British Railways: Total	19,762	18,966	18,867	18,540	18,259	17,885	17,436	16,396	16,008	15,075
Steam: Total	19,646	18,589	18,425	17,960	17,527	16,959	16,108	14,457	13,276	11,691
Passenger tender	..	1,924	1,863	1,762	1,679	1,522	1,365	1,131	1,021	787
Passenger tank	..	999	951	827	717	613	461	358	278	164
Mixed traffic tender	..	3,818	3,901	3,971	4,018	4,068	4,042	3,918	3,830	3,701
Mixed traffic tank	..	2,514	2,534	2,483	2,447	2,393	2,285	2,079	1,882	1,627
Freight tender	..	5,905	5,834	5,732	5,636	5,498	5,335	4,700	4,305	3,777
Freight tank	..	3,399	3,319	3,170	3,020	2,859	2,616	2,270	1,959	1,635
Miscellaneous	..	30	23	15	10	6	4	1	1	—
Electric	13	65	71	71	71	71	72	85	135	158
Diesel, diesel-electric, gas turbine-electric and petrol	43	260	320	456	609	803	1,201	1,800	2,550	3,179
Locomotives for maintenance and repair	60	52	51	53	52	52	55	54	47	47
London Transport railways: Total	70	79	85	79	80	79	81	82	82	66
Traffic locomotives: Electric	56	16	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	—
Locomotives for maintenance and repair:										
Electric and diesel-electric		52	59	53	53	53	54	54	54	52
Steam	14	11	11	11	12	11	12	13	13	14
Passenger carrying vehicles										
British Railways: Total(1)	43,721	41,996	42,151	41,949	41,745	42,051	42,222	40,751	40,323	38,086
Power cars : Total	2,112	2,152	2,205	2,285	2,526	3,074	3,811	4,519	5,095	5,357
Diesel	126(2)	36	60	114	269	789	1,411	1,925	2,299	2,415
Electric	1,986	2,116	2,145	2,171	2,257	2,285	2,400	2,594	2,796	2,942
Trailer cars :										
Locomotive hauled	39,247	37,160	37,215	36,861	36,130	35,474	34,325	31,450	29,841	26,961
Ordinary coaches	38,143	36,021	36,085	35,748	35,018	34,302	33,083	30,180	28,512	25,572
Restaurant cars	724	699	698	698	695	705	705	705	775	867
Sleeping cars	380	440	432	415	417	467	537	565	554	522
Diesel trailer cars (3)	—	1	10	65	184	560	1,006	1,319	1,521	1,583
Electric trailer cars (3)	2,133	2,449	2,487	2,504	2,682	2,719	2,861	3,249	3,634	3,948
Pullman cars (4)	217	217	217	216	205	204	199	194	212	217
Wagons-Lits cars	12	17	17	18	18	20	20	20	20	20
London Transport railways: Total	3,493	4,099	4,036	4,032	4,026	4,040	4,037	4,052	4,150	4,172
Electric: Power cars	1,562	2,505	2,479	2,466	2,459	2,469	2,467	2,475	2,603	2,708
Trailer cars	1,857	1,523	1,486	1,495	1,496	1,500	1,499	1,506	1,476	1,464
Other	74	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	—
Non-passenger carrying vehicles										
British Railways:										
Post Office and luggage vans, etc.	18,321	15,521	15,839	15,675	15,152	14,983	14,912	14,252	14,846	14,512
Electric stock	5	6	6	10	9	9	9	11	12	26
Diesel stock	..	2	2	2	2	2	5	8	13	13
London Transport railways:										
Ballast wagons and brake vans	284	148	143	101	83	83	82	82	82	79
Other maintenance and repair vehicles	236	271	268	248	255	257	260	266	258	260
Freight vehicles (Thousands)										
British Railways: Total	664	1,122	1,125	1,125	1,117	1,105	1,020	960	962	956
Merchandise wagons: Open	325	313	311	310	305	302	260	236	235	229
Covered	122	142	143	144	147	150	142	139	139	140
Mineral wagons(5)	147	593	595	595	587	572	542	513	513	509
Special wagons	15	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3
Cattle trucks	16	13	13	12	11	10	7	5	5	5
Rail and timber trucks	25	44	46	47	50	54	52	50	52	55
Brake vans	14	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Private owners' wagons (6)	..	7	7	6	6	5	5	5	5	5
Service vehicles for maintenance and repair work (5) (Thousands)	38	21	21	22	23	25	26	27	28	28
Containers										
British Railways	15,511	29,111	32,403	34,223	35,833	40,212	47,421	50,151	49,071	48,296

Source: Ministry of Transport

(1) This total includes Pullman and Wagons-Lits cars which are scheduled for working over the British Railways tracks.

(2) Including some steam vehicles.

(3) Including restaurant cars. These numbered 111 diesel and 83 electric at the end of 1961.

(4) Including 6 electric and 10 diesel-electric power cars at the end of 1961.

(5) Locomotive coal wagons, were included in the service vehicle stock in 1938. In later years they have been classified as mineral wagons.

(6) Excluding tank wagons.

Railways: Permanent way(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 240

At end of year

Miles

	1938	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960(5)	1961
Length of route open for traffic(2)										
British Railways	20,007	19,222	19,151	19,061	19,025	18,965	18,848	18,484	18,369	18,214
London Transport railways	174(3)	223	227	227	227	227	227	226	228	216
Length of track open for traffic										
British Railways: Total	52,357	51,608	51,482	51,307	51,188	51,079	50,914	49,351	49,181	48,889
Non-electrified: Total	52,357	49,202	48,874	48,701	48,513	48,408	48,225	46,407	45,787	45,217
Running lines	36,740	33,728	33,523	33,407	33,293	33,216	33,072	32,280	31,770	31,324
Sidings (as single track)	15,617	15,474	15,351	15,294	15,220	15,192	15,153	14,127	14,017	13,893
Electrified: Total	..(4)	2,406	2,608	2,606	2,675	2,671	2,689	2,944	3,394	3,672
Running lines		2,229	2,350	2,348	2,411	2,405	2,412	2,645	3,027	3,286
Sidings (as single track)		177	258	258	264	266	277	299	367	386
London Transport railways: Total	479(3)	637	637	634	633	632	633	639	642	623
Non-electrified: Total	..	106	106	105	105	98	98	98	78	46
Running lines	..	57	57	57	57	50	50	50	34	6
Sidings (as single track)	..	49	49	48	48	48	48	48	44	40
Electrified: Total	..	531	531	529	528	534	535	541	564	577
Running lines	..	415	415	414	414	420	420	420	437	447
Sidings (as single track)	..	116	116	115	114	114	115	121	127	130

(1) Narrow gauge lines are not included. (2) The total length of running lines irrespective of the number of tracks comprising them. (3) At 30 June. (4) Included in "Non-electrified" above. (5) In 1960, 1,126 track miles, representing 84 route miles, were transferred from British Railways to British Transport Commission Docks, Harbours and Wharves; statistics for 1959 have been revised.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Operating statistics of railways(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 241

	Unit	1938	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Maintenance of way and works											
Material used:											
Ballast	Th. cu. yds.	1,751	2,021	2,090	2,051	2,309	2,421	2,337	2,473	2,162	2,652
Rails	Th. tons	222	251	254	250	264	275	272	273	227	250
Sleepers	Thousands	4,496	3,984	3,837	3,873	4,167	4,150	4,126	3,706	3,462	3,732
Track renewed	Miles	1,485	1,642	1,634	1,625	1,728	1,742	1,670	1,515	1,419	1,500
Traction miles(2)	Mn. miles	586·1	539·2	535·6	511·9	527·6	532·2	518·8	505·7	424·5	420·0
Train miles	,,	420·9	379·2	378·4	363·2	376·0	381·9	376·4	371·0	375·4	372·7
Coaching	,,	287·4	237·6	238·1	229·8	241·1	246·7	250·3	249·6	252·9	253·5
Freight	,,	133·6	141·6	140·3	133·4	134·9	135·3	126·0	121·4	122·5	119·2
Traction hours in traffic	Mn. hours	63·0	60·1	59·2	55·9	56·7	56·1	53·3	50·9	50·9	48·9
Train : Total	,,	33·7	31·7	31·4	29·7	30·1	29·8	28·4	27·5	27·7	26·7
Coaching	,,	19·1	15·4	15·3	14·6	15·2	15·2	15·1	14·7	14·5	14·2
Freight	,,	14·6	16·3	16·1	15·1	14·9	14·6	13·4	12·8	13·2	12·5
Shunting: Total	,,	22·3	19·9	19·4	18·2	18·4	18·1	16·9	15·9	15·7	15·0
Coaching	,,	3·4	3·0	3·0	2·8	2·9	2·9	2·9	2·8	2·7	2·6
Freight	,,	18·9	16·9	16·5	15·4	15·5	15·2	14·1	13·1	13·0	12·5
Other(3)	,,	7·0	8·5	8·4	8·0	8·2	8·2	7·9	7·5	7·5	7·1
Train miles per hour											
Per train hour:											
Coaching:											
Steam	Miles	14·47	14·60	14·73	14·91	15·03	15·26	15·51	15·78	15·60	15·27
Diesel	,,			14·35	16·31	16·68	18·04	18·02	17·83	18·53	19·18
Electric	,,	19·31	19·91	19·93	19·92	19·96	20·11	20·10	20·34	20·73	20·63
Freight	,,	9·15	8·67	8·72	8·84	9·06	9·27	9·44	9·47	9·26	9·51
Per total traction hour in traffic(4):											
Coaching	,,	11·87	11·79	11·90	12·03	12·13	12·41	12·72	13·13	13·50	13·98
Freight	,,	3·70	3·85	3·89	3·95	4·01	4·10	4·14	4·23	4·22	4·29
Wagon miles(5)	Millions	4,495	4,502	4,368	4,095	4,052	3,950	3,505	3,386	3,404	3,217
Loaded	,,	3,003	3,190	3,089	2,892	2,846	2,766	2,426	2,361	2,385	2,233
Empty	,,	1,492	1,312	1,279	1,203	1,206	1,184	1,079	1,025	1,019	984
Percentage loaded	Per cent.	*66·80*	*70·86*	*70·71*	*70·63*	*70·23*	*70·03*	*69·22*	*69·74*	*70·08*	*69·42*
Wagons per train(5)	Number	33·67	31·80	31·13	30·70	30·03	29·20	27·81	27·90	27·77	26·99
Loaded	,,	22·49	22·53	22·01	21·68	21·09	20·45	19·25	19·46	19·46	18·74
Empty	,,	11·18	9·27	9·12	9·02	8·94	8·75	8·56	8·44	8·31	8·25
Average length of haul per ton(5)	Miles	59·00	73·64	72·90	72·82	72·38	70·98	70·57	70·59	70·24	69·06
Merchandise(6)	,,	107·49	129·72	130·39	130·58	130·29	130·60	131·69	134·71	133·55	133·98
Minerals, etc.	,,	63·49	76·91	75·97	74·64	74·38	72·07	73·94	75·83	74·03	72·24
Coal and coke	,,	45·21	56·87	56·31	57·05	56·81	55·33	54·55	52·02	51·48	50·35

(1) London Transport railways not included.
(2) Before 1960 shunting miles were included.
(3) Including assisting, light and departmental.
(4) Including train, shunting, assisting and light.
(5) Including free-hauled traffic.
(6) Merchandise includes livestock.

Source: Ministry of Transport

TABLE **242**

Railways: Passenger and goods traffic

Great Britain

	Unit	1938	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Passenger traffic											
British Railways:											
Number of passenger journeys(1):											
Total	Millions	1,237·2	985·3	1,020·1	993·9	1,028·5	1,101·2	1,089·8	1,068·8	1,036·7	1,025·0
Ordinary:											
Full fare	,,	77·8	229·7	271·0	282·8	302·8	318·3	351·0	323·4	262·7	272·7
Other descriptions(2)	,,	528·1	292·2	293·2	292·0	295·5	326·7	298·4	314·0	400·5	411·0
Early morning tickets	,,	244·2(3)	189·6	180·5	155·4	141·7	143·2	127·8	111·8	58·1	24·1
Season tickets (4)	,,	387·1	273·8	275·4	263·7	288·5	313·1	312·5	319·6	315·4	317·2
Estimated number of passenger miles(1)	,,	18,993(5)	20,578	20,712	20,308	21,133	22,591	22,150	22,270	21,547	21,061
Estimated average distance per journey	Miles	15·9(5)	21·1	20·3	20·4	20·6	20·5	20·3	20·8	20·8	20·6
Average receipt:											
Per passenger journey:											
Total	Pence	11·38	27·15	27·44	28·53	29·75	30·27	30·38	31·45	35·02	36·87
Ordinary(6)	,,	18·47	42·02	41·08	41·07	42·45	42·84	41·85	43·34	45·32	46·15
Early morning(3)	,,	3·68	8·88	9·46	10·46	11·73	12·23	13·41	13·97	19·84	25·33
Season(4)	,,	5·19	10·87	11·28	11·84	12·28	12·64	13·49	13·84	16·16	17·76
Per train mile(7)	Shillings	5·17	13·25	13·58	14·30	14·93	15·92	12·17	12·42	13·25	13·75
	,,							4·25	4·42	4·50	4·58
Per passenger mile	Pence	..	1·34	1·35	1·40	1·45	1·48	1·49	1·51	1·68	1·79
London Transport railways:											
Number of passenger journeys(1):											
Total	Millions	487·7	580·0	671·4	675·5	677·9	665·8	692·1	668·8	674·0	675·4
Full fare	,,	329·1	416·6	444·2	454·8	457·0	440·7	477·7	452·8	478·5	491·4
Monthly return(2), excursion, etc.	,,		2·3								
Other ordinary	,,		6·3								
Early morning tickets(3)	,,	81·3	70·7	86·1	79·1	62·9	57·2	49·0	44·6	28·0	13·7
Season tickets(4)	,,	77·3	84·1	141·1	141·6	158·0	167·9	165·4	171·4	167·4	170·2
Average receipt per passenger journey:											
Total	Pence	..	6·54	6·87	7·30	7·87	8·35	8·48	8·66	9·39	10·12
Ordinary	,,	..	6·71	7·04	7·50	8·04	8·61	8·57	8·88	9·51	10·42
Early morning (3)	,,	..	6·45	7·03	7·98	9·85	10·28	11·32	11·86	15·10	19·06
Season(4)	,,	..	6·05	6·22	6·29	6·60	7·00	7·36	7·24	8·06	8·54
Goods traffic											
British Railways:											
Traffic originating(8):											
Total	Mn. tons	265·7	289·3	283·5	274·2	277·0	274·3	242·9	234·0	248·5	238·2
Merchandise (9)	,,	45·6	49·6	47·5	44·0	43·1	42·2	36·8	37·5	40·0	38·2
Minerals, etc.	,,	47·4	64·4	62·5	64·0	65·7	65·4	52·9	52·2	60·4	54·3
Coal and coke	,,	172·8	175·3	173·5	166·2	168·2	166·7	153·2	144·2	148·1	145·7
Net ton-miles(10):											
Total	Millions	16,266	22,766	22,089	21,353	21,473	20,880	18,426	17,711	18,650	17,590
Merchandise(9)	,,	4,980	6,790	6,542	6,087	6,008	5,944	5,231	5,376	5,706	5,553
Minerals, etc.	,,	3,182	5,261	5,059	5,075	5,217	5,067	4,268	4,331	4,840	4,288
Coal and coke	,,	8,104	10,715	10,488	10,191	10,248	9,869	8,927	8,004	8,104	7,749
Average receipt:											
Per ton mile	Pence	1·26	2·77	2·96	3·08	3·18	3·32	3·37	3·29	3·18	3·23

Source: Ministry of Transport

(1) Through bookings between British Railways and London Transport have not been treated in the same way for all years shown. For passenger journeys before 1954 and for passenger miles and receipts in 1938 such through bookings have been credited to the railway on which they originated. Subsequently the through bookings count as one journey on each railway and the passenger miles and receipts are appropriately divided.

(2) Including monthly return tickets in 1938.

(3) Workmen's tickets.

(4) On basis of 600 journeys a year.

(5) September 1938 to August 1939.

(6) Including Service travel.

(7) In 1938, averages relate to "takings" and from 1953—1957, to receipts per loaded coaching train mile, including parcels, mails, etc. From 1958 the figures relate to average passenger receipts per loaded passenger train mile, and average receipts from parcels, mails, etc, per loaded coaching train mile respectively.

(8) Excluding free-hauled traffic.

(9) Merchandise includes livestock.

(10) Including free-hauled traffic.

Accidents on railways

Great Britain

TABLE 243

Number

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Train accidents											
Number of accidents:											
Total	717	1,243	1,123	1,197	1,156	1,226	1,205	1,186	1,154	1,175	1,230
Collisions	208	416	379	392	392	486	491	434	418	405	426
Derailments	146	210	224	218	205	216	214	232	215	215	226
Running into level-crossing gates, and other obstructions	315	377	371	384	412	427	419	438	393	412	411
Fires	36	170	118	131	118	74	71	44	62	60	68
Miscellaneous	12	70	31	72	29	23	10	38	66	83	99
Persons killed	30	134	48	15	59	18	112	36	16	30	42
Passengers	11	111	22	—	40	—	92	18	1	6	9
Railway servants	7	9	7	1	8	3	4	5	8	6	10
Others	12	14	19	14	11	15	16	13	7	18	23
Persons injured	644	1,302	608	614	916	590	962	1,169	845	880	911
Passengers	533	1,150	475	486	759	474	833	1,004	747	745	742
Railway servants	62	113	91	85	91	78	99	118	55	86	110
Others	49	39	42	43	66	38	30	47	43	49	59
Other accidents through movement of railway vehicles											
Persons killed	291	253	258	196	229	219	208	170	191	176	189
Passengers	58	49	44	40	49	49	46	33	34	37	37
Railway servants	193	172	178	138	154	144	147	117	136	123	134
Others	40	32	36	18	26	26	15	20	21	16	18
Persons injured	7,720	6,782	6,857	6,733	6,369	6,702	6,867	6,856	6,140	5,910	5,866
Passengers	4,990	4,355	4,576	4,543	4,324	4,692	4,732	4,858	4,307	4,035	4,036
Railway servants	2,628	2,359	2,213	2,144	1,998	1,966	2,096	1,959	1,804	1,838	1,791
Others	102	68	68	46	47	44	39	39	29	37	39
Other accidents on railway premises											
Persons killed	52	28	41	40	31	28	31	11	24	20	31
Passengers	5	3	6	4	4	1	1	2	—	1	4
Railway servants	39	20	18	25	17	24	25	8	17	16	23
Others	8	5	17	11	10	3	5	1	7	3	4
Persons injured	17,009	18,030	17,663	17,210	16,395	16,771	16,685	16,006	15,892	15,588	15,464
Passengers	2,700	2,792	2,857	2,821	2,665	2,839	2,915	3,179	2,990	2,869	2,943
Railway servants	13,844	14,795	14,404	13,967	13,371	13,475	13,343	12,433	12,549	12,404	12,165
Others	465	443	402	422	359	457	427	394	353	315	356
Trespassers and suicides											
Persons killed	378	247	251	260	245	240	269	272	272	261	222
Persons injured	110	74	82	64	71	75	79	82	82	95	94

Source: Ministry of Transport

TABLE 244

British Railways: Working results(¹)

Great Britain

£ thousand

	1954	1955	1956	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Gross receipts									
Total	435,521	439,971	465,479	481,037	501,430	471,605	457,423	478,571	474,720
Coaching train:									
Total	157,395	160,090	175,126	175,127	190,289	189,885	193,286	206,729	213,830
Passenger:									
Total	116,617	118,147	127,509	127,510	138,899	137,956	140,035	151,274	157,474
Ordinary	96,551	98.358	105,823	105,824	115,118	113,247	115,102	125,234	131,459
Early morning	7,119	6,777	6,925	6,925	7,295	7,143	6,507	4,804	2,545
Season	12,946	13,012	14,761	14,761	16,486	17,567	18,425	21,237	23,470
Parcels and other merchandise	29,235	30,089	32,479	32,480	34,726	34,704	35,336	36,830	36,524
Postal parcels and letter mails	11,543	11,854	15,138	15,138	16,664	17,225	17,915	18,624	19,833
Freight train:									
Total	272,838	274,224	284,066	284,068	288,517	259,103	241,082	247,320	236,842
Merchandise(²)	110,848	106,066	105,424	105,423	107,008	92,044	87,746	89,808	88,935
Minerals	46,012	48,994	52,226	52,226	53,468	44,874	44,409	48,873	43,088
Coal and coke	115,978	119,164	126,416	126,420	128,040	122,184	108,927	108,639	104,819
Collection and delivery and other road freight services	..	..	..	12,892	13,386	12,429	13,111	14,105	13,541
Miscellaneous	5,288	5,657	6,287	8,950	9,237	10,189	9,944	10,417	10,507
Working expenses									
Total	416,418	434,128	481,531	497,533	528,570	519,692	499,393	546,223	561,612
Train and vehicle operating expenses	140,939	146,366	162,008	175,731	186,373	186,671	177,966	189,300	187,160
of which: Disclosed wages and national insurance, etc.	74,675	77,395	84,464	..	..	..	..	..	..
Disclosed staff expenses	..	..	..	57,266	59,593	59,115	57,016	63,784	62,807
Fuel for steam and diesel working	46,195	48,002	55,435	61,749	64,670	64,219	58,928	57,267	54,980
Current for electric train working	5,412	5,726	6,197	6,293	6,913	6,975	7,207	7,681	8,651
Maintenance of rolling stock	92,031	94,039	101,412	102,992	110,814	107,249	102,209	111,710	122,164
of which: Locomotives:									
Repairs	31,713	32,650	34,043	34,469	37,965	36,598	33,244	34,424	36,364
Depreciation	2,813	2,929	3,070	3,070	3,225	3,292	3,888	5,156	6,647
Coaching and multiple unit vehicles:									
Repairs	13,871	13,787	15,252	15,270	16,774	17,109	17,394	19,638	22,173
Depreciation	3,947	4,258	4,707	4,707	5,385	6,253	7,178	7,977	8,894
Freight vehicles and containers:									
Repairs	29,605	29,335	32,280	32,280	33,157	29,154	25,221	28,382	31,343
Depreciation	8,544	9,348	10,208	10,208	11,031	11,656	12,080	12,377	12,692
Other traffic expenses	94,088	99,422	106,559	77,231	82,613	82,538	82,051	91,489	92,746
of which: Disclosed wages, salaries and national insurance, etc.	78,436	82,746	89,291	..	..	..	..	..	..
Disclosed staff expenses	..	..	..	56,774	59,450	58,916	58,414	65,655	65,666
Signalling expenses	..	..	..	32,936	35,527	37,457	36,388	41,073	43,178
Maintenance and renewal of way and structures	76,740	80,040	94,837	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maintenance of way and structures	..	..	..	80,487	90,025	86,585	84,166	91,005	92,031
of which: Earth works, bridges, tunnels and other works	8,541	9,145	10,808	10,357	12,965	12,585	12,212	14,053	14,234
Permanent way	43,072	43,975	51,231	51,361	55,820	54,672	52,816	55,526	57,192
Stations and buildings	10,721	11,466	14,186	14,403	16,497	14,019	13,878	15,180	14,340
General	12,620	14,261	16,715	16,713	18,182	19,402	19,223	21,150	22,616
Collection and delivery services, transhipment by road vehicles and other railway road freight services	..	..	..	19,610	20,135	19,332	19,366	21,877	22,153
deduct Internal charges raised for transport services	..	..	..	8,407	10,347	11,040	10,347	10,383	10,018
add or deduct Transfers to maintenance equalisation accounts	2,533	3,694	240	240	−4,752	−8,502	−11,628	−10,997	−10,419
Net receipts(³)	16,569	2,149	−16,292	−16,497	−27,140	−48,087	−41,970	−67,652	−86,891

Source: Ministry of Transport

(¹) In 1957 important changes in the classification of receipts and expenses were introduced. For purposes of comparison, 1956 is also shown on the new basis.

(²) Merchandise includes livestock.

(³) Interest on British Transport stock etc. is met out of the combined net receipts of the British Transport Commission.

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British Railways: Average weekly earnings(1)

TABLE 245

	Conciliation grades	Workshop grades	Conciliation and workshop grades combined			
	Male adults(2)	Male adults(2)	Male adults(2)	Male juniors	Female adults(2)(3)	Female juniors
Week ended:	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1951 April 21	152 11	165 10	156 1	61 8	87 0	52 9
1952 April 26	162 1	175 2	165 4	64 11	95 6	62 2
1953 March 21	171 11	189 4	176 4	68 9	99 8	64 9
1954 March 27	182 10	192 1	185 3	74 0	106 0	71 4
1955 March 26	200 10	217 8	205 3	82 6	115 4	79 3
1956 March 24	218 10	238 11	224 2	87 9	123 10	83 11
1957 March 23	220 1	240 8	225 7	90 11	124 9	85 4
	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
1958 March 22	11 12	12 5	11 15	6 5	6 10	4 13
1959 March 21	11 19	12 10	12 2	6 9	6 14	4 0
1960 March 26	13 14	14 14	13 19	7 9	7 9	4 3
1961 March 25	14 3	15 1	14 8	7 8	7 9	4 12

Source: Ministry of Labour

(1) Including piece-work payments and tonnage bonus, payments for overtime, Saturday afternoon and Sunday duty, and night duty, and all other payments for work performed, but excluding travelling and out-of-pocket expenses and meal and lodging allowances. Figures from 1958 have been calculated by excluding the numbers and earnings of those who were absent for the whole or a part of the census week. Averages for earlier years were based on equated figures, i.e., the number of staff working for less than the complete week was reduced to give a figure equivalent to the number of full-time employees.

(2) The age at which adult rates are paid is usually 20 years for conciliation grades and 21 years for workshop grades.

(3) Including certain part-time workers.

Railways: Permanent way and rolling stock(1)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 246

At end of year

Number

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Length of road open for traffic (Miles)(2)	797	785	785	785	701	701	650	531	340	297	297
Length of track open for traffic (Miles)											
Total	1,144	1,144	1,139	1,138	1,099	1,098	1,036	887	581	517	516
Running lines	970	970	966	965	932	932	875	747	478	424	423
Sidings (as single track)	174	174	173	173	167	166	161	140	103	93	93
Locomotives											
Total	287	286	186	185	185	145	129	128	115	86	82
Steam:											
Passenger tender(3)	200	200	111	111	111	94	79	78	75	55	51
Passenger tank(3)	84	83	72	71	70	47	46	46	36	28	28
Diesel-electric, petrol and oil	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	3	3
Passenger carrying vehicles											
Total	758	758	768	660	634	610	601	603	386	365	344
Rail motor vehicles:											
Total	49	54	71	76	76	73	83	106	87	87	88
Steam, oil, diesel-electric, etc.	39	44	61	66	66	63	73	96	87	87	88
Electric	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	—	—	—
Trailer carriages:											
Total steam	709	698	685	566	540	512	487	467	230	208	186
Ordinary coaches	691	680	667	548	523	495	471	450	224	204	182
Restaurant cars	18	18	18	18	17	17	16	17	6	4	4
Rail car trailers	—	6	12	18	18	25	31	30	69	70	70
Non-passenger carrying vehicles											
Electric motor vehicles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—
Post Office and luggage vans, etc.	264	266	263	243	235	222	213	210	92	90	87
Trucks and wagons owned											
Total	8,319	8,307	8,313	8,050	8,092	7,824	7,769	7,395	4,628	4,471	4,225
Merchandise wagons:											
Open	3,161	3,150	3,132	3.004	2,973	2,843	2,824	2,791	1,831	1,766	1,685
Covered	3,965	3,959	3,938	3,817	3,899	3,798	3,759	3,543	2,123	2,072	1,964
Mineral wagons	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle trucks	673	673	673	670	670	646	599	541	306	269	222
Rail and timber trucks	90	90	88	81	78	71	71	70	47	45	44
Brake vans	158	158	158	145	138	134	134	120	75	73	66
Special wagons	272	277	324	333	334	332	382	330	246	246	244
Private owner's wagons	128	128	142	154	154	142	142	142	—	—	—
Containers	396	363	363	329	329	341	373	373	329	329	322
Rolling stock for maintenance and repair	854	846	849	725	735	657	646	641	387	336	310

Source: Ministry of Commerce

(1) Since 1 October 1958, the Northern Ireland portion of the undertaking of the Great Northern Railway Board became vested in the Ulster Transport Authority, and the portion of the undertaking operating in the Republic of Ireland became vested in Córas Iompair Eireann. As from 1 October 1958, these figures exclude the portion vested in the C.I.E. and are not therefore strictly comparable with previous years.

(2) The total length of railroad open for traffic irrespective of the number of tracks comprising the road.

(3) Including mixed traffic. Figures before 1953 also include freight tenders and tanks.

Operating statistics of railways(¹)

TABLE **247**

Northern Ireland

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Maintenance of way and works												
Material used:												
Ballast	Th. cu. yds.	41·8	41·2	42·2	37·2	34·9	35·3	20·3	33·2	18·3	16·4	29·3
Rails	Th. tons	0·3	1·9	1·4	1·2	1·7	1·4	1·2	1 0	0·3	0·7	1·0
Sleepers	Thousands	79·1	112·0	116·0	85·2	97·6	83·8	75·8	47·1	60·4	54·0	70·0
Track renewed	Miles	3	13	10	7	10	1	9	6	2	8	2
Engine miles												
Total(²)	Th. miles	8,252	8,298	8,250	8,128	8,517	7,910	7,836	7,446	4,287	3,970	3,795
Train miles:												
Total	,,	6,456	6,563	6,539	6,475	6,144	5,766	5,605	4,892	3,522	3,271	3,147
Coaching	,,	4,962	5,048	5,070	5,046	4,825	4,608	4,517	4,046	3,023	2,798	2,685
Freight	,,	1,494	1,515	1,469	1,429	1,319	1,158	1,088	846	499	473	462
Engine hours in traffic												
Total	Th. hours	739	743	731	712	682	560	603	516	332	306	290
Train:												
Total	,,	431	440	434	424	407	305	358	306	193	180	173
Coaching	,,	292	305	304	297	283	204	266	233	151	140	134
Freight	,,	139	135	130	127	124	101	92	73	42	40	39
Shunting:												
Total	,,	282	275	269	262	250	218	208	175	116	104	97
Coaching	,,	52	50	48	48	47	40	40	34	20	15	12
Freight	,,	230	225	221	214	203	178	168	141	96	89	85
Other (assisting, maintenance, repair, etc.)	,,	26	28	28	26	25	37	37	35	23	22	20
Train miles per hour												
Per train hour:												
Coaching	Miles	17	17	17	17	18	29	17	19	20	20	20
Freight	,,	11	11	11	11	11	12	12	12	12	12	12
Per engine hour:												
Coaching	,,	15	15	15	15	15	23	15	16	16	17	17
Freight	,,	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

(¹) See footnote (¹) to Table 246.
(²) Including shunting assisting, light, departmental, maintenance and repair.

Source: Ministry of Commerce

Passenger and goods traffic(¹)

TABLE **248**

Northern Ireland

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Passenger traffic												
Number of passenger journeys:												
Total	Millions	18·2	17·9	17·8	17·4	16·8	15·5	16·1	14·7	11·4	10·7	9·6
Full fare, excursion, week-end etc.(²)	,,	9·7	9·3	9·2	8·8	9·1	8·1	9·2	8·6	7·3	6 9	6·2
Workmen	,,	2·0	2·0	2·1	2·1	1·8	1·8	—	—	—	—	—
Monthly return and season tickets(³)	,,	6·6	6·6	6·5	6·4	5·9	5·6	6·9	6·1	4·1	3 8	3·4
Goods traffic												
Goods and mineral traffic:												
Total	Mn. tons	1·93	1·78	1·78	1·77	1·62	1·46	1·26	1 02	0·63	0·58	0·53
Merchandise	,,	1·66	1·58	1·58	1·55	1·40	1·36	1·08	0 86	0·56	0 49	0·53
Mineral	,,								0·06			
Coal, coke and patent fuel	,,	0·27	0·20	0·20	0·22	0·22	0·10	0·18	0·10	0·07	0 09	
Livestock	Thousands	637	779	850	834	330	159	261	53	18	13	6
Principal merchandise traffic:												
Timber	Th. tons	7	8	10	7	7	6	8	4	0·5	0·6	0·7
Oilcake	,,	55	48	57	59	65	42	44	24	15	18	9·4
Grain, flour and milling offals	,,	102	79	93	91	97	75	51	47	16	14	14·0
Potatoes	,,	77	58	55	32	36	41	18	18	15	2	13·3

(¹) See footnote (¹) to Table 246.
(²) Including Service and Government journeys, etc.
(³) Season tickets are included on the basis of 600 journeys a year.

Source: Ministry of Commerce

Merchant vessels on the United Kingdom register(¹)

TABLE **249**

End of year

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number											
Total vessels	13,229	13,598	13,649	13,685	13,671	13,764	13,837	14,045	14,202	14,532	15,008
Under 500 gross tons	9,491	10,078	10,094	10,106	10,096	10,191	10,263	10,501	10,715	11,091	11,632
500 gross tons and over	3,738	3,520	3,555	3,579	3,575	3,573	3,574	3,544	3,487	3,441	3,376
Thousand gross tons											
Total	17,733	18,821	19,105	19,510	19,627	19,891	20,210	20,557	21,127	21,487	21,901
Under 500 gross tons	1,011	849	823	791	753	730	708	713	714	712	709
500 gross tons and over	16,722	17,972	18,282	18,719	18,874	19,161	19,502	19,844	20,413	20,774	21,193
Thousand net tons											
Total	10,314	10,663	10,811	10,978	10,966	11,053	11,207	11,349	11,627	11,797	12,001

(¹) Steam and motor vessels only. Sailing vessels and other craft not mechanically propelled numbered 2,493 (totalling 296,366 gross tons and 278,586 net tons) at 31 December 1961. Except for 1938 the figures include vessels of other Commonwealth and foreign countries on bareboat charter to or requisitioned by the United Kingdom.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over registered in the Commonwealth(¹)

TABLE **250**

End of year

Thousand gross tons

	1939 3 September	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All vessels											
Total	18,608	19,695	19,829	20,279	20,619	21,041	21,665	22,107	22,777	23,629	23,910
United Kingdom(²)	16,891	17,264	17,467	18,016	18,208	18,484	18,833	19,246	19,805	20,202	20,497
Other Commonwealth	1,717	2,431	2,362	2,263	2,411	2,557	2,832	2,861	2,972	3,427	3,414
Passenger(³)											
Total	4,560	3,348	3,225	3,376	3,413	3,376	3,360	3,241	3,145	3,237	3,092
United Kingdom(²)	3,916	2,935	2,825	2,999	3,041	3,013	2,958	2,843	2,749	2,814	2,702
Other Commonwealth	644	413	400	377	372	363	402	398	396	423	390
Dry cargo											
Total	10,812	11,667	11,703	11,585	11,802	12,068	12,375	12,612	12,642	13,040	13,204
United Kingdom(²)	9,946	9,899	10,005	9,971	10,029	10,142	10,237	10,382	10,312	10,330	10,506
Other Commonwealth	866	1,768	1,698	1,614	1,773	1,926	2,138	2,230	2,330	2,710	2,698
Tankers											
Total	3,236	4,680	4,901	5,318	5,404	5,597	5,930	6,254	6,991	7,352	7,613
United Kingdom(²)	3,029	4,430	4,637	5,046	5,138	5,329	5,638	6,021	6,745	7,058	7,288
Other Commonwealth	207	250	264	272	266	268	292	233	246	294	325

(¹) Steam and motor vessels only, excluding miscellaneous craft.
(²) Excluding vessels of other Commonwealth and foreign countries on bareboat charter or requisition.
(³) All vessels with passenger certificates.

Source: Ministry of Transport

TABLE **251**

United Kingdom merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over(¹)

Analysis by age and type

	3 September 1939				31 December 1960				31 December 1961			
	Total	Passenger (²)	Dry cargo	Tankers	Total	Passenger (²)	Dry cargo	Tankers	Total	Passenger (²)	Dry cargo	Tankers
Number												
Total vessels	3,471	509	2,488	474	2,902	288	1,939	675	2,808	264	1,901	643
Under 5 years	639	68	436	135	742	39	515	188	748	29	519	200
5 and under 10 years	364	75	237	52	596	37	374	185	615	32	409	174
10 and under 15 years	820	96	604	120	658	82	445	131	574	85	389	100
15 and under 20 years	767	112	583	72	512	17	361	134	519	19	365	135
20 and under 25 years	462	28	371	63	208	44	146	18	179	37	125	17
25 years and over	419	130	257	32	186	69	98	19	173	62	94	17
Thousand gross tons												
Total vessels	16,891	3,916	9,946	3,029	20,202	2,814	10,330	7,058	20,497	2,702	10,506	7,288
Under 5 years	3,572	676	1,819	1,077	6,581	460	3,240	2,881	7,328	417	3,508	3,402
5 and under 10 years	1,790	507	916	367	4,292	421	1,774	2,096	4,466	406	2,029	2,032
10 and under 15 years	4,303	942	2,680	681	3,926	715	2,196	1,015	3,583	805	1,900	878
15 and under 20 years	3,652	1,001	2,215	436	3,193	93	2,211	888	3,144	86	2,214	844
20 and under 25 years	2,018	148	1,586	284	1,328	618	574	136	1,070	454	512	104
25 years and over	1,556	642	730	184	883	507	334	42	906	534	342	29

Analysis by size and speed: Passenger vessels(²)

	Number					Thousand gross tons				
	Total	500–2,999 gross tons	3,000–4,999 gross tons	5,000–9,999 gross tons	10,000 gross tons and over	Total	500–2,999 gross tons	3,000–4,999 gross tons	5,000–9,999 gross tons	10,000 gross tons and over
3 September 1939										
Total	509	198	59	96	156	3,916	330	220	748	2,618
Under 10 knots	14	10	3	—	1	47	19	11	—	17
10 knots and under 12	66	39	17	10	—	210	78	62	70	—
12 knots and under 14½	164	57	15	58	34	1,013	84	54	464	411
14½ knots and over	265	92	24	28	121	2,646	149	93	214	2,190
31 December 1960										
Total	288	81	38	67	102	2,814	128	147	520	2,019
Under 10 knots	1	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
10 knots and under 12	14	9	3	2	—	43	16	13	14	—
12 knots and under 14½	58	27	9	16	6	258	34	33	120	71
14½ knots and over	215	44	26	49	96	2,512	77	101	386	1,948
31 December 1961										
Total	264	70	41	56	97	2,702	111	159	438	1,995
Under 10 knots	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 knots and under 12	14	9	3	2	—	43	16	13	14	—
12 knots and under 14½	51	23	9	15	4	225	27	33	115	50
14½ knots and over	199	38	29	39	93	2,435	67	113	309	1,945

Source: Ministry of Transport

(¹) Excluding miscellaneous craft.
(²) All vessels with passenger certificates.

United Kingdom merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over(¹)

Analysis by size and speed: Dry cargo vessels

TABLE **251** *(continued)*

	Number					Thousand gross tons				
	Total	500–2,999 gross tons	3,000–4,999 gross tons	5,000–9,999 gross tons	10,000 gross tons and over	Total	500–2,999 gross tons	3,000–4,999 gross tons	5,000–9,999 gross tons	10,000 gross tons and over
3 September 1939										
Total	2,488	973	563	897	55	9,946	1,276	2,430	5,625	615
Under 10 knots	890	467	264	159	—	2,645	640	1,117	888	—
10 knots and under 12	1,015	395	273	346	1	3,720	508	1,199	2,003	10
12 knots and under 14½	465	86	24	329	26	2,727	103	105	2,244	275
14½ knots and over	118	25	2	63	28	854	25	9	490	330
31 December 1960										
Total	1,939	652	170	971	146	10,330	874	667	7,123	1,666
Under 10 knots	223	200	7	16	—	368	229	29	109	—
10 knots and under 12	626	291	90	239	6	2,442	397	351	1,628	66
12 knots and under 14½	627	149	64	361	53	3,595	226	253	2,525	591
14½ knots and over	463	12	9	355	87	3,925	22	34	2,861	1,009
31 December 1961										
Total	1,901	619	158	957	167	10,506	839	617	7,108	1,942
Under 10 knots	184	168	4	12	—	291	193	18	79	—
10 knots and under 12	560	285	76	187	12	2,101	389	291	1,279	142
12 knots and under 14½	645	153	66	371	55	3,730	234	261	2,623	613
14½ knots and over	512	13	12	387	100	4,384	23	47	3,126	1,187

Analysis by size and speed: Tankers

	Number					Thousand gross tons				
	Total	500–2,999 gross tons	3,000–4,999 gross tons	5,000–9,999 gross tons	10,000 gross tons and over	Total	500–2,999 gross tons	3,000–4,999 gross tons	5,000–9,999 gross tons	10,000 gross tons and over
3 September 1939										
Total	474	81	33	328	32	3,029	117	138	2,392	382
Under 10 knots	132	42	14	72	4	651	52	58	490	51
10 knots and under 12	292	39	18	215	20	1,945	65	76	1,566	238
12 knots and under 14½	50	—	1	41	8	433	—	4	336	93
14½ knots and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
31 December 1960										
Total	675	114	20	167	374	7,058	133	73	1,313	5,538
Under 10 knots	79	70	7	—	2	124	73	28	—	23
10 knots and under 12	168	35	3	123	7	1,114	42	10	982	80
12 knots and under 14½	205	9	10	32	154	2,066	18	35	231	1,781
14½ knots and over	223	—	—	12	211	3,754	—	—	100	3,654
31 December 1961										
Total	643	115	17	130	381	7,288	132	63	1,032	6,062
Under 10 knots	73	66	6	—	1	104	66	24	—	13
10 knots and under 12	141	41	5	89	6	856	48	18	721	70
12 knots and under 14½	182	8	6	30	138	1,872	18	21	219	1,615
14½ knots and over	247	—	—	11	236	4,456	—	—	91	4,365

(¹) Excluding miscellaneous craft.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Shipping movement at United Kingdom ports

TABLE 252

Vessels entered and cleared in the foreign trade with cargo and in ballast(¹)

Thousand net tons(²)

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Entered											
All vessels	91,880	81,603	87,332	90,551	96,822	96,307	97,450	100,724	107,081	114,226	113,886
With cargo(³):											
Total	68,373	64,200	69,435	72,379	79,275	77,138	78,417	79,865	84,779	91,626	91,706
With mail only	..	1,338	1,473	951	654	917	828	584	702	666	782
Other	..	62,862	67,962	71,428	78,621	76,221	77,589	79,281	84,078	90,959	90,923
In ballast(⁴):											
Total	23,507	17,403	17,896	18,172	17,547	19,169	19,033	20,859	22,301	22,600	22,180
With passengers only	..	4,676	5,741	5,946	5,897	6,074	6,257	7,300	7,555	7,569	7,381
Calling for bunkers only	..	759	437	367	328	538	326	270	183	193	284
Other	..	11,968	11,718	11,858	11,322	12,557	12,450	13,289	14,563	14,838	14,514
Cleared											
All vessels	92,165	82,120	87,622	91,135	97,101	96,940	97,644	101,054	108,221	115,284	115,292
With cargo(³):											
Total	58,881	47,008	50,173	51,174	50,126	49,916	50,691	51,392	53,953	54,806	53,850
With mail only	..	944	1,032	929	853	797	937	1,113	1,442	1,609	1,097
Other	..	46,064	49,142	50,244	49,273	49,119	49,754	50,279	52,510	53,197	52,753
In ballast(⁴):											
Total	33,284	35,112	37,448	39,961	46,976	47,024	46,953	49,662	54,268	60,478	61,442
With passengers only	..	4,681	5,697	6,064	6,178	6,688	6,452	8,093	8,141	8,195	9,030
Clearing with bunkers only	..	15,347	16,037	16,225	19,345	20,443	19,667	20,004	21,309	25,554	24,544
Other	..	15,084	15,714	17,672	21,453	19,894	20,834	21,565	24,819	26,729	27,868

Commonwealth and foreign vessels entered and cleared in the foreign trade(¹)

Thousand net tons(²)

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Entered											
With cargo and in ballast(³)(⁴):											
Total	91,880	81,603	87,332	90,551	96,822	96,307	97,450	100,724	107,081	114,226	113,886
Commonwealth(⁵)	49,976	45,871	48,107	49,884	52,793	51,545	50,673	51,836	54,066	55,626	56.915
Foreign	41,904	35,732	39,224	40,667	44,029	44,762	46,777	48,888	53,014	58,600	56,971
With cargo only:											
Total	68,373	64,200	69,435	72,379	79,275	77,138	78,417	79,865	84,779	91,626	91,706
Commonwealth(⁵)	38,909	37,142	39,263	40,447	43,628	41,523	41,175	41,668	43,310	44,886	45,849
Foreign	29,464	27,058	30,173	31,932	35,648	35,614	37,242	38,197	41,470	46,739	45,857
Cleared											
With cargo and in ballast(³)(⁴):											
Total	92,165	82,120	87,622	91,135	97,101	96,940	97,644	101,054	108,221	115,284	115,292
Commonwealth(⁵)	49,962	46,076	48,277	50,400	52,801	52,062	50,635	51,998	54,790	56,457	57,335
Foreign	42,203	36,044	39,345	40,735	44,300	44,879	47,009	49,056	53,431	58,827	57,957
With cargo only:											
Total	58,881	47,008	50,173	51,174	50,126	49,916	50,691	51,392	53,953	54,806	53,850
Commonwealth(⁵)	34,511	31,068	32,164	32,571	31,273	31,608	31,547	32,139	33,124	32,698	32,594
Foreign	24,370	15,940	18,009	18,603	18,852	18,308	19,144	19,253	20,828	22,108	21,256

Source: Ministry of Transport

(¹) The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abroad to a port in the United Kingdom or vice versa. Vessels calling at more than one United Kingdom port in the course of a single voyage are recorded as entered or cleared at one port only.

(²) Net tonnage is the gross tonnage *less* certain deductions on account of crew space, engine room, water ballast and other spaces not used for passengers or cargo.

(³) Cargo figures relate to vessels which actually load or unload merchandise (other than Government stores), bullion, specie or mail, but not solely bunkers, ships' stores or passengers.

(⁴) The ballast figures relate to all vessels other than those defined in footnote (³) and include vessels loading or unloading Government stores only.

(⁵) And Irish Republican tonnage.

Shipping movement at United Kingdom ports

Vessels entered and cleared in the foreign trade with cargo and in ballast(1)

TABLE **252** *(continued)*

Nationality of vessels

Thousand net tons(2)

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Entered											
Total	91,880	81,603	87,332	90,551	96,822	96,307	97,450	100,724	107,081	114,226	113,886
Commonwealth(5)	49,976	45,871	48,107	49,884	52,793	51,545	50,673	51,836	54,066	55,626	56,915
Soviet Union	475	105	98	203	263	276	425	443	638	667	795
Finnish	1,459	766	719	646	825	768	757	498	571	576	568
Swedish	2,877	3,401	3,856	3,890	3,934	3,904	3,632	3,290	3,551	4,189	4,218
Norwegian	5,747	5,954	6,961	7,189	7,662	8,451	8,752	9,741	10,936	11,720	10,521
Danish	3,048(6)	2,171	2,324	2,426	2,684	2,260	2,285	2,595	3,060	3,222	2,657
Polish	138	178	200	182	219	216	234	333	420	360	338
German	7,455	1,282	1,790	1,874	2,179	2,328	2,667	3,056	3,736	4,261	4,598
Dutch	5,615	5,191	5,864	5,978	6,177	6,466	7,076	7,655	7,971	8,965	8,920
Belgian	1,699	1,511	1,566	1,611	1,677	1,766	2,011	2,302	2,535	2,589	2,923
French	5,362	3,702	4,157	3,917	4,181	3,851	3,889	4,435	4,066	4,265	4,376
Italian	730	1,222	1,393	1,390	1,185	1,078	1,078	971	1,095	1,696	1,732
Greek	1,344	906	569	488	838	705	841	830	1,185	1,455	1,354
United States of America	3,145	3,595	3,373	3,219	3,237	3,419	3,362	3,816	4,179	3,872	3,712
Panamanian	402	3,335	3,222	3,349	3,182	3,261	3,134	2,264	1,771	1,825	1,561
Liberian	2,408	2,413	3,131	4,305	5,786	3,219	4,104	4,292	5,056	6,070	5,799
Other						2,793	2,528	2,366	2,246	2,869	2,899
Cleared											
Total	92,165	82,120	87,622	91,135	97,101	96,940	97,644	101,054	108,221	115,284	115,292
Commonwealth(5)	49,962	46,076	48,277	50,400	52,801	52,062	50,635	51,998	54.790	56,457	57,335
Soviet Union	488	111	96	217	249	285	424	448	615	664	804
Finnish	1,490	783	710	647	844	753	785	507	605	559	595
Swedish	2,896	3,432	3,866	3,874	3,952	3,871	3,654	3,270	3,527	4,166	4,289
Norwegian	5,791	6,006	7,024	7,209	7,739	8,462	8,755	9,795	10,982	11,727	10,613
Danish	3,080(6)	2,183	2,314	2,411	2,666	2,227	2,266	2,584	3,071	3,241	2,696
Polish	141	181	201	185	232	216	226	328	400	353	322
German	7,496	1,316	1,770	1,889	2,180	2,302	2,666	3,115	3,692	4,249	4,625
Dutch	5,611	5,180	5,847	5,984	6,192	6,419	7,128	7,750	8,017	9,009	8,992
Belgian	1,714	1,517	1,563	1,614	1,685	1,761	2,016	2,284	2,556	2,604	2,950
French	5,366	3,743	4,168	3,911	4,173	3,866	3,887	4,412	4,073	4,309	4,403
Italian	739	1,243	1,397	1,367	1,220	1,097	1,098	983	1,064	1,682	1,688
Greek	1,373	893	562	512	872	749	818	833	1,303	1,582	1,469
United States of America	3,145	3,606	3,398	3,191	3,219	3,410	3,391	3,780	4,225	3,897	3,708
Panamanian	424	3,354	3,221	3,325	3,220	3,231	3,171	2,234	1,787	1,872	1,612
Liberian	2,449	2,496	3,206	4,399	5,856	3,431	4,202	4,323	5,132	6,017	5,821
Other						2,796	2,524	2,409	2,383	2,897	3,370

Vessels arrived and departed in the coasting trade

Thousand net tons(2)

	1938	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Arrived											
With cargo and in ballast(3)(4):											
Total	63,076	72,540	74,499	74,279	71,459	74,452	75,333	75,240	75,411	75,671	78,446
Commonwealth(5)	58,217	67,116	68,595	68,575	65,154	68,009	69,434	69,842	68,243	66,337	68,360
Foreign	4,859	5,424	5,903	5,704	6,305	6,442	5,899	5,396	7,168	9,333	10,087
With cargo only:											
Total	28,526	35,653	36,344	36,642	35,852	37,576	38,038	38,804	39,411	40,666	42,233
Commonwealth(5)	28,181	34,093	34,738	35,172	33,949	35,336	36,313	36,703	36,039	35,837	36,935
Foreign	345	1,560	1,605	1,470	1,903	2,240	1,725	2,095	3,372	4,829	5,299
Departed											
With cargo and in ballast(3)(4):											
Total	62,618	72,195	73,738	73,537	70,723	73,755	74,701	74,732	74,683	74,586	76,307
Commonwealth(5)	58,099	67,028	68,189	67,982	64,747	67,345	69,088	69,589	67,734	65,585	66,663
Foreign	4,519	5,167	5,549	5,555	5,976	6,410	5,612	5,143	6,948	9,001	9,643
With cargo only:											
Total	28,726	35,136	35,356	36,056	34,872	36,679	37,398	38,016	38,125	39,137	39,580
Commonwealth(5)	28,367	33,649	33,863	34,621	33,159	34,461	35,717	36,010	35,072	34,516	34,674
Foreign	359	1,487	1,493	1,435	1,713	2,218	1,682	2,006	3,053	4,621	4,904

(1) to (5) See footnotes on page 199.
(6) Including Icelandic tonnage.

Source: Ministry of Transport

TABLE **253**

United Kingdom airways(¹)

Operations and traffic on scheduled services: revenue traffic

	Unit	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All services											
Aircraft stage flights:											
Number	Number	158,800	177,614	180,414	202,756	225,791	234,103	233,651	250,711	284,273	309,205
Average length	Miles	366	347	330	341	346	363	372	366	375	374
Aircraft-miles flown	Thousands	58,134	61,720	59,570	69,052	78,121	85,073	86,989	91,876	106,533	115,615
Passengers carried	,,	1,733	2,160	2,444	2,994	3,451	3,974	3,985	4,705	5,880	6,837
Passenger-miles flown	,,	1,242,520	1,434,204	1,515,363	1,801,407	2,102,319	2,421,929	2,571,101	3,090,816	3,959,293	4,509,453
Cargo carried:											
Total	Short tons	44,252	72,680	83,832	121,616	112,973	124,064	150,784	206,424	253,977	267,757
Freight	,,	34,760	62,889	73,499	110,083	101,531	112,347	139,089	194,458	240,008	252,753
Mail	,,	9,492	9,791	10,333	11,533	11,442	11,717	11,695	11,966	13,969	15,004
Short ton-miles:											
Total	Thousands	175,287	196,615	203,286	244,618	276,043	313,544	329,934	391,952	490,529	556,933
Passenger	,,	125,980	142,546	147,900	174,493	203,392	233,164	246,985	296,450	377,788	430,227
Freight	,,	30,630	34,015	35,473	48,219	49,892	56,485	58,433	69,687	80,899	92,494
Mail	,,	18,677	20,054	19,913	21,906	22,758	23,895	24,516	25,815	31,842	34,212
Domestic services											
Aircraft stage flights:											
Number	Number	61,491	64,925	71,818	79,747	90,666	90,934	84,109	90,001	95,811	110,432
Average length	Miles	119	130	129	131	137	152	159	151	163	158
Aircraft-miles flown	Thousands	7,335	8,419	9,271	10,471	12,442	13,823	13,372	13,586	15,594	17,472
Passengers carried	,,	669	833	1,002	1,212	1,402	1,588	1,463	1,738	2,240	2,834
Passenger-miles flown	,,	115,841	150,384	182,652	227,277	270,496	313,783	303,000	364,311	477,611	599,241
Cargo carried:											
Total	Short tons	5,073	5,896	6,965	12,253	15,542	15,562	11,008	14,123	19,237	22,791
Freight	,,	2,658	3,493	4,270	8,899	12,769	12,692	8,381	11,450	16,195	19,318
Mail	,,	2,415	2,403	2,695	3,354	2,772	2,869	2,627	2,673	3,043	3,473
Short ton-miles:											
Total	Thousands	11,087	14,209	17,160	21,694	25,813	30,051	28,934	34,995	45,990	57,467
Passenger	,,	10,196	13,204	15,952	19,874	23,750	27,780	26,864	32,219	42,123	53,024
Freight	,,	492	605	755	1,211	1,595	1,776	1,618	2,317	3,339	3,777
Mail	,,	399	400	453	609	468	495	452	459	528	666
International services											
Aircraft stage flights:											
Number	Number	97,309	112,689	108,596	123,009	135,125	143,169	149,542	160,710	188,462	198,773
Average length	Miles	522	473	463	476	486	498	492	487	483	494
Aircraft-miles flown	Thousands	50,799	53,302	50,299	58,581	65,678	71,250	73,617	78,290	90,939	98,143
Passengers carried	,,	1,064	1,327	1,441	1,782	2,050	2,386	2,522	2,967	3,640	4,002
Passenger-miles flown	,,	1,126,679	1,283,819	1,332,713	1,574,130	1,831,823	2,108,146	2,268,101	2,726,504	3,481,682	3,910,211
Cargo carried:											
Total	Short tons	39,179	66,783	76,868	109,363	97,431	108,502	139,776	192,301	234,739	244,966
Freight	,,	32,102	59,395	69,230	101,184	88,762	99,655	130,708	183,008	223,813	233,435
Mail	,,	7,077	7,388	7,638	8,179	8,669	8,848	9,068	9,293	10,926	11,531
Short ton-miles:											
Total	Thousands	164,203	182,405	186,129	222,924	250,230	283,493	301,000	356,957	444,538	499,467
Passenger	,,	115,785	129,341	131,947	154,619	179,643	205,384	220,121	264,230	335,665	377,203
Freight	,,	30,138	33,411	34,719	47,008	48,298	54,709	56,815	67,371	77,559	88,718
Mail	,,	18,280	19,653	19,463	21,297	22,290	23,400	24,064	25,356	31,314	33,546

(¹) Including services of United Kingdom Airways Corporations and private companies, but not those of the Corporations' associates and subsidiaries overseas.

Source: Ministry of Aviation

United Kingdom private companies(¹)

TABLE **254**

Operations and traffic on scheduled services: revenue traffic(²)

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	38,789	49,434	62,973	75,017	73,663	74,123	89,949	108,154	128,124
Average length	Miles	113	126	157	146	169	161	133	132	135
Aircraft-miles flown	Thousands	4,375	6,233	9,863	10,917	12,469	11,922	11,936	14,277	17,302
Passengers carried	„	239	332	495	626	761	759	941	1,275	1,637
Passenger-miles flown	„	52,454	79,992	119,914	148,793	174,034	186,491	214,317	272,316	349,392
Cargo carried:										
Total	Short tons	39,451	48,617	80,257	68,325	75,411	100,114	146,519	181,505	190,176
Freight(³)	„	39,423	48,571	80,217	68,277	75,359	100,076	146,512	181,496	190,136
Mail	„	28	46	40	49	53	38	7	9	40
Short ton-miles:										
Total	Thousands	7,177	10,069	20,216	20,007	23,954	27,151	34,007	40,963	49,311
Passenger	„	4,790	7,332	11,022	13,629	16,065	17,012	19,335	24,538	31,467
Freight	„	2,366	2,697	9,151	6,339	7,851	10,101	14,655	16,403	17,773
Mail	„	21	39	43	39	37	37	17	22	71
Domestic services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	14,443	18,389	21,868	30,800	27,649	22,300	25,677	29,269	42,122
Average length	Miles	109	110	118	115	147	164	134	153	136
Aircraft-miles flown	Thousands	1,581	2,028	2,571	3,533	4,071	3,657	3,440	4,485	5,745
Passengers carried	„	100	153	220	291	350	299	360	521	788
Passenger-miles flown	„	13,758	21,467	34,930	43,832	54,849	51,604	60,497	89,085	130,498
Cargo carried:										
Total	Short tons	123	237	3,290	6,504	5,475	491	781	1,816	4,149
Freight(³)	„	123	237	3,290	6,492	5,463	491	781	1,816	4,129
Mail	„	—	—	—	11	11	—	—	1	20
Short ton-miles:										
Total	Thousands	1,199	1,886	3,186	4,095	5,216	4,596	5,333	7,892	11,895
Passenger	„	1,190	1,855	3,023	3,729	4,860	4,518	5,208	7,625	11,391
Freight	„	9	31	163	366	356	77	124	266	503
Mail	„	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
International services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	24,346	31,045	41,105	44,217	46,014	51,823	64,272	78,885	86,002
Average length	Miles	115	135	177	167	183	159	132	124	134
Aircraft-miles flown	Thousands	2,794	4,205	7,292	7,383	8,398	8,265	8,497	9,792	11,558
Passengers carried	„	139	179	275	335	410	460	580	754	850
Passenger-miles flown	„	38,697	58,525	84,984	104,961	119,185	134,887	153,820	183,231	218,894
Cargo carried:										
Total	Short tons	39,328	48,380	76,967	61,822	69,936	99,623	145,739	179,689	186,027
Freight(³)	„	39,300	48,334	76,927	61,784	69,895	99,585	145,732	179,680	186,007
Mail	„	28	46	40	37	41	38	7	9	20
Short ton-miles:										
Total	Thousands	5,978	8,182	17,030	15,911	18,737	22,555	28,674	33,071	37,416
Passenger	„	3,599	5,477	7,999	9,900	11,205	12,494	14,127	16,913	20,076
Freight	„	2,357	2,666	8,988	5,973	7,495	10,024	14,531	16,137	17,270
Mail	„	21	39	43	38	37	37	17	22	70

(¹) These operations are included in Table 253.
(²) Excluding inclusive tours.
(³) Including weight of vehicles carried on vehicle ferry services.

Source: Ministry of Aviation

TABLE 255

United Kingdom airways(¹)

Accidents on scheduled passenger-carrying services

Number

	Fatal accidents	Passenger casualties		Crew casualties		Aircraft stage flights per fatal accident	Aircraft-miles flown per fatal accident	Passengers carried per passenger killed	Passenger-miles flown per passenger killed	Fatal accidents		Passengers killed per 100 million passenger-miles
		Killed	Seriously injured	Killed	Seriously injured					per 10,000 aircraft stage flights	per million aircraft-miles	
1946–50...	18	180	11	61	8(²)	29,500	11,015,200	21,100	15,370,700	0·34	0·09	6·5
1951–55...	7(³)	158	16	24	7	116,800	41,217,100	68,200	44,625,500	0·09	0·02	2·2
1956–60...	5	110	28	26	4	238,672	87,828,800	199,800	129,794,700	0·04	0·01	0·8
1957	3	55	9	18	—	212,500	78,639,300	251,200	165,177,400	0·05	0·01	0·6
1958	1	26	—	5	—							
1959	—	—	3(⁴)	—	—							
1960	—	—	7	—	1							
1961	2	20	23	9	3							

(¹) See footnote (¹) to Table 253.
(²) Excluding one casualty resulting from a bomb explosion in flight.
(³) Excluding accidents involving the deaths of third parties only.
(⁴) In-flight injuries caused by turbulence.

Source: Ministry of Aviation

TABLE 256

Air traffic between the United Kingdom and abroad(¹)

Aircraft flights and passengers carried

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Flights											
Total	95·1	96·2	108·3	116·3	134·4	150·7	174·8	188·1	203·1	225·0	190·5
By aircraft registered in United Kingdom...	47·0	48·4	58·3	62·5	78·0	85·5	104·7	115·9	129·0	148·3	100·5
By aircraft registered abroad(²)	48·1	47·9	50·0	53·8	56·4	65·2	70·1	72·2	74·1	76·7	90·0
Passengers carried											
Total	1,587·2	1,689·7	2,057·5	2,350·2	2,822·4	3,273·0	3,952·6	4,246·3	4,838·0	6,028·5	6,513·0
By aircraft registered in United Kingdom...	706·3	796·0	1,069·3	1,263·6	1,552·9	1,784·0	2,277·8	2,535·0	2,865·3	3,461·7	3,412·4
By aircraft registered abroad	880·9	893·7	988·2	1,086·6	1,269·5	1,489·0	1,674·8	1,711·3	1,972·7	2,566·8	3,100·6

(¹) Excluding Transport Command operations and travel to and from the Channel Islands.
(²) Including aircraft registered in the Irish Republic, operating the services between the United Kingdom and Ireland, and aircraft of Commonwealth companies operating in pool with British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Source: Ministry of Aviation

TABLE 257

Activity at civil aerodromes

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Movement of civil aircraft (Thousands)	405	408	449	465	504	533	676	678	670	706	761
Commercial:											
Total	233	234	253	268	296	317	357	369	390	439	481
Transport	187	195	214	232	259	293	329	340	358	402	447
Other(¹)	46	39	40	35	37	23	29	29	32	37	33
Non-commercial(²)..........................	172	174	196	197	208	216	319	309	280	267	280
Passengers handled (Thousands):											
Total	2,629	2,970	3,675	4,289	5,143	5,966	6,988	7,106	8,309	10,610	12,846
Terminal	2,471	2,776	3,419	4,004	4,831	5,617	6,600	6,761	7,866	10,075	12,249
Transit	158	194	257	285	312	350	388	345	443	535	596
Commercial freight handled(³) (Short tons):											
Total	48,206	44,026	70,579	93,142	124,758	133,622	153,381	184,610	248,899	307,685	345,550
Set down	20,073	17,259	28,778	39,961	55,514	55,152	65,155	86,950	125,963	153,281	162,743
Picked up	28,133	26,767	41,802	53,180	69,245	78,470	88,226	97,660	122,936	154,404	182,807
Mail handled (Short tons):											
Total	13,060	13,505	14,193	15,715	18,794	18,466	18,196	18,755	19,873	22,514	25,973
Set down	5,545	5,428	5,535	6,324	7,759	7,591	6,959	7,552	8,136	9,506	11,151
Picked up	7,515	8,077	8,659	9,391	11,035	10,875	11,237	11,203	11,737	13,008	14,822

(¹) Local pleasure flights and non-transport charter flights for reward (for example, aerial survey work, crop dusting and delivery of empty aircraft).
(²) Test and training flights, scheduled service positioning flights, private, aero-club and official flights, etc.
(³) Figures include weight of vehicles carried on cross-Channel ferry services.

Source: Ministry of Aviation

Postal, telegraph and telephone services

TABLE **258**

Years ended 31 March(¹)

	Unit	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Letter and parcel post												
Letters, etc., posted(²) ...	Millions	8,500	8,750	8,800	9,100	9,500	9,700	9,700	9,600	9,700	10,200	10,600
of which:												
Registered and insured	„	118	124	115	111	113	115	103	93	86	87	85
Airmail (Commonwealth and foreign)(³)	„	168	202	211	224	234	239	271	258	238	248	275
Business reply items ...	„	39·9	44·4	51·3	51·2	59·1	67·7	77·9	81·6	81·4	83·6	95·6
Parcels posted..............	„	223·4	214·0	234·0	235·0	237·3	231·8	243·0	241·3	238·3	229·5	242·9
of which:												
Registered and insured	„	28·1	26·0	23·7	20·6	16·6	14·9	11·6	8·9	7·9	7·5	7·2
Inward and transit parcels handled	„	9·3	9·6	9·2	6·6	5·5	5·8	6·0	6·1	5·0	5·2	5·3
Money orders												
Total handled	Thous.	29,320	27,925	28,125	30,797	33,328	36,893	33,123	27,281	26,540	28,141	30,162
Inland	„	27,462	25,967	26,043	28,525	30,929	34,419	30,611	24,848	24,260	25,306	26,249
Commonwealth and foreign	„	1,858	1,958	2,082	2,272	2,399	2,474	2,512	2,433	2,280	2,835	3,913
Postal orders												
Total issued(⁴)...............	„	471,496	512,733	566,450	593,722	604,563	596,959	616,381	655,530	675,605	706,177	720,731
Telegrams and telephones												
Length of single wire:												
Total	Th. miles	27,811	28,903	29,942	31,257	32,982	34,342	35,674	36,455	37,444	38,269	39,189
Overhead	„	1,944	1,958	1,985	2,033	2,100	2,172	2,264	2,267	2,295	2,346	2,417
Underground..............	„	25,825	26,903	27,917	29,183	30,839	32,124	33,364	34,142	35,102	35,875	36,725
Submarine	„	42	42	40	41	43	46	46	46	47	48	47
Telegrams:												
Total	Thous.	65,241	61,969	58,229	56,219	47,987	42,990	39,350	37,161	34,625	35,101	34,508
Inland	„	41,614	38,625	36,400	34,194	25,706	20,546	16,844	15,233	14,086	13,827	13,567
Foreign (via Post Office system)(⁵)..................	„	23,627	23,344	21,829	22,025	22,281	22,444	22,506	21,928	20,539	21,274	20,941
Telex stations	Number	..	..	..	..	..	2,642	3,554	4,332	5,027	5,923	7,089
Telephone calls:												
Total	Millions	3,326	3,492	3,429	3,648	3,921	4,198	4,064	3,998	4,040	4,283	4,722
Local	„	3,076	3,230	3,165	3,370	3,615	3,865	3,743	3,671	3,700	3,900	4,300
Trunk	„	250	262	264	278	306	333	321	327	340	383	422
Telephone stations (⁶):												
Total	Thous.	5,426	5,715	5,878	6,147	6,502	6,898	7,237	7,372	7,541	7,864	8,282
Public call offices	„	58	60	63	64	66	68	70	72	73	74	74
Private stations	„	5,368	5,655	5,815	6,083	6,436	6,830	7,167	7,300	7,468	7,790	8,208
Telephone exchanges:												
Total	Number	5,867	5,881	5,890	5,913	5,927	5,944	5,980	5,996	6,009	6,009	6,001
Automatic	„	4,201	4,297	4,383	4,494	4,576	4,662	4,784	4,897	4,982	5,088	5,190
Manual	„	1,666	1,584	1,507	1,419	1,351	1,282	1,196	1,099	1,027	921	811
Broadcast receiving licences current												
Sound(⁷).....................	Thous.	11,605	11,304	10,750	10,188	9,477	8,522	7,559	6,556	5,481	4,535	3,909
Television	„	764	1,449	2,142	3,249	4,504	5,740	6,966	8,090	9,255	10,470	11,268

(¹) Years ended 31 March for letter and parcel post, money and postal orders, telegrams sent and telephone calls made in the United Kingdom. For all other items figures relate to 31 March in each year.

(²) Including printed papers, newspapers, postcards and sample packets.

(³) Including letters without special charge for air transport. In 1960/61 about 144 million items were carried by inland airmail.

(⁴) Excluding those issued on H.M. ships, in many British possessions and in other places abroad.

(⁵) Excluding those sent abroad via the private cable companies' system.

(⁶) A station is an instrument which is connected directly or indirectly with the public exchange system.

(⁷) Including free licences issued to the blind.

Source: General Post Office

IX. EXTERNAL TRADE

THE TABLES covering external trade have been compiled from information published or to be published in the *Annual Statement of the Trade of the United Kingdom* and from the *Monthly Accounts relating to the Trade and Navigation of the United Kingdom.* (The United Kingdom trade statistics do not include the trade between the United Kingdom and the Channel Islands Conversely, and for statistical purposes only, direct trade between the Channel Islands and overseas countries other than the United Kingdom is treated as United Kingdom trade. The term "United Kingdom" is therefore, used throughout these notes to include the Channel Islands). For more detailed figures, notes and definitions relating to imports and exports, reference should be made to these volumes. The system of classification of commodities for the external trade statistics of the United Kingdom is based on the *Standard International Trade Classification* compiled by the United Nations.

Changes in the coverage of the *Trade Accounts* are made from time to time, but as far as possible all earlier figures are adjusted to conform to the coverage and definitions in operation in the latest period shown.

In some cases it is not possible to adjust figures for all periods to a comparable basis, and the following discontinuities should be noted:

> Aircraft, other than newly constructed, for delivery to a consignee outside the United Kingdom or arriving in this country on purchase from abroad are excluded from the *Trade Accounts* from 1st January 1959 and adjustments have been made starting from the years in which figures are first available, 1953 for exports and 1956 for imports.
>
> Fish, whales and other natural produce of the sea taken by ships registered in the United Kingdom and brought direct to the United Kingdom are excluded from the *Trade Accounts* from the 1st January 1959 and adjustments have been made back to 1955, the first year that figures were separately recorded for United Kingdom Whale Fisheries.
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> Exposed cinematograph film was not recorded in the year 1959.

Values

The value of imports for the years shown is governed by the appropriate Finance Acts. In practice, for statistical purposes, the value is normally:

> For goods imported under a commercial contract of sale negotiated in fully open market conditions—the price made under that contract adjusted as necessary to the landed c.i.f. point (exclusive of Customs duties and purchase tax) and, where payable in foreign currency, converted to its sterling equivalent at the rate of exchange appropriate at the time of lodgement of the Customs import entry.
>
> For goods imported otherwise—the price that would have been made under such a contract, similarly adjusted and converted to sterling.

The value of exports represents the cost of the goods, including packing, inland and coastal transport in the United Kingdom, dock dues, loading charges, and all other costs, profits, charges and expenses (e.g. insurance and commission) accruing up to the point where the goods are deposited on board the exporting vessel or aircraft or at the land boundary of Northern Ireland, and is known as the "free on board" value; this value does not include purchase tax.

Both quantities and values are based on the declarations of importers and exporters or their agents which may be verified by Customs officials.

Parcel post

The value of trade in postal packages under Class E of the United Kingdom trade classification is derived by applying estimated average values to the numbers of parcels imported and exported by parcel post; letter post packets are not included. Revised estimated average values were introduced in January 1961. In these tables all import and export figures for 1960 have been revised on the basis of the new average values. For purposes of comparison, the 1960 totals were increased by £1·9 million in the case of imports and £19·1 million in the case of exports.

Volume index

The volume index numbers (Table 260) are designed to show movements in imports and exports after eliminating variations due to price changes.

Trade by areas and countries

Commonwealth countries and the Irish Republic

All Commonwealth countries (including protectorates, protected states, trust territories and mandated territories) and the Irish Republic.

Sterling Area countries

All Commonwealth countries (except Canada) together with the Irish Republic, Burma, Iceland, Jordan and Libya.

North America

United States of America and dependencies and Canada.

Western Europe

Finland, Sweden, Norway (including Spitzbergen) Denmark (including Faroe Islands and Greenland), Western Germany (including the Saar from 1957, previously included with France), Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, France, Switzerland, Andorra, Portugal (including Azores and Madeira), Spain*, Italy, Liechtenstein, Austria, Yugoslavia, Greece and Turkey.

*(including Canary Islands and Spanish Ports in North Africa)

Latin America

Cuba, Republic of Hayti, Dominican Republic, Mexico, Guatemala, Honduras (not British), El Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Colombia, Panama (including Canal Zone), Venezuela, Ecuador, Peru, Chile, Brazil, Uruguay, Bolivia, Argentine Republic and Paraguay.

Soviet Eastern European countries

Soviet Union, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Albania, Bulgaria, Roumania and Eastern Germany.

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Value of the external trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE 259

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Imports									
Total(1)	3,328·1	3,359·2	3,860·8	3,861·5	4,043·7	3,747·5	3,983·4	4,540·7	4,397·9
Food, beverages and tobacco	1,303·4	1,314·4	1,426·5	1,435·6	1,479·0	1,490·7	1,518·4	1,536·6	1,483·4
Basic materials	1,044·3	1,015·2	1,107·9	1,085·8	1,149·5	888·9	931·2	1,060·2	985·2
Mineral fuels and lubricants	313·5	328·9	408·2	413·7	465·7	438·9	467·1	480·3	483·6
Manufactured goods	650·0	686·6	903·9	912·2	934·7	914·1	1,051·3	1,445·3	1,426·7
Semi-manufactures(2)	445·6	512·6	687·7	666·5	650·4	595·6	659·2	903·1	840·1
Finished manufactures(3)	204·4	174·0	216·1	245·7	284·3	318·4	392·1	542·2	586·6
Exports of United Kingdom produce and manufactures									
Total(1)(4)	2,558·0	2,649·9	2,876·7	3,143·3	3,295·0	3,176·2	3,330·1	3,554·8	3,682·4
Food, beverages and tobacco	146·5	154·3	167·7	178·1	201·3	188·4	190·1	196·7	207·4
Basic materials	96·8	101·0	111·2	115·7	122·8	108·8	130·0	125·7	134·5
Mineral fuels and lubricants	146·1	150·5	139·4	159·6	150·4	130·8	119·0	132·6	123·5
Manufactured goods: Total(4)	2,085·1	2,158·7	2,370·9	2,604·5	2,737·9	2,669·9	2,813·3	3,000·5	3,118·0
Metals(5)	340·5	337·9	395·1	440·3	475·8	431·7	454·0	471·6	474·0
Engineering products(6)	963·6	1,006·6	1,107·9	1,261·5	1,346·1	1,387·2	1,468·5	1,572·2	1,673·7
Textiles (excluding clothing)(7)	324·8	323·8	309·8	294·3	300·6	254·2	248·2	260·9	249·4
Other(4)	456·2	490·3	558·1	608·3	615·4	596·9	642·6	695·8	720·9
Re-exports									
Total(1)(8)	103·1	98·3	116·4	143·7	129·8	141·2	130·9	141·2	158·5

(1) Including Class E (Postal packages and live animals of a kind not normally used for food).

Source: Board of Trade

(2) Import List divisions D1—13.

(3) Import List divisions D14—23.

(4) The figures include repayments of Lend-Lease silver to the United States valued at £22·4 million for 1956 and £7·1 million for 1957. (These repayments ceased in April 1957.)

(5) Export List divisions D12–14.

(6) Export List divisions D15–19 and 22.

(7) Export List divisions D 6–9.

(8) Before 1957 includes aircraft other than newly constructed.

Index numbers of volume of imports and exports

Imports

TABLE 260

1954=100

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	99	100	111	110	114	114	122	138	135
A. Food, beverages and tobacco:									
Total	102	100	107	109	113	119	118	121	121
2. Meat and meat preparations	106	100	112	116	122	119	119	127	119
3. Dairy products, eggs and honey	107	100	99	105	105	118	116	118	124
5. Cereals and cereal preparations	117	100	122	125	121	143	142	136	137
6. Fruits and vegetables	88	100	108	108	105	118	116	120	121
7. Sugar and sugar preparations	130	100	94	97	116	107	102	93	93
8. Coffee, cocoa and cocoa preparations, tea and spices	94	100	93	90	102	100	94	99	103
9. Feeding-stuff for animals and food wastes	83	100	118	116	110	138	159	153	152
12. Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	104	100	111	102	103	101	97	118	111
B. Basic materials:									
Total	101	100	105	102	106	94	101	109	101
1. Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	112	100	102	100	107	90	102	102	111
2. Oilseeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	106	100	89	89	89	78	86	78	74
3. Rubber, including synthetic and reclaimed	99	100	128	130	139	142	106	128	124
4 Wood and cork	101	100	114	92	101	89	98	119	108
5. Pulp and waste paper	82	100	118	113	112	111	120	146	139
7. Wool and other animal hair and tops	123	100	106	105	100	98	115	97	95
8. Cotton	88	100	81	91	98	72	80	78	64
11. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	95	100	112	114	125	94	96	134	114
13. Animal and vegetable oils, fats, greases and derivatives	93	100	103	91	98	87	98	104	98

Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of volume of imports and exports

TABLE **260** *(continued)*

Imports *(continued)*

1954=100

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants:									
Total	90	100	121	115	114	124	143	157	164
2. Petroleum and petroleum products	94	100	107	112	115	129	151	165	173
D. Manufactured goods:									
Total	93	100	125	125	130	132	150	201	196
1. Chemicals	80	100	108	100	109	117	139	170	165
5. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	65	100	122	116	126	128	135	161	171
6–9. Textiles	65	100	107	120	129	124	149	196	203
12. Iron and steel	198	100	363	379	215	139	137	311	148
13. Non-ferrous base metals	85	100	109	101	110	114	116	149	138
16. Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances	61	100	133	128	140	162	202	238	283

United Kingdom exports

1954=100

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	96	100	107	113	116	111	116	122	125
A. Food, beverages and tobacco	93	100	106	115	124	121	118	123	129
B. Basic materials	93	100	115	119	122	122	145	132	145
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants:									
Total	92	100	90	92	80	82	79	93	87
1. Coal, coke and briquettes	100	100	91	72	63	37	32	44	45
2. Petroleum and petroleum products	86	100	89	108	93	118	117	132	121
D. Manufactured goods:									
Total	96	100	109	115	118	113	117	124	127
1. Chemicals	79	100	117	126	137	135	155	181	199
5. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	83	100	107	111	111	106	108	115	114
6. Woollen and worsted yarns and woven fabrics	110	100	106	109	110	95	106	104	96
7. Cotton yarns and woven fabrics	107	100	87	79	76	62	57	54	46
8. Synthetic fibre yarns and woven fabrics	99	100	82	81	85	70	69	70	73
9. Miscellaneous textile manufactures	91	100	103	97	97	88	88	94	85
12. Iron and steel	89	100	113	116	133	117	132	144	148
13. Non-ferrous base metals	105	100	113	146	157	183	191	159	168
14. Manufactures of metals	108	100	115	109	102	87	88	91	87
15. Machinery other than electric	99	100	109	114	117	111	115	129	144
16. Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances	100	100	113	124	127	123	124	126	138
18. Road vehicles and aircraft	92	100	109	115	124	136	144	147	130
Metals(1)	100	100	114	118	123	115	122	123	125
Engineering products(2)	96	100	108	118	121	119	121	128	133
Textiles(3)	103	100	96	92	92	79	79	80	73
Other manufactures	89	100	114	122	124	121	131	145	152

(1) Export List divisions D12, 13 and 14.
(2) Export List divisions D15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 22.
(3) Export List divisions D6, 7, 8 and 9.

Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of import and export prices

TABLE **261**

1954=100

	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1961			
									1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter
Imports												
Total	100	103	105	107	99	98	99	97	97	98	96	96
Food, beverages and tobacco	100	101	101	101	97	98	97	94	95	96	91	92
Basic materials	100	104	106	110	96	93	96	95	94	96	96	94
Fuels	100	102	110	128	112	104	98	96	96	96	95	96
Manufactured goods	100	109	110	104	101	104	107	107	107	108	106	106
Exports												
Total	100	102	106	111	110	109	111	112	112	112	112	112
Manufactured goods:												
Total	100	102	106	109	111	111	114	115	115	115	115	115
Metals	100	104	112	115	118	115	118	118	118	117	118	118
Engineering products	100	103	107	112	115	117	120	122	121	121	122	122
Textiles (excluding clothing)	100	100	99	101	101	98	102	106	106	107	106	105
Other	100	102	104	106	105	106	106	106	106	106	106	107
Terms of trade(1)	100	101	99	96	90	90	89	86	87	88	86	85

(1) Import price index as a percentage of the export price index.

Source: Board of Trade

Value of imports

Analysis by classes and divisions

TABLE 262

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	3,328·1	3,359·2	3,860·8	3,861·5	4,043·7	3,747·5	3,983·4	4,540·7	4,397·9
A. Food, beverages and tobacco									
Total	1,303·4	1,314·4	1,426·5	1,435·6	1,479·0	1,490·7	1,518·4	1,536·6	1,483·4
1. Live animals, chiefly for food	25·4	34·4	36·5	33·2	45·3	38·9	30·0	33·2	44·0
2. Meat and meat preparations	266·2	255·6	294·1	292·2	307·6	313·6	315·3	343·7	311·5
3. Dairy products, eggs and honey	169·6	160·4	155·9	169·4	139·9	135·9	190·0	172·6	158·2
5. Cereals and cereal preparations	237·6	178·5	224·8	235·0	213·9	226·6	230·7	219·0	213·3
6. Fruits and vegetables	160·0	186·5	202·4	221·0	213·1	247·7	232·9	240·3	251·0
7. Sugar and sugar preparations	129·0	103·4	103·1	108·5	155·1	100·7	86·6	81·4	74·8
8. Coffee, cocoa and cocoa preparations, tea and spices	154·6	217·1	201·4	165·7	189·7	194·4	176·2	175·2	167·1
9. Feeding stuffs for animals and food wastes	39·5	43·1	54·3	50·4	44·5	49·6	66·0	59·4	55·5
11. Beverages	23·2	24·0	27·2	30·4	34·0	33·9	37·0	42·0	46·9
Other food and food preparations (4 and 10)	20·4	35·2	40·3	49·3	50·2	62·5	69·1	66·3	60·4
12. Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	77·8	76·2	86·5	80·6	85·5	86·9	84·7	103·6	100·7
B. Basic materials									
Total	1,044·3	1,015·2	1,107·9	1,085·8	1,149·5	888·9	931·2	1,060·2	985·2
1. Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	50·3	43·8	45·7	44·0	48·0	39·0	48·7	50·0	46·9
2. Oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	73·3	70·5	57·0	60·9	61·7	49·8	58·8	54·6	48·9
3. Rubber, including synthetic and reclaimed	56·3	50·0	95·8	88·5	84·2	75·8	63·8	77·7	72·0
4. Wood and cork	159·3	155·2	192·5	159·9	173·5	140·5	142·4	186·4	177·1
5. Pulp and waste paper	67·8	86·6	106·7	107·5	105·1	97·6	99·9	121·8	118·0
7. Wool and other animal hair and tops	245·1	196·8	191·5	187·4	205·3	145·3	168·3	149·3	144·6
8. Cotton	107·2	125·9	98·6	104·2	108·4	71·6	67·9	73·5	62·4
Other textile fibres and waste (6 and 9)	38·5	35·8	36·8	32·8	40·0	30·0	36·0	43·2	39·1
10. Crude fertilizers and crude minerals, excluding fuels	30·9	35·2	39·4	41·6	40·4	34·3	33·2	42·1	43·9
11. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	133·1	129·3	154·7	173·4	194·8	127·2	124·2	167·0	143·9
12. Miscellaneous animal and vegetable crude materials	28·6	33·9	37·3	33·8	32·7	32·5	34·4	41·1	37·7
13. Animal and vegetable oils, fats, greases and derivatives	54·1	52·2	51·7	51·6	55·4	45·3	53·7	53·7	50·7
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants									
Total	313·5	328·9	408·2	413·7	465·7	438·9	467·1	480·3	483·6
1. Coal, coke and briquettes	3·5	17·0	73·8	43·3	25·5	7·1	1·4	0·5	0·8
2. Petroleum and petroleum products	310·0	312·0	334·3	370·4	440·2	431·8	465·7	479·8	482·8
D. Manufactured goods									
Total	650·0	686·6	903·9	912·2	934·7	914·1	1,051·3	1,445·3	1,426·7
1. Chemicals	75·5	101·7	112·2	107·3	114·7	120·0	138·2	175·5	167·2
2. Leather, leather manufactures and dressed furs	20·8	20·6	21·3	20·8	23·2	20·0	26·8	26·9	28·0
3. Rubber manufactures	0·8	1·4	2·1	2·5	2·7	2·6	4·2	6·0	6·8
4. Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	23·9	39·0	51·6	38·9	45·0	44·9	50·2	60·0	57·3
5. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	33·2	51·6	65·6	64·3	70·2	71·1	73·6	87·5	90·3
6. Wool or hair yarns; woollen and worsted woven fabrics	5·5	6·3	7·8	8·7	10·9	10·8	9·3	9·8	14·6
7. Cotton yarns and woven fabrics	11·0	21·6	23·9	25·8	33·4	32·2	44·0	67·4	72·5
8. Man-made fibre yarns and woven fabrics	8·9	12·6	11·7	10·9	13·7	12·6	10·0	15·4	15·3
9. Miscellaneous textile manufactures	22·8	30·2	30·5	30·0	30·9	29·4	34·5	42·9	43·9
10. Miscellaneous non-metallic mineral manufactures	7·9	8·0	9·7	9·5	10·3	12·1	14·1	19·7	21·5
11. Silver, platinum and jewellery	15·3	9·7	13·7	10·8	14·7	9·3	10·7	14·7	28·2
12. Iron and steel	60·7	27·9	98·3	105·1	78·6	45·7	40·1	100·6	49·0
13. Non-ferrous base metals	159·2	182·0	239·4	231·9	202·1	184·9	203·5	276·6	245·5
14. Manufactures of metals	11·0	10·1	13·2	14·8	18·9	18·2	18·8	29·2	37·8
15. Machinery other than electric	97·5	74·9	91·9	110·2	124·6	136·6	163·1	200·4	251·6
16. Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances	10·4	15·9	23·4	23·5	26·6	29·4	40·2	53·8	63·7
17. Railway vehicles	1·4	1·7	0·5	1·8	1·7	1·3	1·1	0·8	1·0
18. Road vehicles and aircraft	47·7	23·7	26·5	21·8	26·2	22·0	34·4	74·6	35·8
19. Ships and boats	2·5	2·4	4·6	6·1	10·8	22·2	13·7	14·3	12·0
20. Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings; prefabricated buildings; furniture	1·6	2·4	3·3	4·1	4·9	5·4	6·6	8·5	9·5
21. Clothing, footwear, travel goods and handbags	8·5	13·3	18·2	23·1	26·1	29·7	41·3	60·0	67·2
22. Scientific instruments, photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	10·2	12·6	14·6	15·7	16·9	20·2	23·8	34·8	43·1
23. Miscellaneous manufactured articles	13·6	17·3	19·9	24·6	27·5	33·5	49·1	65·8	65·0
E. Miscellaneous									
1. Postal packages	10·4	7·9	7·8	7·4	7·5	7·0	6·7	8·6(1)	8·8
2. Live animals of a kind not normally used for food	6·3	6·1	6·5	6·8	7·3	8·0	8·7	9·7	10·2

(1) This figure includes an increase of £1·9 million based on the valuation adopted in 1961 (see introductory note on page 205).

Source: Board of Trade

TABLE 263

Value of exports of the produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

Analysis by classes and divisions

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total(1)	2,558·0	2,649·9	2,876·7	3,143·3	3,295·0	3,176·2	3,330·1	3,554·8	3,682·4
A. Food, beverages and tobacco									
Total	146·5	154·3	167·7	178·1	201·3	188·4	190·1	196·7	207·4
1. Live animals chiefly for food	1·0	1·0	1·0	6·0	14·0	8·8	7·3	5·4	12·5
2. Meat and meat preparations	2·6	2·7	3·0	4·2	5·6	5·6	4·8	5·0	5·9
3. Dairy products, eggs and honey	2·3	4·2	6·2	6·1	9·0	7·8	6·8	10·5	10·9
5. Cereals and cereal preparations	8·0	11·7	11·9	16·2	10·1	13·2	17·4	17·9	15·6
6. Fruits and vegetables	7·7	7·1	7·9	7·7	8·1	8·0	8·2	8·2	9·3
7. Sugar and sugar preparations	33·0	32·7	34·8	31·5	45·1	31·5	28·4	27·7	21·3
8. Coffee, cocoa and cocoa preparations, tea and spices	13·1	15·4	16·2	14·8	14·4	13·9	13·2	11·9	11·1
11. Beverages	45·0	45·6	51·0	55·6	60·4	64·6	71·0	75·9	85·5
Other food and food preparations (4, 9 and 10)	10·0	12·0	12·3	12·9	12·8	13·3	14·2	16·0	16·6
12. Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	23·9	21·7	23·4	23·3	21·9	21·6	18·7	18·2	18·7
B. Basic materials									
Total	96·8	101·0	111·2	115·7	122·8	108·8	130·0	125·7	134·5
1. Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	2·2	2·1	2·5	2·6	2·5	2·6	3·4	3·8	4·1
7. Wool and other animal hair and tops	64·3	63·1	65·4	68·5	78·5	65·3	69·7	70·4	70·9
Other basic materials (2,3,4,5,6 and 8)	3·9	5·0	5·4	6·0	5·8	5·6	6·9	10·4	11·5
9. Miscellaneous textile fibres and waste	7·0	8·2	12·7	11·5	12·2	9·9	12·8	15·0	19·2
10. Crude fertilizers and crude minerals, excluding fuels	7·4	8·5	9·8	11·0	11·3	11·5	11·8	13·6	14·9
11. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1·7	1·4	1·7	2·4	2·0	5·0	14·6	3·7	4·7
12. Miscellaneous animal and vegetable crude materials	3·7	3·3	3·1	4·2	3·0	2·6	2·4	2·3	3·0
13. Animal and vegetable oils, fats, greases and derivatives	6·6	9·3	10·6	9·6	7·7	6·4	8·5	6·5	6·1
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants									
Total	146·1	150·5	139·4	159·6	150·4	130·8	119·0	132·6	123·5
1. Coal, coke and briquettes	69·8	66·9	62·5	60·8	60·5	31·4	23·9	28·4	29·3
2. Petroleum and petroleum products	76·3	83·6	76·9	98·7	90·0	99·4	95·1	104·2	94·2
D. Manufactured goods									
Total(1)	2,085·1	2,158·7	2,370·9	2,604·5	2,737·9	2,669·9	2,813·3	3,000·5	3,118·0
1. Chemicals	176·6	202·8	231·7	243·1	265·9	261·5	293·1	316·7	325·0
2. Leather, leather manufactures and dressed furs	17·3	16·8	18·2	18·9	20·7	19·8	25·0	23·2	24·5
3. Rubber manufactures	29·5	31·9	36·2	39·3	38·8	36·8	39·7	44·0	47·8
4. Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	2·1	2·2	2·6	2·6	2·8	3·1	3·0	3·3	3·9
5. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	28·8	33·1	37·2	39·6	38·4	37·9	37·6	40·8	41·2
6. Wool or hair yarns; woollen and worsted woven fabrics	87·3	83·2	87·9	89·8	95·1	79·9	82·9	86·2	81·8
7. Cotton yarns and woven fabrics	117·0	112·0	97·6	88·6	88·4	71·1	63·2	63·0	56·6
8. Man-made fibre yarns and woven fabrics	39·3	40·0	33·8	31·8	32·9	27·9	27·1	29·4	31·6
9. Miscellaneous textile manufactures	81·2	88·6	90·6	84·1	84·2	75·3	75·0	82·4	79·4
10. Miscellaneous non-metallic mineral manufactures	55·4	58·3	69·5	66·9	63·8	63·1	64·6	69·5	69·6
11. Silver, platinum and jewellery(1)	18·1	13·7	18·2	42·7	28·6	13·8	14·5	17·9	19·7
12. Iron and steel	133·9	135·7	155·4	172·2	212·3	187·5	191·7	215·4	211·7
13. Non-ferrous base metals	60·3	55·6	74·0	102·2	95·7	93·3	112·8	98·4	102·8
14. Manufactures of metals	146·4	146·6	165·7	165·9	167·9	150·9	149·5	157·8	159·5
15. Machinery other than electric	398·2	408·8	459·0	502·9	559·8	565·8	626·5	712·0	816·3
16. Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances	171·7	169·0	190·4	215·6	226·0	221·7	231·3	233·2	259·0
17. Railway vehicles	42·6	44·3	40·4	45·2	41·9	46·3	34·0	20·5	14·1
18. Road vehicles and aircraft	284·5	302·4	329·7	366·6	397·8	449·8	488·8	505·3	439·7
19. Ships and boats	39·6	51·0	53·6	93·8	79·3	63·4	48·3	52·4	88·7
20. Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings; prefabricated buildings; furniture	21·9	21·2	25·2	28·6	25·1	25·8	23·8	26·2	26·6
21. Clothing, footwear, travel goods and handbags	46·0	43·6	43·7	46·3	47·6	44·1	45·8	47·6	46·0
22. Scientific instruments, photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	27·0	31·1	34·8	37·4	41·2	40·1	39·6	48·8	56·0
23. Miscellaneous manufactured articles	60·6	66·9	75·6	80·3	83·7	90·9	95·5	106·7	116·6
E. Miscellaneous									
1. Postal packages	77·9	80·1	81·5	79·9	76·7	71·3	71·7	93·0(2)	91·2
2. Live animals of a kind not normally used for food	5·6	5·3	5·9	5·5	6·0	7·0	6·1	6·3	7·8

Source: Board of Trade

(1) See footnote (4) to Table 259.

(2) This figure includes an increase of £19·1 million based on the valuation adopted in 1961 (see introductory note on page 205).

Value of imports

Analysis by source

TABLE **264**

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total	3,328·1	3,359·2	3,860·8	3,861·5	4,043·7	3,747·5	3,983·4	4,540·7	4,397·9
Sterling Area	1,423·7	1,438·2	1,514·7	1,470·5	1,512·5	1,353·5	1,442·7	1,506·4	1,479·0
Non-Sterling Area	1,904·4	1,921·0	2,346·2	2,391·1	2,531·2	2,394·0	2,540·7	3,034·3	2,919·0
North America	558·8	555·5	764·2	756·3	804·9	660·2	683·1	941·3	833·3
Western Europe	788·1	844·2	999·6	1,013·5	1,041·4	1,044·7	1,114·5	1,326·0	1,341·2
Rest of the World	557·5	521·3	582·5	621·3	685·0	689·1	743·1	767·0	744·4
Commonwealth	1,613·7	1,597·8	1,750·4	1,717·7	1,712·7	1,544·5	1,640·4	1,744·7	1,664·1
Latin America	245·9	224·4	239·4	270·8	345·7	295·1	321·1	310·1	278·8
European Economic Community	346·9	390·6	484·9	492·0	491·0	533·2	558·7	661·7	677·6
European Free Trade Association	381·6	391·5	446·5	451·1	470·5	433·8	468·6	558·3	554·3
Middle East	269·0	253·2	245·4	262·9	251·0	303·7	318·1	342·2	337·1
Soviet Eastern Europe	73·7	73·8	105·0	98·9	109·2	102·1	116·2	138·7	155·9
Nigeria(including Northern and Southern Cameroons)	104·8	107·4	100·3	90·9	85·2	79·8	87·4	81·0	85·2
Republic of South Africa	71·9	84·3	80·5	90·9	92·7	90·3	89·3	96·4	103·3
Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland	82·3	86·1	101·0	107·9	82·9	67·8	90·3	103·0	101·8
Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar and Trucial States	147·3	150·8	146·3	146·4	152·8	148·5	150·6	178·1	183·7
India	113·4	148·4	159·0	141·4	157·5	139·4	142·6	148·5	144·9
Pakistan	30·7	26·3	27·7	22·8	25·6	19·8	25·7	29·2	25·1
Federation of Malaya	33·5	27·6	47·6	42·9	44·0	40·3	35·6	41·0	37·9
Ceylon	30·5	40·5	41·5	39·2	40·8	46·4	39·7	41·0	40·3
Hong Kong	8·4	11·2	16·6	20·1	23·6	27·1	33·5	43·0	45·3
Australia	294·2	235·9	263·9	236·1	248·0	198·8	222·9	197·2	174·5
New Zealand	169·8	176·0	179·9	197·0	183·1	160·5	182·9	183·0	159·8
Canada	305·5	272·8	343·7	347·5	320·1	308·6	312·0	374·9	349·6
Irish Republic	104·8	103·3	97·3	89·7	109·4	108·0	103·8	121·9	145·8
Soviet Union	39·9	41·8	62·6	55·1	70·5	59·5	63·1	74·9	85·1
Finland	51·3	59·0	75·3	66·6	72·9	68·0	77·6	95·7	94·9
Sweden	116·1	116·9	139·6	144·8	156·8	134·8	128·3	163·7	160·8
Norway and Spitzbergen	38·8	41·7	52·4	58·5	63·7	55·7	63·8	77·6	74·9
Denmark (including Faroe Islands and Greenland)	128·7	124·6	122·8	122·2	114·2	115·5	134·2	145·9	143·5
Western Germany	69·8	77·6	93·5	109·9	124·6	136·0	144·3	181·5	194·3
Netherlands	88·9	109·6	133·5	137·3	131·8	159·3	160·0	180·3	172·5
Belgium	58·9	52·8	63·6	72·9	60·1	60·2	57·5	68·2	64·9
France	82·1	97·1	136·5	111·7	110·4	100·5	103·7	131·9	143·0
Switzerland	22·7	24·8	28·7	29·8	36·4	36·0	39·5	45·0	48·5
Spain	26·1	28·8	31·8	34·0	37·6	36·6	35·3	55·9	55·2
Italy	43·0	52·6	55·3	57·2	62·7	76·9	92·8	98·7	102·4
Iraq	64·5	44·5	32·6	24·2	12·2	50·5	53·1	54·2	45·0
Iran	2·6	3·3	16·8	34·1	35·5	56·2	56·9	48·6	49·0
China	10·2	9·0	12·3	12·5	14·2	18·5	19·7	24·7	30·9
Japan	9·3	15·5	23·9	24·2	24·2	35·3	43·1	42·0	39·3
United States of America	252·7	282·4	420·0	408·0	482·1	351·1	370·7	565·8	482·9
Venezuela	11·3	18·1	31·8	39·2	75·5	65·9	75·7	71·8	67·4
Argentine Republic	99·1	81·1	86·7	91·6	108·0	104·4	105·6	97·7	75·1

Source: Board of Trade

Value of exports

Analysis by destination

TABLE 265

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom									
Total(¹)	2,558·0	2,649·9	2,876·7	3,143·3	3,295·0	3,176·2	3,330·1	3,554·8	3,682·4
Sterling Area	1,203·0	1,284·5	1,379·5	1,388·1	1,436·2	1,392·3	1,340·3	1,428·1	1,401·0
Non-Sterling Area	1,355·0	1,365·5	1,497·2	1,755·2	1,858·9	1,783·9	1,989·9	2,126·7	2,281·4
North America(¹)	316·3	282·9	324·5	421·7	441·1	462·8	571·1	542·9	505·0
Western Europe	702·3	736·6	788·4	877·9	908·6	837·7	918·0	1,030·0	1,192·6
Rest of the World	336·3	345·9	384·2	455·6	509·1	483·4	500·8	553·7	583·7
Commonwealth	1,234·4	1,280·9	1,376·7	1,431·1	1,493·6	1,443·6	1,409·1	1,498·8	1,454·3
Latin America	110·7	116·8	113·2	134·4	164·4	150·6	154·3	171·4	166·5
European Economic Community	334·9	348·1	374·5	427·9	459·5	418·9	465·8	519·8	613·5
European Free Trade Association	304·0	329·5	343·7	376·1	377·1	350·5	383·7	430·1	481·6
Middle East	154·0	136·7	159·1	174·9	189·3	194·8	193·2	201·6	220·7
Soviet Eastern Europe	15·5	24·8	36·9	43·7	57·0	45·6	60·8	77·0	105·1
Ghana	36·9	33·9	39·1	38·8	38·0	34·4	41·7	45·1	49·5
Nigeria (including Northern and Southern Cameroons)	54·0	48·8	57·3	62·1	58·2	65·9	72·3	80·4	75·1
Republic of South Africa	157·9	156·1	166·7	154·3	172·6	185·7	148·9	154·0	147·1
Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland	48·9	48·0	53·6	58·3	60·2	52·2	49·3	47·1	47·3
India	114·6	114·4	130·1	167·9	175·7	160·4	171·4	150·5	151·8
Pakistan	33·0	45·7	36·5	32·6	34·4	29·0	34·3	39·8	43·6
Singapore	37·9	34·9	38·0	41·5	39·5	35·7	31·2	33·7	37·4
Federation of Malaya	33·0	30·6	35·4	39·8	38·1	34·8	30·6	36·8	39·8
Hong Kong	27·0	23·8	25·5	32·8	36·3	30·6	35·2	39·8	43·7
Australia	212·4	277·5	283·9	238·7	235·0	235·4	223·4	259·9	201·7
New Zealand	99·4	125·6	139·1	126·8	139·9	128·0	97·8	120·8	124·0
Canada	156·8	131·9	140·7	177·6	195·3	188·1	207·6	214·6	221·7
Irish Republic	92·6	100·7	108·3	103·0	102·7	108·2	107·2	110·9	133·2
Soviet Union	3·3	10·1	22·9	26·3	37·4	23·7	27·4	37·2	43·3
Sweden	90·3	93·0	94·8	105·9	110·8	104·3	112·0	130·9	141·2
Norway and Spitzbergen	63·2	68·5	73·8	75·7	71·0	65·7	58·7	71·2	85·2
Denmark (including Faroe Islands and Greenland)	78·6	82·6	74·1	83·0	86·4	77·5	88·3	90·2	92·6
Western Germany	59·2	70·6	76·8	92·0	104·8	123·1	142·0	163·4	171·3
Finland	21·0	31·7	42·0	46·2	37·2	31·8	37·7	47·8	51·2
Netherlands	93·5	99·6	105·7	118·8	117·7	97·9	113·0	115·9	137·6
Belgium	56·1	54·5	62·9	68·8	77·6	59·5	61·0	64·7	77·3
France	64·4	63·5	70·9	88·4	87·9	71·7	76·9	87·5	112·2
Switzerland	26·5	26·8	26·6	31·6	34·4	33·5	49·8	45·2	52·9
Italy	61·3	59·4	57·7	59·6	71·2	66·3	72·5	88·0	114·6
Iran	4·6	8·2	17·6	25·9	35·7	38·6	38·2	36·2	33·6
United States of America(¹)	159·0	150·4	183·1	243·1	244·3	272·7	360·8	325·5	280·5
Argentine Republic	14·6	22·8	23·5	17·2	32·9	32·5	40·2	41·9	50·5
Exports of imported merchandise(²)									
Total	103·1	98·3	116·4	143·7	129·8	141·2	130·9	141·2	158·5
Sterling Area	12·6	13·4	17·4	18·4	23·9	23·4	22·8	24·8	23·6
North America	17·5	14·1	19·7	20·5	18·3	24·3	27·3	23·3	24·1
Western Europe	56·5	55·6	59·4	63·3	61·5	56·5	61·5	65·8	72·6
Rest of the World	16·4	15·2	19·9	41·6	26·0	37·0	19·3	27·3	38·2

(¹) See footnote (⁴) to Table 259.
(²) See footnote (⁸) to Table 259.

Source: Board of Trade

Value of United Kingdom trade with selected areas

Analysis by principal commodity groups

TABLE 266

£ million

	1959				1960				1961			
	North America	Sterling Area	Western Europe	Common-wealth	North America	Sterling Area	Western Europe	Common-wealth	North America	Sterling Area	Western Europe	Common-wealth
Imports												
Total(1)	683·1	1,442·7	1,114·5	1,640·4	941·3	1,506·4	1,326·0	1,744·7	833·3	1,479·0	1,341·2	1,664·1
A. Food, beverages and tobacco:												
Total	272·2	668·0	341·6	720·0	272·4	665·1	366·6	693·3	241·1	653·1	379·6	647·0
Meat and meat preparations	3·1	124·0	104·4	110·4	7·1	129·0	123·7	112·2	6·8	113·7	123·1	92·0
Dairy products, eggs and honey	8·7	110·5	58·3	114·8	2·9	97·8	58·6	96·8	2·4	91·9	52·3	88·3
Cereals and cereal preparations	159·3	29·8	18·2	118·0	146·8	29·6	16·2	109·9	125·0	34·7	20·8	101·5
Fruits and vegetables	17·2	87·9	95·4	89·5	20·7	90·1	96·8	92·2	21·4	92·6	104·4	95·3
Sugar and sugar preparations	1·8	57·7	1·3	57·0	1·2	57·4	1·5	56·6	0·7	51·3	4·6	50·6
Coffee, cocoa and cocoa preparations, tea and spices	0·7	149·3	9·8	143·7	0·8	145·2	11·7	139·4	1·2	138·0	10·8	132·7
Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	49·3	33·1	1·8	40·3	62·1	38·3	2·5	46·5	59·4	38·7	1·7	48·1
Other	32·1	75·6	52·4	46·4	30·8	77·8	55·6	39·7	24·3	92·2	61·9	38·5
B. Basic materials:												
Total	127·6	365·6	232·3	426·2	187·8	371·4	272·8	455·3	163·1	341·6	262·1	417·3
Oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	12·9	39·4	0·3	48·9	15·5	31·8	0·4	42·3	13·3	30·6	0·2	41·8
Crude rubber, including synthetic and reclaimed	8·6	50·5	0·5	54·0	12·9	56·7	0·9	61·7	8·1	49·4	1·3	53·3
Wood and cork	18·2	16·2	67·6	30·3	35·4	19·9	83·6	48·4	32·8	21·3	77·1	48·4
Pulp and waste paper	19·1	3·2	74·8	13·9	26·6	3·8	87·4	16·2	26·8	4·3	82·9	16·6
Wool and other animal hair	5·4	126·8	15·6	124·0	4·1	114·0	10·3	111·2	4·6	102·1	10·2	98·9
Cotton	16·3	10·4	4·6	10·1	28·6	8·7	4·9	7·9	23·5	7·8	4·6	7·3
Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	22·1	27·2	28·1	45·3	33·6	37·8	39·2	59·8	26·1	33·3	35·9	52·0
Animal and vegetable oils, fats, greases and derivatives	4·6	33·4	6·5	36·5	6·5	31·5	7·7	34·4	5·7	30·1	8·3	32·2
Other	20·3	58·4	34·3	63·3	24·5	67·3	38·3	73·2	22·2	62·7	41·6	66·9
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants	14·5	196·9	40·6	195·4	9·4	225·9	46·1	220·9	9·8	241·1	44·4	234·4
D. Manufactured goods:												
Total	265·5	203·2	497·3	295·4	467·7	233·2	637·4	371·3	415·6	231·6	651·8	361·4
Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	35·5	1·9	35·8	25·8	40·8	2·3	43·9	30·5	40·5	2·0	47·2	30·1
Chemicals	42·7	8·5	76·1	16·9	61·8	10·0	90·3	20·6	53·8	10·6	88·6	19·6
Iron and steel	4·5	3·1	29·9	4·6	37·8	5·1	54·8	18·0	8·7	5·0	31·9	10·0
Non-ferrous base metals	86·5	66·6	19·2	134·7	132·7	76·0	30·2	166·1	115·1	69·0	27·2	158·2
Machinery other than electric	48·3	14·3	94·7	15·1	73·4	11·9	109·2	14·8	91·4	13·3	139·1	17·6
Other	48·0	108·8	241·6	98·2	121·1	127·8	308·9	121·3	106·2	131·8	317·8	126·0
Exports of United Kingdom produce and manufactures												
Total(1)	571·1	1,340·3	918·0	1,409·1	542·9	1,428·1	1,030·0	1,498·8	505·0	1,401·0	1,192·6	1,454·3
A. Food, beverages and tobacco	52·1	77·6	37·7	75·5	54·5	78·2	41·6	78·1	59·5	81·5	44·0	74·6
B. Basic materials	23·0	18·9	58·8	22·6	21·2	20·7	60·1	23·5	22·5	18·9	64·3	22·6
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants	1·8	22·6	84·5	12·3	1·4	24·9	97·0	15·4	1·0	25·8	88·0	15·2
D. Manufactured goods:												
Total	477·1	1,182·7	721·1	1,264·1	445·2	1,257·8	807·3	1,339·1	401·9	1,227·8	971·9	1,300·7
Metals(2)	72·7	163·6	125·3	175·8	55·7	181·1	139·7	187·3	44·3	178·7	159·4	179·2
Engineering products(3)	263·7	622·0	359·6	673·4	250·8	644·6	405·8	705·3	221·3	634·1	526·0	700·5
Textiles (excluding clothing)(4)	43·8	113·5	62·6	121·3	42·5	124·3	65·6	130·5	37·4	112·8	70·0	116·0
Other	96·9	283·6	173·5	293·5	96·3	307·8	196·2	316·0	98·9	302·3	216·5	305·0
of which Chemicals	21·1	131·4	85·2	127·9	20·0	139·0	98·0	134·5	21·2	137·9	101·8	132·9
Re-exports												
Total	27·3	22·8	61·5	20·9	23·3	24·8	65·8	23·0	24·1	23·6	72·6	23·0

(1) Including Class E (Postal packages and live animals of a kind not normally used for food).
(2) Export List divisions D 12–14.
(3) Export List divisions D 15–19 and 22.
(4) Export List divisions D 6–9.

Source: Board of Trade

TABLE 267

Principal articles imported(¹)

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
A. Food, beverages and tobacco											*£ million*
Cattle, live, for food	Thous.	431·5	594·1	601·0	597·3	806·0	636·1	467·2	502·9	695·5	41·7
Meat and meat preparations:											
Fresh, chilled or frozen (excluding offals):											
Beef	Th. tons	307·1	265·6	343·9	432·7	453·9	397·5	349·5	347·4	282·5	53·5
Veal	"	1·5	3·3	7·9	6·4	6·1	5·0	6·3	5·4	5·5	2·0
Mutton	"	106·9	70·4	56·6	61·9	60·2	59·9	69·0	54·7	44·9	4·8
Lamb	"	245·3	254·9	297·8	283·8	274·7	279·8	295·4	320·5	301·9	52·4
Pork	"	44·6	32·6	37·4	20·2	24·8	18·5	14·0	21·6	17·7	4·2
Poultry, dead	"	17·3	13·1	12·6	9·4	10·6	10·8	8·6	5·6	4·6	1·4
Other beef, veal, mutton, lamb and pig products (including edible offals)	"	50·1	47·4	59·8	62·7	70·4	71·6	75·9	81·9	80·6	16·4
Other meat	"	33·7	23·9	19·0	22·5	23·4	20·6	27·6	30·3	40·5	4·9
Bacon	"	312·1	299·8	308·4	317·0	332·1	338·1	347·5	405·4	394·4	95·1
Meat in airtight containers (including poultry liver and paste, meat paste and pies)	"	169·0	180·5	190·0	174·0	204·3	195·9	199·8	189·8	200·0	68·7
Milk powder (unsweetened)	"	60·1	48·1	33·0	51·1	51·6	52·0	88·2	56·0	49·2	4·9
Butter	"	281·9	281·2	307·5	354·1	365·3	422·7	400·7	405·3	423·2	106·4
Cheese	"	146·0	132·0	129·0	134·5	123·3	118·6	136·3	131·4	134·6	31·5
Eggs in shell	"	96·1	85·6	57·9	26·4	8·0	9·7	8·2	23·0	25·8	4·8
Fish (not of British taking):											
Fresh, chilled or frozen	"	83·3	78·1	88·3	87·6	109·5	98·2	95·7	126·1	135·7	16·3
In airtight containers	"	12·7	34·9	35·4	54·7	50·4	73·2	81·5	58·9	49·6	22·7
Wheat(²)	Mn. tons	4·0	3·5	4·5	4·8	4·5	4·5	4·3	4·1	3·9	101·1
Barley(²)	Th. tons	1,435·1	930·1	927·7	810·7	1,008·4	1,325·2	996·2	704·1	973·9	18·0
Maize(²)	"	1,379·4	1,304·7	1,497·5	1,536·8	1,624·0	2,301·8	2,928·4	3,084·4	3,157·5	64·1
Meal and flour of wheat	"	480·2	360·7	344·5	360·6	338·3	371·8	376·4	366·3	385·5	12·9
Fruit, fresh or raw:											
Oranges	"	419·0	377·7	375·3	331·0	373·1	339·0	407·6	423·6	400·3	24·6
Bananas	"	259·8	289·4	306·7	315·0	313·8	308·3	334·0	344·1	357·5	23·8
Apples	"	117·8	143·4	178·9	189·0	180·0	192·0	197·4	186·9	227·0	19·4
Pears	"	53·6	52·1	70·3	59·5	54·2	61·3	60·1	60·7	66·0	6·3
Grapes	"	31·2	40·2	39·6	48·5	38·0	48·0	44·6	49·7	51·9	7·7
Nuts, edible	"	46·0	49·5	50·4	42·2	43·8	48·6	41·2	52·0	49·7	11·9
Other	"	135·8	128·4	130·3	118·8	119·5	122·8	143·8	165·6	170·0	13·8
Vegetables, fresh:											
Potatoes	"	120·8	181·2	420·9	535·6	254·4	725·9	529·9	265·6	261·3	9·8
Onions	"	198·9	214·0	220·7	215·3	220·0	226·3	220·2	222·7	221·5	7·0
Tomatoes	"	185·4	186·4	195·2	182·6	203·5	139·4	144·6	157·2	158·0	18·5
Other	"	54·7	67·1	92·0	72·4	66·9	86·8	106·1	92·5	87·6	7·5
Fruit, dried:											
Currants, raisins and sultanas	"	161·8	145·5	103·9	99·9	125·2	102·8	114·5	118·8	108·6	12·2
Fruit, tinned or bottled in syrup(³)	"	101·3	183·6	234·7	263·8	216·3	298·0	274·6	307·6	320·9	39·3
Tomatoes, preserved in airtight containers	"	69·0	113·7	96·7	100·4	104·0	104·5	98·8	112·4	106·9	9·1
Peas and beans, dried(²)	"	101·2	139·4	137·1	144·4	161·8	136·4	163·3	175·1	121·2	7·2
Sugar, unrefined	Mn. tons	3·0	2·4	2·2	2·3	2·8	2·6	2·4	2·2	2·1	63·1
Coffee, and coffee and chicory	Th. tons	29·9	33·1	34·0	44·4	44·8	44·6	53·1	55·2	59·4	14·2
Retained imports	"	*24·7*	*29·0*	*30·3*	*42·9*	*43·0*	42·2	*51·6*	*53·6*	*56·2*	*13·2*
Cocoa, raw(³)	"	124·2	137·3	131·2	78·0	101·3	91·1	85·5	96·9	91·5	16·7
Retained imports	"	*116·3*	*130·6*	*124·2*	*70·0*	94·6	86·2	77·2	92·3	*85·1*	*15·4*
Cocoa butter	"	6·3	11·4	13·1	17·6	20·4	17·5	21·3	24·4	25·6	10·6
Chocolate and chocolate preparations(⁴)	"	91·4	53·1	40·1	46·2	37·2	42·8	42·5	40·0	40·0	6·9
Tea	"	220·0	242·0	222·9	229·3	265·2	262·6	231·1	234·7	248 1	115·3
Retained imports	"	*204·0*	*228·0*	*208·2*	*215·2*	*251·8*	249·4	*213·1*	*221·3*	233·9	*106·4*
Feeding-stuff for animals and food wastes(³)	"	1,343·9	1,475·4	1,663·3	1,576·6	1,474·9	1,884·2	2,164·4	2,019·3	1,934·0	55·5
Lard and other shortenings (including margarine)	"	12·5	75·2	130·3	134·7	125·3	119·3	173·5	205·5	175·1	16·2
Wine	Mn. gals.	10·4	12·0	13·6	14·4	16·1	15·4	17·7	21·0	24·5	25·6
Retained imports	"	9·8	*11·4*	*12·9*	*13·7*	*15·4*	*14·8*	17·1	*20·4*	*23·9*	*24·0*
Beer	Th. bulk barrels	1,139·4	1,161·5	1,272·9	1,414·3	1,419·0	1,397·1	1,503·4	1,491·3	1,561·2	10·4
Spirits and strong waters (excluding those not to be tested for strength)	Mn. proof gals.	5·4	2·9	3·4	5·2	5·7	5·0	4·8	4·5	4·8	10·8
Tobacco and manufactures	Mn. lb.	316·2	312·1	344·3	319·1	319·6	316·7	301·2	365·9	346·7	100·7

Source: Board of Trade

(¹) Before 1958, includes Channel Islands and United Kingdom Whale Fisheries.
(²) Including seeds for sowing from 1955.
(³) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.
⁴) The figures from 1960 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

Principal articles imported (1)

TABLE **267** *(continued)*

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
B. Basic materials											£ *million*
Hides and skins, undressed:											
Cattle and buffalo hides, hides split and calf skins	Th. tons	87·5	83·8	72·4	63·9	66·5	49·0	51·0	43·4	45·9	9·8
Sheep and lamb skins	,,	23·7	22·4	24·0	24·2	23·7	21·1	26·7	26·0	24·5	7·1
Fur skins, undressed, except rabbit skins	,,	2·9	2·3	2·9	3·0	3·0	2·6	3·0	3·0	2·8	27·4
Retained imports	,,	*1·1*	*0·5*	*0·9*	*0·8*	*1·0*	*0·6*	*0·8*	*0·9*	*1·0*	*5·9*
Oilseeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	Mn. tons	1·2	1·1	1·1	1·1	1·1	1·0	1·1	1·1	1·0	48·9
Rubber, raw, including crepe and latex	Th. tons	257·7	249·6	309·0	287·4	285·6	293·5	208·0	209·6	272·2	62·2
Retained imports	,,	*215·4*	*235·2*	*269·6*	*176·0*	*215·4*	*147·4*	*166·4*	*137·5*	*153·1*	*33·3*
Synthetic rubber	,,	5·7	12·0	25·5	43·2	57·6	56·3	38·4	57·3	41·4	8·8
Wood and timber:											
Coniferous:											
Sawn, not further prepared	Mn. standards	1·4	1·4	1·6	1·2	1·4	1·2	1·4	1·8	1·6	124·5
Planed or dressed(2)	Th. standards	28·2	31·0	28·3	26·4	27·3	21·8	18·4	21·7	20·5	1·9
Non-coniferous:											
Hewn	Mn. cu. ft.	19·1	11·5	15·4	11·7	13·5	13·4	14·2	16·2	15·9	9·0
Sawn, not further prepared	,,	25·2	25·0	29·7	24·6	26·7	25·9	27·2	31·7	29·6	26·0
Pitprops, pit poles and pit bars (3)	Th. piled cu. fathoms	389·6	347·2	300·3	321·6	352·8	232·3	200·2	175·9	161·7	4·5
Sleepers	Th. standards	56·8	41·3	56·5	94·8	74·8	66·3	35·4	57·3	59·6	5·0
Wood pulp:											
Mechanical (3)	Mn. tons air dry weight	0·6	0·6	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·6	0·6	0·7	0·7	20·5
Chemical		1·0	1·3	1·6	1·5	1·5	1·5	1·6	2·0	1·9	96·4
Wool, raw:											
Sheep's and lambs'	Mn. lb.	827·3	684·0	721·3	699·3	675·3	658·6	751·7	645·5	637·0	127·8
Retained imports	,,	*758·9*	*619·6*	*661·1*	*638·6*	*618·7*	*613·7*	*703·8*	*597·5*	*592·5*	*118·7*
Cotton, raw (except linters)	Th. tons	333·7	372·2	295·9	335·2	373·0	260·3	275·1	274·8	225·6	55·1
Retained imports	,,	*330·5*	*369·6*	*290·0*	*324·2*	*367·8*	*257·5*	*269·9*	*270·1*	*220·3*	*53·8*
Cotton waste, unmanufactured	,,	36·9	34·0	38·0	35·1	41·2	43·1	51·3	45·4	41·6	5·4
Man-made fibre waste(3)	Mn. lb.	3·4	4·5	2·5	2·6	9·5	4·8	6·4	16·1	15·0	5·4
Jute, raw(4)	Th. tons	173·3	124·8	131·7	124·3	150·7	132·3	149·7	137·5	99·9	14·6
Flax	,,	41·8	40·0	43·0	50·2	51·6	37·4	50·6	45·1	39·8	5·9
Hemp, sisal and ramie (including tow and waste)	,,	87·7	95·3	110·2	91·6	100·0	95·5	104·2	107·1	90·1	9·2
Mineral phosphates of lime	Mn. tons	1·1	1·1	1·1	1·2	1·1	1·1	1·1	1·4	1·4	8·0
Sulphur	Th. tons	196·7	374·6	358·7	352·5	325·7	327·6	377·4	487·1	497·3	5·0
Asbestos, crude, fibre and waste (including asbestic)	,,	111·1	124·4	145·3	147·0	137·2	131·4	133·5	168·3	166·7	12·1
Iron ore and concentrates (3)	Mn. tons	11·0	11·6	12·9	14·3	15·9	12·9	13·4	18·0	15·0	73·6
Iron and steel scrap and waste	,,	0·9	0·8	1·3	1·0	0·7	0·1	—	0·3	—	0·4
Zinc ore and concentrates	Th. tons	165·3	192·9	200·3	181·5	207·4	121·2	152·3	189·3	206·9	3·5
Tin ore and concentrates	,,	62·4	58·2	61·2	56·9	81·9	64·9	61·5	58·3	51·3	17·8
Manganese ore and concentrates	,,	494·6	501·6	405·1	442·9	476·7	347·9	343·2	528·9	472·1	6·9
Tungsten ores and concentrates	,,	4·4	3·8	5·4	5·3	4·7	4·9	5·2	6·8	6·6	2·8
Bauxite and concentrates	,,	268·8	370·4	328·1	315·0	354·5	350·9	327·6	375·4	395·4	1·8
Gums and resins (excluding rosin)	,,	22·2	25·8	25·4	23·0	22·7	21·0	21·1	20·3	21·2	3·7
Oils and fats:											
Animal	,,	43·7	47·0	50·8	70·0	66·2	39·2	86·1	79·8	70·2	4·7
Fish and marine animal	,,	163·8	136·2	121·8	118·3	161·8	90·9	122·2	167·9	159·8	10·7
Vegetable oils (excluding essential)	,,	400·0	427·6	447·0	380·7	377·3	350·4	377·4	342·1	323·6	31·3
Retained imports	,,	*392·1*	*418·5*	*443·7*	*379·5*	*375·5*	*341·7*	*375·2*	*339·7*	*321·0*	*31·0*

Source: Board of Trade

(1) See footnote (1) on page 213.
(2) Including all softwood, planed or dressed, whether or not of coniferous species.
(3) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.
(4) The figures from 1955 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

Principal articles imported(1)

TABLE **267** *(continued)*

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants											*£ million*
Coal	Mn. tons	0·6	2·9	11·3	5·5	2·8	0·8	0·1	—	—	—
Crude petroleum	Mn. gals.	6,693·7	7,271·4	7,214·1	7,409·5	7,243·4	8,740·4	10,162·7	11,558·6	12,707·7	350·8
Petroleum, refined:											
Total	,,	1,633·6	1,756·8	2,259·0	2,483·6	2,857·6	2,874·2	3,322·7	3,519·7	3,065·4	126·2
Retained imports	,,	*1,611·2*	*1,700·9*	*2,206·2*	*2,394·1*	*2,807·3*	*2,773·1*	*3,191·7*	*3,459·8*	*3,043·6*	*125·1*
Kerosene	,,	384·5	359·8	426·0	385·2	413·0	313·8	362·4	204·3	162·8	7·9
Motor and other spirit	,,	579·8	471·3	593·9	668·1	822·2	757·3	907·4	849·3	912·1	46·1
Lubricating oil	,,	111·1	114·2	110·1	113·5	98·2	100·6	102·1	121·6	128·2	13·1
Gas oil	,,	272·8	372·5	506·5	513·8	558·4	523·4	554·2	577·5	561·1	24·4
Fuel oil and diesel oil	,,	285·1	438·6	622·0	802·3	963·3	1,176·9	1,344·1	1,763·6	1,285·1	34·0
Paraffin wax	Th. tons	14·3	40·2	37·6	33·6	33·6	30·2	32·4	35·6	31·9	2·0
D. Manufactured goods											
Dyes and dyestuffs (including extracts for tanning)	,,	53·3	56·9	57·8	43·6	49·1	34·8	34·3	28·8	33·7	6·7
Potassium chloride	,,	504·9	473·6	509·9	552·7	537·3	581·8	611·2	712·0	694·7	10·5
Colophony and liquid resin	,,	73·9	80·6	83·8	61·5	75·4	79·5	95·8	95·2	62·5	6·0
Essential oils, other than turpentine	,,	1·9	2·6	2·5	2·5	2·9	2·7	2·9	3·3	3·6	6·9
Plastics materials	,,	11·3	20·3	28·2	23·1	33·3	41·3	54·5	93·5	79·0	26·8
Starch, not for food	,,	167·8	179·8	192·6	178·4	174·5	139·0	125·3	125·0	139·5	5·4
Leather, undressed	,,	24·0	21·9	19·2	18·0	20·2	13·7	19·1	17·2	17·3	11·8
Leather, dressed	,,	3·6	3·3	4·2	5·0	5·4	5·4	7·4	6·2	8·3	10·4
Plywood, including laminboard, block board and batten board	Mn. cu. ft.	5·2	11·7	15·1	9·8	13·7	14·1	17·3	22·5	20·3	27·9
Fibre building board	Th. tons	65·7	125·0	168·2	146·7	185·4	168·1	209·6	224·9	225·4	8·5
Paper and paperboard, not coated:											
Newsprint in rolls	,,	234·0	327·0	402·7	479·1	493·2	521·6	508·8	615·2	612·7	33·8
Other	,,	268·3	438·1	533·3	430·2	489·2	481·0	541·4	626·5	656·1	38·7
Other paper, board and manufactures	,,	104·6	137·4	160·7	134·3	147·2	134·4	153·1	177·0	184·5	17·8
Woollen and worsted woven fabrics(2)	Mn. sq. yds.	7·3	9·8	16·3	18·5	22·3	21·8	17·2	18·5	28·0	9·4
Woven cotton fabrics(2)	,,	98·8	267·2	299·5	305·6	416·3	386·6	537·1	727·8	731·0	63·5
Retained imports	,,	*96·1*	*262·1*	*293·4*	*302·1*	*412·7*	*375·2*	*535·1*	724·2	726·6	62·9
Yarn, single, multiple or cabled of man-made fibres(2)	Mn. lb.	2·0	2·5	2·2	1·6	6·2	7·0	4·3	8·4	3·9	2·1
Woven fabrics of man-made fibres(2)	Mn. sq. yds.	44·4	67·3	65·4	74·2	73·5	47·1	37·8	58·5	69·8	13·2
Jute fabrics	,,	159·6	265·2	207·7	174·0	135·3	140·4	180·3	183·6	129·9	5·3
Jute sacks and bags	Th. tons	20·0	22·2	19·5	16·8	15·4	18·9	19·3	19·1	14·1	2·1
Woollen carpets, floor rugs, etc.	Mn. sq. yds.	1·8	2·0	2·1	1·9	2·4	1·9	2·3	2·2	2·3	7·2
Silver bullion	Mn. oz. troy	33·7	23·1	29·5	20·3	16·0	13·3	18·4	28·8	65·8	21·9
Pig iron and sponge iron(2)	Th. tons	693·6	339·2	673·3	550·3	320·6	154·4	100·7	228·4	38·2	1·0
Ferro-alloys	,,	91·6	55·7	127·3	166·0	207·7	118·2	149·6	213·0	201·1	15·7
Crude and non-alloy semi-finished steel:											
Ingots	,,	137·1	33·8	183·1	115·5	11·4	0·7	0·8	30·6	28·4	0·8
Blooms, billets and slabs	,,	394·4	68·0	291·5	257·2	234·9	82·8	2·0	204·0	68·8	2·4
Sheet bars and tinplate bars	,,	18·7	—	32·5	23·1	—	—	—	18·5	2·0	0·1
Finished steel	,,	353·9	259·7	999·7	992·5	495·0	341·2	340·6	838·4	256·6	23·5
Bars and rods(2)	,,	143·4	13·6	173·0	251·1	45·2	40·1	50·2	156·6	61·0	5·6
Plates and sheets (other than vitreous and stove enamelled)(2)	,,	102·0	206·6	607·6	440·7	274·9	255·1	264·4	623·4	158·9	11·0
Aluminium and aluminium alloys unwrought(2)	,,	178·8	190·6	258·5	232·3	191·2	210·4	250·3	311·3	235·9	43·8
Copper unwrought, including rough	,,	336·2	400·4	408·3	400·5	466·0	458·6	436·4	547·8	527·8	120·3
Lead, unwrought	,,	179·1	196·6	217·8	167·9	158·2	164·7	180·4	209·6	180·5	11·7
Nickel and nickel alloys(2)(3)	,,	43·0	41·7	44·7	45·3	47·5	51·4	48·5	84·7	92·2	38·4
Zinc, unwrought(2)	,,	130·5	154·2	160·4	126·7	147·4	134·6	174·6	189·9	163·3	13·4

Source: Board of Trade

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(1) See footnote (1) on page 213.

(2) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

(3) Excluding cupro-nickel (containing more than 50 per cent. by weight of copper) and nickel silver from 1955.

Principal articles imported(1)

TABLE 267 *(continued)*

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
											£ million
D. Manufactured goods *(continued)*											
Machinery, agricultural	Th. tons	5·5	9·0	9·1	7·6	8·0	11·5	16·6	13·1	19·8	7·3
Office machinery and parts	,,	1·6	1·9	2·7	2·9	3·3	3·6	4·2	5·1	5·4	25·2
Machine tools, new, complete	,,	42·9	15·0	15·3	22·2	17·7	13·9	13·9	18·5	25·5	27·6
Textile machinery and parts	,,	5·7	8·7	9·1	6·8	7·3	7·4	8·0	11·0	15·8	17·8
Tractors	,,	0·7	2·4	2·0	2·7	2·7	4·1	3·0	3·0	4·4	2·0
Bearings, ball and roller	,,	2·6	1·6	1·7	2·3	2·0	2·5	2·4	5·3	4·9	5·7
Motor vehicles, complete and chassis for motor vehicles	Thousands	4·0	13·7	21·6	12·0	17·3	18·1	36·6	66·3	31·3	11·9
Stockings and socks(2)	Th. doz. prs.	344·5	488·0	554·7	669·4	901·5	992·2	1,163·7	1,711·2	2,876·4	3·3
Gloves	Mn. doz. prs.	0·4	1·0	1·9	2·0	2·1	2·1	2·7	3·3	2·4	3·3
Footwear(2)	,,	0·6	1·0	1·3	1·7	1·5	1·8	2·1	2·6	2·7	18·8
Watches, complete and complete movements	Millions	1·9	2·0	1·7	1·8	1·7	1·8	1·8	2·1	2·2	4·4
Books, newspapers and periodicals	Th. tons	10·1	11·0	13·4	17·4	15·7	14·3	14·8	19·3	20·9	8·5
E. Miscellaneous											
Horses and ponies	Thousands	11·7	8·3	9·3	11·6	10·7	9·3	9·9	10·4	10·3	8·4

Source: Board of Trade

(1) See footnote (1) on page 213.
(2) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

Principal articles exported(1)

TABLE 268

Produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
											£ million
A. Food, beverages and tobacco											
Fish:											
Fresh or frozen, including shell fish and molluscs	Th. tons	7·0	9·6	11·2	12·2	10·7	16·5	19·6	20·9	13·0	2·5
Cured or salted, not in airtight containers	,,	43·0	44·6	30·0	27·5	22·2	21·3	21·8	17·1	15·3	1·9
Other fish and fish preparations, in airtight containers or not	,,	7·8	8·1	8·1	7·1	7·3	5·1	6·1	7·2	9·3	1·9
Barley(2)	,,	0·1	99·3	90·0	139·6	8·6	129·2	244·7	220·5	135·0	3·2
Wheat, milled	,,	9·7	11·0	10·8	9·8	10·2	11·4	5·2	4·9	6·1	0·3
Malt	,,	22·3	24·5	26·2	28·5	32·7	33·1	34·6	39·6	39·0	1·9
Biscuits, for human consumption	,,	18·5	17·8	21·0	20·3	21·4	18·5	20·3	22·2	21·8	6·2
Potatoes	,,	96·5	132·5	109·8	86·7	153·1	73·7	51·5	155·7	72·9	1·7
Sugar, refined, including candy	,,	662·2	702·8	722·1	583·7	676·9	561·8	539·5	482·0	321·2	11·9
Sugar confectionery	,,	24·4	24·6	28·7	29·1	29·8	31·3	34·0	36·7	39·1	8·0
Chocolate and cocoa preparations	,,	47·4	44·7	39·7	40·0	43·7	41·2	34·2	30·4	30·3	8·8
Feeding-stuff for animals and food wastes	,,	34·5	69·5	31·6	32·9	30·2	21·9	35·0	60·0	58·1	2·2
Beer	Th. bulk barrels	284·9	248·0	225·4	238·9	239·4	232·7	213·4	222·5	249·1	2·5
Spirits, home-made	Mn. proof gals.	14·7	15·2	17·1	18·2	19·9	21·3	24·0	26·0	29·9	79·8
Tobacco, manufactured and unmanufactured:											
Cigarettes	Mn. lb.	42·0	38·6	41·6	41·2	36·2	34·5	29·9	27·8	28·4	17·1
Other	,,	2·6	2·7	2·8	3·4	5·1	5·7	3·6	2·9	2·8	1·5
B. Basic materials											
Wool, raw, sheep's and lambs':											
British wool	,,	24·4	26·6	29·1	29·7	28·4	33·1	40·1	41·3	46·6	11·9
Imported wool treated in United Kingdom	,,	14·2	16·0	14·1	13·5	14·7	12·8	13·6	13·6	16·7	4·7
Wool tops(3)	,,	70·2	67·1	76·6	81·5	83·3	88·9	96·4	91·1	92·1	39·7
Wool waste	,,	23·3	24·8	26·0	32·9	32·1	24·2	27·3	26·8	30·2	5·1
Wool noils	,,	15·7	17·0	19·9	17·8	19·1	20·8	21·6	22·4	26·2	6·1
Artificial silk waste	,,	23·1	28·1	58·7	33·9	25·9	25·4	39·2	41·2	69·9	10·2
China clay	Th. tons	476·0	572·6	683·5	758·7	774·9	754·1	834·9	1,003·9	1,117·4	8·6
Vegetable oils (excluding essential)	,,	41·8	61·9	72·9	51·2	44·2	34·0	49·9	31·0	25·2	3·2

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Before 1958, includes exports to the Channel Islands.
(2) Including seeds for sowing from 1955.
(3) The figures from 1955 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

Principal articles exported(1)

TABLE 268 (*continued*)

Produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
											£ *million*
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants											
Coal	Mn. tons	14·0	13·7	12·2	8·5	7·0	4·0	3·5	5·1	5·6	20·2
Bunker coal(2)	,,	2·8	2·5	2·1	1·5	1·2	0·8	0·6	0·3	0·1	—
Coke and manufactured fuel	,,	1·7	1·8	2·1	2·7	3·0	1·5	1·5	1·6	1·5	9·1
Petroleum, refined:											
Motor spirit(3)	Mn. gals.	311·0	448·9	396·9	443·3	449·3	577·9	537·5	527·6	448·1	20·4
Gas oil	,,	250·7	250·3	239·3	401·5	209·4	435·9	435·6	605·5	547·6	19·5
Diesel oil	,,	136·1	108·1	103·5	119·4	100·6	126·1	115·4	106·0	77·6	2·6
Fuel oil	,,	1,018·5	974·4	665·3	755·8	646·6	727·0	685·9	738·8	550·3	12·4
Lubricating oil	,,	45·4	60·5	83·6	100·0	93·2	97·4	111·2	119·8	120·5	20·5
Pitch and bituminous asphalts, etc.	Th. tons	318·0	326·5	300·7	350·6	307·1	249·0	219·1	250·2	232·4	3·5
D. Manufactured goods											
Chemicals:											
Copper sulphate	,,	45·3	39·2	39·2	47·8	28·4	26·5	31·1	25·4	19·5	1·5
Sodium compounds	,,	437·3	544·9	573·3	658·3	569·9	525·2	605·3	629·3	637·0	13·4
Synthetic organic dye-stuffs	,,	10·5	13·2	10·8	10·6	10·9	9·6	11·7	14·2	15·0	15·0
Perfumery and toilet preparations (4)	Mn. lb.	32·1	34·0	39·2	43·4	46·3	43·0	39·8	40·3	37·9	9·6
Soaps	Th. tons	51·2	55·9	57·2	51·6	54·7	47·6	49·9	48·6	50·3	6·3
Ammonium nitrate and ammonium sulphate	,,	427·0	348·7	209·7	28·4	208·0	304·7	215·0	187·9	168·3	2·2
Plastics materials and transparent cellulose film unconverted	,,	65·1	79·1	91·9	106·7	121·3	132·2	167·9	183·6	214·9	47·9
Disinfectants and insecticides(5)	,,	26·0	31·1	37·1	31·0	29·9	23·4	28·3	31·3	31·5	8·0
Tetra-ethyl lead anti-knock compound	Mn. gals	1·1	3·4	5·5	4·8	5·5	5·3	6·2	6·5	5·5	10·5
Leather: Undressed	Th. tons	2·7	1·9	3·1	2·7	3·1	3·0	3·2	2·6	3·8	2·3
Leather: Dressed	,,	5·8	5·1	5·6	5·8	6·5	6·4	7·8	6·2	6·9	15·9
Rubber tyres and tubes	Millions	9·5	12·4	14·2	13·2	12·6	14·5	13·4	13·8	14·0	29·4
Paper and paperboard and manufactures thereof:											
Newsprint in rolls	Th. tons	124·8	127·7	138·6	136·1	121·8	103·6	81·2	45·7	27·3	1·6
All other paper and paperboard and manufactures thereof	,,	125·2	149·8	160·3	173·7	158·1	154·0	163·5	184·1	185·4	39·5
Wool or hair yarns; woollen and worsted woven fabrics:											
Woollen yarns	Mn. lb.	5·2	4·5	4·6	5·7	6·9	6·4	7·7	9·6	8·4	4·6
Worsted yarns	,,	19·6	17·3	17·8	19·2	19·1	16·1	18·9	19·5	17·8	10·8
Alpaca, mohair and other hair or wool yarns	,,	4·0	3·7	4·0	4·0	4·0	2·7	4·4	3·7	2·9	2·7
Woollen and worsted woven fabrics(6):											
Woollen: All wool	Mn. sq. yds.	45·5	40·4	48·2	49·0	47·5	39·9	43·1	41·2	40·0	29·3
Wool mixtures	,,	16·6	18·8	20·1	22·1	22·1	19·6	21·0	17·9	13·8	5·7
Worsted: All wool	,,	31·4	28·4	30·5	29·6	30·1	27·2	30·1	29·6	28·9	24·2
Wool mixtures	,,	3·1	3·2	3·8	3·7	4·2	4·3	3·5	3·4	2·9	1·9
Cotton yarns and woven fabrics:											
Cotton yarns	Mn. lb.	41·9	40·4	35·6	35·8	37·6	26·8	22·9	21·1	14·7	5·8
Finished thread for sewing, etc.	,,	10·5	11·4	11·1	11·1	10·0	8·0	7·9	8·7	8·3	9·1
Cotton woven fabrics:											
Grey, unbleached	Mn. sq. yds.	54·8	41·2	36·8	31·3	28·7	24·9	22·6	18·2	14·9	1·7
White, bleached	,,	152·0	137·1	128·4	121·6	114·6	97·5	83·1	72·4	60·4	7·0
Printed	,,	258·0	224·7	212·8	167·4	163·9	135·1	135·1	138·7	126·3	18·4
Dyed in the piece	,,	201·3	191·6	144·6	129·2	128·0	107·6	87·2	80·5	71·0	11·0
Coloured cottons	,,	43·8	42·7	31·9	24·8	20·5	18·8	15·3	11·6	9·5	1·7
Man-made fibres:											
Yarns(5)	Mn. lb.	31·5	32·3	30·8	36·2	44·1	37·7	45·1	48·5	53·5	21·2
Woven fabrics of standard type (excluding fents)	Mn. Sq. yds.	176·8	175·3	133·7	120·8	112·2	84·2	63·7	54·2	48·9	10·1

Source: Board of Trade

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(1) See footnote (1) on page 216.

(2) Coal shipped for use of steamers, etc. engaged in the foreign trade (including fishing vessels). This item is not included in the total of exports shown in Tables 259, 263, 265 and 266.

(3) The figures from 1955 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

(4) Excluding perfumed spirits, essential oils and soap.

(5) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

(6) Excluding fabrics wholly or mainly of mohair, alpaca and cashmere, damasks, tapestries, brocades and the like, wool and mohair plushes and other pile fabrics, linings, lastings etc. and interlinings. Cut lengths each containing not more than 25 square yards are excluded for 1953 and 1954.

Principal articles exported(1)

TABLE **268** *(continued)*

Produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
											£ *million*
D. Manufactured goods *(continued)*											
Miscellaneous textile manufactures:											
Flax fabrics, woven	Mn. sq. yds.	47·1	47·2	45·8	46·1	40·6	34·5	37·2	36·8	30·5	7·4
Jute fabrics, woven	,,	23·1	26·0	29·7	33·4	27·4	23·2	26·7	32·2	27·4	2·3
Knitted, netted or crocheted fabrics of man-made fibres	,,	16·6	14·4	11·0	11·3	9·6	8·5	5·1	5·5	7·0	1·3
Cordage and cordage manufactures of hemp, cotton, etc.	Th. tons	12·6	13·9	15·2	16·5	17·1	16·7	19·7	17·2	16·5	4·5
Carpets and rugs of wool	Mn. sq. yds.	6·8	8·7	8·2	6·1	6·2	5·4	4·6	6·7	5·1	9·4
Felt base, linoleum and oilcloth	,,	34·2	42·8	49·3	43·0	39·5	38·4	40·5	43·9	41·5	8·5
Miscellaneous non-metallic mineral manufactures:											
Cement	Th. tons	1,980·3	1,837·1	1,947·8	1,670·1	1,471·7	1,250·5	1,155·2	1,077·7	742·3	5·3
Abrasives, manufactured	,,	6·6	7·3	7·9	7·2	7·0	6·7	7·6	8·5	9·7	3·3
Asbestos manufactures	,,	19·6	24·4	29·5	30·2	29·6	28·5	26·9	29·4	32·5	10·6
Pipes, ridges, sheets, slates, etc. of asbestos cement	,,	130·1	109·8	127·1	131·1	105·9	68·8	63·4	59·3	54·6	1·7
Glass and glassware(2)	,,	133·4	143·9	189·9	191·5	167·6	149·8	193·2	194·1	173·0	16·4
Stoneware and earthenware articles for domestic purposes(3)	,,	29·7	33·6	34·3	30·9	28·9	32·0	29·3	29·2	27·7	8·7
China, other than electrical	,,	3·8	4·5	4·8	3·8	3·6	4·0	4·5	4·5	5·0	5·8
Silver, platinum and jewellery:											
Silver bullion(4)	Mn. oz. troy of fine silver	11·3	10·5	9·7	75·3	35·9	12·4	10·2	6·3	11·4	3·8
Platinum, including alloys and manufactures	Th. oz. troy	247·7	207·8	351·4	361·2	412·7	275·5	313·3	349·2	347·1	9·9
Iron and steel:											
Pig iron	Th. tons	6·4	43·7	51·2	143·5	129·1	151·7	158·0	145·5	145·2	2·9
Ferro-alloys	,,	2·8	11·1	4·2	5·7	3·9	4·4	10·8	12·7	5·6	1·4
Crude and semi-finished steel	,,	1·8	2·8	3·5	2·0	4·4	21·7	82·7	25·6	103·3	3·5
Finished steel:											
Total	,,	1,908·8	2,105·3	2,441·0	2,401·8	2,786·6	2,380·8	2,683·4	2,948·4	3,009·9	194·3
Bars and rods	,,	157·0	220·4	251·4	303·6	352·2	227·0	275·4	295·2	358·7	22·8
Angles, shapes and sections	,,	109·9	138·7	162·8	163·4	164·9	117·2	186·2	201·2	233·0	10·4
Girders, beams, joists and pillars (rolled)	,,	19·1	41·6	51·4	41·3	38·7	39·5	131·7	181·4	140·4	5·4
Hoop and strip	,,	94·8	105·8	101·0	85·2	87·9	80·5	83·9	104·3	106·0	9·5
Tinned and terne plates and sheets	,,	260·7	299·7	316·9	302·9	412·9	416·4	471·4	493·0	429·7	32·2
Galvanised sheets	,,	131·0	168·5	163·0	157·6	176·7	87·5	85·7	82·2	65·1	5·0
Other plates and sheets(5)	,,	436·5	394·4	532·2	478·6	573·9	493·5	586·3	713·7	862·3	46·6
Wrought tubes, pipes and fittings	,,	440·0	433·7	501·1	544·7	634·5	601·8	605·1	594·7	519·2	45·2
Rails, sleepers, fishplates and soleplates	,,	216·0	211·6	262·5	228·7	236·9	214·9	147·0	160·9	166·7	6·3
Single wire	,,	43·8	90·9	98·6	95·9	108·0	102·5	109·9	121·7	128·7	11·0
Non-ferrous base metals:											
Copper and copper manufactures	,,	40·0	58·0	72·3	120·5	136·2	182·1	133·7	113·4	109·4	28·5
Brass and alloys of copper(3)	,,	39·0	25·0	29·7	42·9	47·4	55·7	55·6	55·6	70·5	18·5
Nickel and nickel alloys(6)	,,	15·8	18·0	16·1	14·4	14·7	16·7	24·0	26·7	27·7	20·1
Aluminium and aluminium alloys	,,	58·2	44·1	49·0	61·4	48·9	37·4	53·2	53·1	58·6	17·6
Tin unwrought	,,	13·8	8·1	8·5	7·3	7·3	9·2	29·2	7·8	9·8	8·7
Manufactures of metals:											
Of iron and steel:											
Wire cables, ropes, etc. uninsulated	,,	33·3	30·3	36·2	36·4	37·5	33·9	40·1	40·2	40·5	6·0
Wire netting, fencing, etc. and expanded metal	,,	29·7	32·0	42·4	36·9	41·6	31·2	34·5	32·9	26·6	2·6
Nails, bolts, nuts, washers, etc.	,,	46·6	44·8	47·5	51·5	66·6	48·7	48·5	40·4	36·6	7·1
Hardware, other than hollow-ware	,,	11·0	13·2	15·1	14·6	13·5	12·0	12·6	12·8	12·8	7·3

Source: Board of Trade

(1) See footnote (1) on page 216.

(2) Excluding scientific glassware (except tubing and rod).

(3) The figures from 1955 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

(4) The figures include 67·8 million oz. troy in 1956 and 21·3 million oz. troy valued at £7·1 million in 1957, in respect of repayment of Lend-Lease silver to the United States. (These repayments ceased in April 1957.)

(5) Excluding decorated plates for boxes and vitreous or stove enamelled plates.

(6) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years. From 1955 cupro-nickel and nickel silver are excluded.

Principal articles exported(1)

TABLE **268** *(continued)*

Produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
D. Manufactured goods *(continued)*											£ *million*
Machinery, other than electric:											
Boilers and boiler-house plant	Th. tons	71·2	67·3	63·1	59·3	57·9	56·4	41·9	37·7	46·9	18·0
Steam engines	,,	9·4	12·5	11·8	10·9	10·1	10·7	13·4	13·3	12·6	13·2
Aeroplane engines	£ million	20·3	20·9	22·3	28·0	40·6	49·4	64·5	73·7	83·0	83·0
Internal combustion engines(2)	Th. tons	54·7	55·2	61·8	64·9	60·7	53·5	51·7	55·1	60·4	40·2
Engines for motor vehicles	Thousands	51·1	56·6	85·2	88·1	63·8	65·7	87·9	108·7	117·5	20·6
Agricultural machinery	Th. tons	51·7	54·0	55·7	51·5	50·4	46·7	42·7	48·8	51·3	20·1
Tractors	Thousands	98·4	112·4	109·7	95·9	119·1	111·8	122·6	155·0	155·4	93·6
Office machinery	Th. tons	4·5	5·2	6·0	6·5	7·4	7·4	7·8	9·9	10·7	29·6
Machine tools, metal-working and parts	,,	45·7	39·0	41·4	44·1	47·9	43·3	36·9	45·9	49·8	35·1
Pumps	,,	22·9	20·7	20·6	22·7	21·4	22·2	20·4	21·3	20·6	18·0
Mechanical handling equipment, other than underground mining equipment(3)	,,	59·2	55·8	52·6	56·0	58·9	61·4	54·7	50·3	49·2	18·8
Excavating and earth-moving etc. machinery	,,	49·0	45·6	55·4	63·9	60·3	48·0	58·4	71·3	88·8	38·5
Mining machinery	,,	15·4	10·9	8·9	10·3	9·6	11·0	11·2	9·6	10·0	5·0
Printing, bookbinding, etc. machines and printing type	,,	10·4	10·3	11·1	9·9	9·0	8·3	9·0	9·8	10·0	13·4
Laundering and dry cleaning machinery	,,	13·0	14·4	15·1	14·3	13·3	13·2	13·4	18·4	21·6	12·6
Textile machinery	,,	84·2	79·3	82·7	80·3	69·8	56·0	55·9	67·2	76·9	62·1
Sewing machines and parts (including needles)	,,	14·1	13·7	16·8	18·1	17·0	13·7	14·5	18·9	21·4	15·7
Refrigerators and refrigerating equipment (not domestic) (4)	,,	10·1	11·9	10·9	12·9	13·1	8·4	9·8	10·6	10·6	6·9
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	,,	9·8	9·9	10·1	11·1	11·0	8·3	9·0	11·3	13·4	10·4
Industrial valves	,,	21·3	17·7	19·3	22·2	24·7	20·9	22·0	22·5	25·0	14·6
Electric machinery, apparatus and appliances:											
Electric machinery	,,	111·5	104·9	110·7	111·0	113·8	113·5	106·7	95·1	94·2	65·3
Domestic radio receiving sets, and radiograms complete, and chassis	Thousands	320·1	311·5	346·7	329·0	284·7	231·8	238·6	250·1	210·8	2·2
Electric cables, wires, etc., insulated	Th. tons	99·4	68·4	94·0	110·6	113·4	93·6	85·6	73·7	75·4	23·2
Railway vehicles:											
Locomotives	Number	949	963	866	810	675	504	446	383	230	2·6
Carriages, wagons and trucks, complete	Th. tons	80·8	67·4	40·8	31·0	32·4	48·0	51·6	8·5	13·0	2·2
Parts for railway vehicles	,,	135·1	95·0	113·9	145·6	206·7	165·5	103·6	79·3	52·4	9·0
Road vehicles and aircraft:											
Motor cars, new	Thousands	270·8	323·1	339·8	308·0	401·2	451·1	539·3	537·8	364·7	146·5
Commercial vehicles, new (excluding tractors)	,,	44·2	49·7	61·9	51·1	58·1	57·3	62·9	68·2	73·3	42·5
Chassis, with engines for:											
Motor cars	,,	37·8	50·4	50·8	27·8	25·1	32·8	29·6	32·1	6·0	1·4
Commercial vehicles	,,	59·7	68·9	78·0	75·0	64·4	54·3	64·5	77·3	93·6	77·8
Motor cycles and tricycles	,,	63·1	70·3	60·7	58·8	50·4	36·0	42·7	44·1	32·7	4·4
Pedal cycles	Millions	2·0	2·1	2·4	2·0	1·6	1·3	1·3	1·5	1·3	11·6
Aircraft and parts (excluding engines and electrical parts)	£ million	37·4	27·5	33·5	67·4	65·6	93·5	84·3	61·8	58·8	58·8
Ships and boats:											
Steam and motor vessels, new, complete, other than war vessels	Th. gross tons	372·1	482·1	462·1	767·4	479·6	394·7	251·1	240·1	392·7	57·1

Source: Board of Trade

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(1) See footnote (1) on page 216.

(2) Excluding engines for motor vehicles, tractors and aircraft.

(3) Excluding lifting jacks.

(4) The figures from 1958 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

Principal articles exported(1)

TABLE 268 (*continued*)

Produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
											£ *million*
D. Manufactured goods (*continued*)											
Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings; buildings, prefabricated; furniture:											
Buildings, prefabricated and structural parts therefor(2)	£ million	3·8	2·9	3·1	4·3	3·3	5·8	3·8	4·3	4·2	4·2
Sanitary ware, of earthenware and fireclay(3)	Th. tons	16·8	19·4	24·2	25·5	20·2	18·7	19·4	21·5	18·5	2·7
Baths, cisterns and other sanitary goods of iron or steel, except fittings	,,	7·0	9·1	12·7	9·4	7·8	6·0	6·1	6·9	6·9	1·4
Clothing, footwear, travel goods and handbags:											
Knitted, netted or crocheted goods (hosiery):											
Stockings and socks	Mn. doz. prs.	4·3	3·3	2·8	2·3	2·4	2·0	2·0	2·1	1·5	2·7
Underwear	Th. doz.	971·0	808·8	622·8	550·1	580·4	473·7	421·7	421·5	385·6	1·2
Undergarments, other than knitted, netted or crocheted	,,	111·0	104·1	142·7	116·1	130·6	115·3	146·3	160·2	177·2	1·5
Hats and caps(4)	,,	435·4	459·7	467·5	527·9	537·6	560·0	2,317·6	2,338·8	2,166·7	2·4
Footwear, wholly or mainly of leather	Th. doz. prs.	455·1	426·9	440·6	472·9	525·9	537·1	628·2	607·8	566·6	10·5
Miscellaneous manufactured articles:											
Books, newspapers and periodicals	Th. tons	28·1	31·6	36·2	36·7	38·9	45·0	45·7	56·1	57·4	22·6
Refrigerators and refrigerating equipment, domestic(2)	,,	13·2	15·3	14·5	13·0	11·1	15·8	12·3	14·6	11·2	7·0

Exports of imported merchandise

	Unit	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
											£ *million*
A. Food, beverages and tobacco											
Coffee and coffee and chicory	Th. tons	5·2	4·1	3·7	1·5	1·8	2·3	1·6	1·6	3·2	1·1
Cocoa, raw	,,	7·9	6·7	7·1	8·0	6·7	4·9	8·3	4·6	6·4	1·3
Tea	,,	16·0	14·0	14·7	14·1	13·4	13·2	18·0	13·4	14·1	8·9
Wine	Th. gals.	585·1	578·6	669·5	657·4	708·5	567·9	618·1	596·6	623·1	1·6
Beer	Th. bulk barrels	92·6	100·9	128·4	147·1	175·5	200·8	190·0	213·8	263·3	4·9
Tobacco and manufactures	Mn. lb.	8·9	3·8	4·0	2·9	2·7	1·6	2·4	4·6	2·9	0·8
B. Basic materials											
Fur skins, undressed, except rabbit	Th. tons	1·8	1·8	2·0	2·2	2·0	1·9	2·2	2·1	2·1	21·5
Rubber, raw including crepe and latex	,,	42·4	14·5	39·4	111·5	70·2	145·8	41·6	72·1	119·1	28·9
Sheep's and lambs' wool, raw	Mn. lb.	68·4	64·4	60·2	60·7	56·6	44·9	47·9	48·0	44·6	9·1
Cotton, raw (except linters)	Th. tons	3·2	2·5	5·9	11·0	5·3	2·8	5·2	4·8	5·4	1·3
Gums and resins (excluding rosin)	,,	3·7	3·8	3·3	3·0	2·6	1·9	3·5	2·3	2·5	0·6
C. Mineral fuels and lubricants											
Petroleum, refined	Mn. gals.	22·4	55·9	52·7	89·4	50·3	101·0	131·0	59·8	21·8	1·1
Bunker fuel oil(5)	,,	857·6	912·7	965·5	1,051·3	823·9	901·9	962·0	984·2	997·6	. .
D. Manufactured goods											
Woven cotton fabrics	Mn. sq. yds.	2·7	5·0	6·1	3·6	3·5	11·4	2·2	3·6	4·5	0·1
Wool carpets, carpeting, etc.	Th. sq. yds.	221·6	204·9	282·7	288·2	337·1	287·1	306·6	317·4	382·0	2·5
Aeroplane engines	£ million	1·9	1·4	1·5	3·4	4·4	10·0	6·2	5·4	6·9	6·9

Source: Board of Trade

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(1) See footnote (1) on page 216.

(2) The figures from 1958 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

(3) Excluding drain pipes, angles, bends, elbows and traps.

(4) The figures from 1959 are not completely comparable with those for previous years.

(5) Fuel oil shipped for the use of vessels engaged in the foreign trade (including fishing vessels), includes imported and indigenous oil refined in the United Kingdom. This item is not included in the totals of exports or re-exports shown in Tables 259, 263, 265 and 268.

X. OVERSEAS FINANCE

The tables in this section are derived from publications on the United Kingdom balance of payments prepared by the Central Statistical Office. The figures for 1959–1961 are taken from the October 1962 balance of payments White Paper (Cmnd. 1837).

Recent White Papers have incorporated a number of changes in sources and methods which have led to substantial revisions to figures previously published. In order to provide a consistent series, estimates for the years 1952–1958 have been revised to take account of these changes. Information which is now derived from enquiries conducted by the Government, with the co-operation of industry and trade, is not available in the same form for years prior to 1958. For this reason, some of the estimates for these years are subject to a greater margin of error than those for later years. For the same reason, figures for the earlier years have been omitted from some of the detailed tables in this section.

The following general notes and footnotes to the tables provide brief definitions and explanations of the figures and terms used. Further notes are included in Cmnd. 1837 and in the October 1962 issue of *Economic Trends.*

Current account

In principle, transactions are recorded when the ownership of goods or assets changes and when services are rendered.

1. *Visible trade*

The *Trade and Navigation Accounts* are the basis of the balance of payments figures, but certain adjustments are made in respect of valuation and coverage. The principal adjustment is the deduction of freight and insurance from the *Trade Accounts* figures of imports.

Invisibles

2. *Government*

All United Kingdom Government current expenditure and receipts not falling under items 1, 3, 4 and 5.

3. *Shipping*

Covers dry cargo and tanker transactions. An analysis of shipping debits and credits is given in Table 273.

4. *Interest, profits and dividends*

Includes all investment income remitted from or to the United Kingdom for payment of interest and dividends (after deduction of local taxes) and profits remitted or retained for re-investment.

5. *Travel*

Personal expenditure by United Kingdom residents inside foreign countries and by foreign residents inside the United Kingdom.

6. *Migrants' funds, legacies and private gifts*

Value of private assets passing from a resident to non-resident ownership or *vice versa* without a *quid pro quo.*

7. *Other services*

All other current transactions. Components include payments and receipts in respect of civil aviation, education, royalties, commissions and banking (excluding interest earnings). Included in credits are the expenditure of foreign Government agencies in the United Kingdom and net earnings in respect of insurance and merchanting transactions. Debits include sales of gold at home for industrial use.

Long-term capital account

This account shows inter-government loans to and by the United Kingdom, *less* repayments, and identified net long-term investment abroad by United Kingdom residents or in the United Kingdom by non-residents. Private investment includes re-investment of retained profits.

Balancing item

The amount necessary to balance the account—it represents the net total of the errors and omissions in other items.

Monetary movements

The movements covered by this section consist of identified capital transactions not of a long-term character (e.g. changes in sterling acceptances) and changes in overseas sterling holdings, in the United Kingdom credit or debit balances in the European Payments Union up to the liquidation of the Union in January 1959 and in the United Kingdom's official holdings of gold and foreign currencies.

Regional analysis

The definitions of the monetary division shown in Table 270 are:

Overseas sterling area: The Colonial territories of the United Kingdom (Colonies, Protectorates, Trust Territories, etc.); the independent Commonwealth countries other than Canada; the British Protectorate states in the Persian Gulf (Bahrein, Kuwait, Qatar and the Trucial States), South Africa, Burma, Iceland, Irish Republic, Jordan and Libya (prior to 1956 Iraq is included).

Non-sterling area: All countries not included above and non-territorial organisations which comprise United Nations and its specialised agencies; the International Monetary Fund (I.M.F.), the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (I.B.R.D.), the International Finance Corporation (I.F.C.), the International Development Association (I.D.A.) and other international organisations.

Balance of payments of the United Kingdom

TABLE 269

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Current account										
Total	+164	+148	+125	−156	+207	+209	+328	+111	−301	− 77
Visible trade	−279	−244	−204	−313	+ 53	− 26	+ 35	−106	−393	−143
Imports (f.o.b.)	3,048	2,927	2,989	3,386	3,324	3,535	3,357	3,613	4,100	4,006
Exports and re-exports (f.o.b.)	2,769	2,683	2,785	3,073	3,377	3,509	3,392	3,507	3,707	3,863
Invisibles (net)	+443	+392	+329	+157	+154	+235	+293	+217	+ 92	+66
Government: debits	219	220	231	244	264	253	281	276	336	382
credits	165	162	105	105	92	106	57	43	49	44
Shipping: debits	425	447	484	570	659	652	588	619	701	713
credits	559	535	520	540	611	659	631	624	646	657
Interest, profit and dividends: debits	259	279	311	359	360	361	411	418	455	449
credits	513	508	566	533	584	600	705	682	695	696
Travel: debits	83	89	101	125	132	146	155	175	210	228
credits	80	88	95	111	121	129	138	153	188	206
Migrants' fund, legacies, etc: debits	65	61	66	82	109	110	97	95	96	96
credits	63	72	76	80	91	88	99	95	96	99
Other services: debits	228	218	226	234	250	277	277	312	343	366
credits	342	341	386	402	429	452	472	515	559	598
Long-term capital account(1)										
Balance of long-term capital transactions	−134	−194	−191	−122	−187	−106	−186	−493	−193	+ 26
Inter-government loans by U.K. (net)	+ 16	+ 27	+ 34	− 4	+ 18	+ 13	+ 15	+ 29	− 19	+ 50
Inter-government loans to U.K. (net)	− 16	− 57	− 54	− 48	− 70	+ 59	− 60	−146	− 72	− 64
Subscriptions to I.M.F., European Fund and I.D.A.	—	—	—	—	− 5	—	—	−236	− 10	− 9
Other U.K. official long-term capital (net)	− 20	− 19	− 8	− 10	− 11	− 6	− 4	—	− 1	− 19
Private investment: abroad (net)	−127	−173	−238	−182	−258	−298	−303	−316	−312	−338
in the U.K. (net)	+ 13	+ 28	+ 75	+122	+139	+126	+166	+176	+221	+406
Balancing item	+ 65	+ 29	+ 49	+122	+ 43	+104	+ 60	− 23	+312	+ 80
Monetary movements										
Balance of monetary movements	− 95	+ 17	+ 17	+156	− 63	−207	−202	+405	+182	− 29
Miscellaneous capital (net)	+ 60	+ 30	+ 10	+ 60	− 70	− 10	+ 11	+ 33	+137	− 75
Overseas sterling holdings	−357	+218	+175	−134	+ 46	−173	+ 58	+236	+220	+ 76
U.K. balance in E.P.U.	+ 53	− 21	− 78	+ 1	+ 4	+ 11	− 10	+ 9		
U.K. official holdings of non-convertible currencies	− 26	+ 30	− 3	—	− 1	− 22	+ 23	+ 8	+ 2	+ 1
Gold and convertible currency reserves	+175	−240	− 87	+229	− 42(2)	− 13(2)	−284	+119	−177	− 31

(1) Assets: Increase−/decrease+. Liabilities: Increase+/decrease−.

(2) Including special North American loan interest accounts.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Balance of payments of the United Kingdom

Distribution by area

TABLE **270**

£ million

	1958	1959	1960	1961
Current account				
Balance of current transactions:				
Total	+328	+111	−301	− 77
Overseas sterling area	+465	+279	+343	+276
Non-sterling area	−137	−168	−644	−353
Balance of visible trade:				
Total	+ 35	−106	−393	−143
Overseas sterling area	+174	+ 17	+ 45	+ 19
Non-sterling area	−139	−123	−438	−162
Imports (f.o.b.):				
Total	3,357	3,613	4,100	4,006
Overseas sterling area	1,253	1,345	1,400	1,391
Non-sterling area	2,104	2,268	2,700	2,615
Exports and re-exports (f.o.b.):				
Total	3,392	3,507	3,707	3,863
Overseas sterling area	1,427	1,362	1,445	1,410
Non-sterling area	1,965	2,145	2,262	2,453
Balance of invisibles:				
Total	+293	+217	+ 92	+ 66
Overseas sterling area	+291	+262	+298	+257
Non-sterling area	+ 2	− 45	−206	−191
Government:				
Total	−224	−233	−287	−338
Overseas sterling area	−168	−177	−208	−237
Non-sterling area	− 56	− 56	− 79	−101
Shipping:				
Total	+ 43	+ 5	− 55	− 56
Overseas sterling area	+100	+ 94	+ 98	+ 98
Non-sterling area	− 57	− 89	−153	−154
Interests, profits and dividends:				
Total	+294	+264	+240	+247
Overseas sterling area	+262	+244	+291	+277
Non-sterling area	+ 32	+ 20	− 51	− 30
Travel:				
Total	− 17	− 22	− 22	− 22
Overseas sterling area	+ 8	+ 9	+ 18	+ 23
Non-sterling area	− 25	− 31	− 40	− 45
Migrants' funds, legacies, etc.:				
Total	+ 2	—	—	+ 3
Overseas sterling area	− 4	− 5	− 1	− 4
Non-sterling area	+ 6	+ 5	+ 1	+ 7
Other services:				
Total	+195	+203	+216	+232
Overseas sterling area	+ 93	+ 97	+100	+100
Non-sterling area	+102	+106	+116	+132
Long-term capital account				
Total	−186	−493	−193	+ 26
Overseas sterling area	−223	−195	−220	−222
Non-sterling area	+ 37	−298	+ 27	+248
Inter-area transfers				
Overseas sterling area	− 64	−283	+ 12	−171
Non-sterling area	+ 64	+283	− 12	+171
Balancing item				
Total	+ 60	− 23	+312	+ 80
Overseas sterling area	− 85	− 6	+ 85	− 6
Non-sterling area	+145	− 17	+227	+ 86
Monetary movements				
Total	−202	+405	+182	− 29
Overseas sterling area	− 93	+205	−220	+123
Non-sterling area	−109	+200	+402	−152

Source: Central Statistical Office

Visible trade in the balance of payments

TABLE 271

£ million

	1958	1959	1960	1961
Imports				
Trade Accounts (c.i.f.)	3,746	3,983	4,541	4,398
Freight and insurance	–446	–462	–499	–491
Other valuation adjustments	– 2	3	– 1	6
Coverage adjustments	117	170	144	191
Returned goods and goods temporarily imported for process and repair	– 58	– 81	– 85	– 98
Balance of payments imports (f.o.b.)	3,357	3,613	4,100	4,006
Exports and re-exports				
Trade Accounts (f.o.b.)	3,313	3,461	3,696	3,841
Valuation adjustments	18	18	—	6
Coverage adjustments	119	109	96	114
Returned goods and goods temporarily imported for process and repair	– 58	– 81	– 85	– 98
Balance of payments exports and re-exports (f.o.b.)	3,392	3,507	3,707	3,863

Source: Central Statistical Office

Government current expenditure and receipts

TABLE 272

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Expenditure										
Total	219	220	231	244	264	253	281	276	336	382
Military	138	140	147	153	175	158	181	169	210	229
Economic grants(¹)	51	51	55	60	56	58	54	56	65	80
Other grants							5	6	11	12
Administrative, diplomatic etc.	30	29	29	31	33	37	41	45	50	61
Receipts										
Total	165	162	105	105	92	106	57	43	49	44
Defence aid (net)	120	102	50	46	26	21	3	—	—	—
Other grants	17	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	28	57	55	59	66	85	54	43	49	44

(¹) Comprises grants under the Colonial Development and Welfare Acts, grants in aid of Colonial revenues, etc., grants towards emergency expenditure and certain contributions to international organisations.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Shipping

TABLE 273

£ million

	1958	1959	1960	1961
Debits				
U.K. shipping:				
Charter payments	137	161	195	212
Disbursements abroad	300	301	308	319
Overseas shipping:				
Freight on imports into the U.K.	145	150	192	175
Passage money	6	7	6	7
	588	619	701	713
Credits				
U.K. shipping:				
Freight on exports and cross trades	488	481	493	505
Charter receipts	23	23	26	27
Passage money	54	52	53	48
Overseas shipping:				
Disbursements in the U.K.	65	68	74	77
Other	1	—	—	—
	631	624	646	657

Source: Central Statistical Office

Interest, profits and dividends

TABLE 274

£ million

	1958	1959	1960	1961
Debits				
Income on:				
Direct investment(1)	95	136	137	131
Portfolio	65	61	70	67
Other	251	221	248	251
Total	411	418	455	449
Credits				
Income on:				
Direct investment(1)	195	238	258	252
Portfolio	115	121	133	133
Other	395	323	304	311
Total	705	682	695	696
Interest, profits and dividends (net)	+294	+264	+240	+247

(1) Board of Trade inquiry into overseas direct investment; excluding oil and insurance.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Private investment

TABLE 275

£ million

	1958	1959	1960	1961
Abroad (net of disinvestment)				
Direct(1)	−144	−196	−247	−218
Other(2)	−159	−120	− 65	−120
Total	−303	−316	−312	−338
In the United Kingdom (net of disinvestment)				
Direct(1)	+ 87	+146	+135	+233
Other(2)	+ 79	+ 30	+ 86	+173
Total	+166	+176	+221	+406
Private investment (net)	−137	−140	− 91	+ 68

(1) Board of Trade inquiry into overseas direct investment; excluding oil and insurance.
(2) Including portfolio investment and investment by the oil and insurance industries.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gold and convertible currency reserves, etc.

TABLE 276

At 31 December in each year

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Gold and convertible currency reserves	659	899	986	757	799(1)	812	1,096	977	1,154	1,185
United Kingdom official holdings of non-convertible currencies	40	10	13	13	14	36	13(2)	5	3	2
Acceptances outstanding										
Total	70	69	102	101	126	147	130	134	108	162
Sterling area countries	70	69	102	101	126	9	11	13	15	15
Non-sterling countries						138	119	121	93	147

(1) Includes £37 million in special North American loan interest accounts.
(2) Including holdings of convertible currency set aside for liquidation in the final E.P.U. settlement.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Overseas sterling holdings(1)

TABLE 277

At 31 December in each year

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total holdings:												
Total	4,143	3,786	4,004	4,179	4,045	4,091	3,918	3,976	3,976	4,212	4,432	4,508
Official	3,477	3,063	3,188	3,196	3,173	3,309	3,154	3,015	3,015	3,195	3,077	3,495
Other	666	723	816	983	872	782	764	961	961	1,017	1,355	1,013
Total all countries:												
Total	3,577	3,219	3,493	3,703	3,576	3,422	3,273	3,353	3,353	3,507	3,883	3,550
Official	2,911	2,496	2,677	2,720	2,704	2,640	2,509	2,392	2,392	2,490	2,528	2,537
Other	666	723	816	983	872	782	764	961	961	1,017	1,355	1,013
Sterling area countries:												
Total	2,585	2,482	2,715	2,822	2,764	2,730	2,608	2,519	2,519	2,704	2,478	2,631
Official	2,252	2,019	2,203	2,260	2,266	2,240	2,126	1,993	1,993	2,165	2,029	2,097
Other	333	463	512	562	498	490	482	526	526	539	449	534
Non-sterling area countries:												
Total	992	737	778	881	812	692	665	834	834	803	1,405	919
Official	659	477	474	460	438	400	383	399	399	325	499	440
Other	333	260	304	421	374	292	282	435	435	478	906	479
Dollar area:												
Total	38	34	62	97	58	37	35	53	..	..	..	..
Official	28	15	19	8	5	7	4	7	..	..	..	..
Other	10	19	43	89	53	30	31	46	..	..	..	..
Other western hemisphere countries:												
Total	57	6	40	8	9	32	31	24	..	..	..	..
Official	35	20	57	6	3	19	12	1	..	..	..	..
Other	22	−14	−17	2	6	13	19	23	..	..	..	..
O.E.E.C. countries(2):												
Total	328	239	223	244	213	193	260	373	..	..	..	..
Official	155	86	68	56	50	61	131	142	..	..	..	..
Other	173	153	155	188	163	132	129	231	..	..	..	..
Other non-sterling countries(3):												
Total	569	458	453	532	532	430	339	384	..	..	..	..
Official	441	356	330	390	380	313	236	249	..	..	..	..
Other	128	102	123	142	152	117	103	135	..	..	..	..
North America(4):												
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58	60	303	93
Official	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	5	6	7
Other	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	55	297	86
Latin America(5):												
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	12	63	14
Official	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	56	16
Other	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	4	7	−2
Western Europe(6):												
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	408	387	699	573
Official	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	159	99	236	277
Other	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	249	288	463	296
Other non-sterling countries(3):												
Total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	350	344	340	239
Official	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	232	213	201	140
Other	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	118	131	139	99
Non-territorial organisations:												
Official	566	567	511	476	469	669	645	623	623	705	549	958

Source: Bank of England

(1) Comprising:
- (i) the net holdings, including Treasury bills, in sterling or sterling area currencies of overseas banks (including overseas offices of United Kingdom Banks) and other account holders abroad with banks in the United Kingdom (including accepting houses, discount houses and the United Kingdom offices of Commonwealth and foreign banks); British Government securities held for account of overseas banks are included;
- (ii) sterling funds held with the Crown Agents for Overseas Governments and Administrations and by Currency Boards, excluding Commonwealth (other than United Kingdom) and South African sterling securities; and
- (iii) so far as known, the nominal value of British government securities held by other official bodies but not those held by private individuals or firms.

(2) Not including Spain. (3) Including Iraq. (4) Comprises U.S.A. and dependencies and Canada.

(5) Comprises other independent countries of the American continents.

(6) Comprises non-sterling European members of O.E.C.D. and their dependent territories, together with Andorra, Finland, Vatican City and Yugoslavia.

Assistance by the United Kingdom Government for overseas development(1)

TABLE 278

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(2)
Total economic and technical assistance	76·7	82·3	75·4	81·3	110·0	130·4	152·0	161·3
Bilateral assistance	66·2	76·4	59·7	62·4	86·0	110·4	130·8	155·1
Colonial territories(3)	55·3	45·3	46·1	47·3	48·9	57·6	71·8	93·8
Grants	35·6	33·0	37·7	41·1	37·3	40·3	38·9	54·9
Technical assistance(4)	2·3	2·4	2·7	2·8	2·7	3·6	3·9	17·0
Emergency assistance	14·3	10·2	7·2	10·1	8·0	8·0	1·5	0·9
Other grants	19·0	20·4	27·8	28·2	26·6	28·7	33·5	37·0
Loans	19·7	12·3	8·4	6·2	11·6	17·3	32·9	38·9
Technical assistance(4)	—	—	—	—	—	1·2	0·5	—
Emergency assistance	3·0	—	—	1·5	0·7	0·8	0·3	0·2
Other loans	16·7	12·3	8·4	4·7	10·9	15·3	32·1	38·7
Independent Commonwealth	3·4	2·3	1·9	4·7	25·8	39·7	45·6	46·3
Grants	0·6	0·6	0·6	2·7	5·0	5·0	10·2	14·2
Technical assistance(4)	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·9	0·8	0·9	1·7	3·4
Emergency assistance	—	—	—	1·7	3·0	2·9	2·2	1·2
Other grants	0·1	0·1	—	0·1	1·2	1·2	6·3	9·6
Loans	2·8	1·7	1·3	2·0	20·8	34·7	35·4	32·1
Technical assistance(4)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·2	0·4
Other loans	2·8	1·7	1·3	2·0	20·8	34·7	34·2	31·7
Other countries	7·5	28·8	11·7	10·4	11·3	13·1	13·4	15·0
Grants	5·7	7·8	6·8	6·2	6·3	8·1	9·6	11·6
Technical assistance(4)	0·1	0·2	0·2	0·4	0·6	0·9	1·0	1·3
Other grants	5·6	7·6	6·6	5·8	5·7	7·2	8·6	10·3
Loans	1·8	21·0	4·9	4·2	5·0	5·0	3·8	3·4
Multilateral assistance	10·5	5·9	15·7	18·9	24·0	20·0	21·2	6·2
Drawings by the International Bank from the United Kingdom's sterling subscription	4·7	2·4	7·9	16·0	21·1	16·6	12·4	—
Subscription to the International Finance Corporation	—	—	5·0	—	—	—	—	—
Drawings by the International Development Association from the United Kingdom's subscription	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·3	0·6
U.N. Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance and U.N. Special Fund	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·8	1·2	2·9	2·9
U.N.R.W.A. (Relief of Palestine Refugees)	1·6	2·0	1·9	2·0	1·9	1·9	1·9	1·9
U.N.I.C.E.F. (U.N. Children's Fund)	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·3	0·3
U.N. Korean Reconstruction Agency	3·2	0·5	—	—	—	—	—	—
U.N. Civil Assistance to the Congo	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·1	—
Indus Basin Development Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·3	0·5

Source: H.M. Treasury

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(1) Economic and technical assistance for the less developed countries.

(2) Provisional.

(3) Includes assistance given before independence to territories now independent and to the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.

(4) The figures do not cover all technical assistance provided by the United Kingdom, some of which cannot be assessed in quantitative terms, e.g. that part of the United Kingdom's subscription to the budgets of the United Nations and its Specialised Agencies which is spent on technical assistance.

Assistance by the United Kingdom Government for overseas development

Subdivision by the main recipient countries

TABLE 279

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62(¹)
Total economic and technical assistance	76·7	82·3	75·4	81·3	110·0	130·4	152·0	161·3
Bilateral assistance	66·2	76·4	59·7	62·4	86·0	110·4	130·8	155·1
Grants	41·9	41·4	45·1	50·0	48·6	53·4	58·7	80·7
Africa	23·1	24·6	20·1	19·1	16·3	17·0	23·5	43·9
East African Common Services Organisation(²)	1·5	0·7	0·8	0·5	0·4	0·5	0·5	3·0
Kenya(³)	9·1	12·0	6·1	3·0	2·1	1·7	1·2	11·2
Libya	3·9	3·9	4·1	4·4	3·2	3·3	3·2	3·3
Mauritius	0·2	0·1	0·4	0·1	0·1	0·1	1·1	1·3
Nigeria	3·2	2·7	1·9	3·5	3·4	2·5	3·6	2·0
Rhodesia and Nyasaland(³)(⁴)	0·9	1·4	1·0	0·8	0·7	0·9	2·6	3·3
Sierra Leone	0·7	0·5	0·4	0·7	0·2	0·9	1·2	2·7
Somaliland	0·5	0·5	0·8	1·3	1·4	1·1	1·3	—
Somali Republic	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·2	1·5
Swaziland, Basutoland and Bechuanaland	0·5	0·5	1·2	1·4	1·3	1·7	2·0	4·7
Tanganyika	0·8	1·0	1·2	1·0	1·4	1·4	1·9	5·7
Uganda	0·6	0·2	0·1	0·5	0·6	0·9	1·3	3·1
Other	1·2	1·1	2·1	1·9	1·5	2·0	2·4	2·1
America	3·5	4·3	6·4	6·2	6·6	8·6	6·9	8·8
British Guiana	0·9	1·1	1·0	1·2	0·7	1·0	1·3	1·3
British Honduras	0·3	0·5	0·5	0·9	1·2	1·0	0·6	1·6
Jamaica	0·7	0·8	1·4	0·9	1·0	1·8	1·3	1·4
Other British West Indies	1·5	1·8	3·4	2·9	3·5	4·6	3·4	4·1
Other	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·4
Asia	9·4	4·3	5·6	8·2	11·0	13·3	13·5	15·4
Aden (including Aden Protectorate)	0·5	0·6	1·2	1·4	2·0	2·7	2·6	3·2
Jordan	0·2	0·2	0·6	0·5	1·5	2·6	2·5	2·7
Malaya(³)	6·5	0·9	1·7	3·5	4·3	4·1	3·2	2·4
North Borneo	0·7	0·4	0·3	0·6	0·5	0·3	0·7	0·9
Sarawak	—	—	0·2	0·5	0·4	0·6	0·9	1·4
Other	1·5	2·2	1·6	1·7	2·3	3·0	3·6	4·8
Europe	4·3	6·4	11·0	14·1	12·3	11·8	11·5	6·6
Cyprus(³)	0·5	0·2	2·5	7·5	7·6	7·6	6·5	3·5
Malta	2·5	3·3	7·0	6·2	4·6	4·0	4·7	2·7
Yugoslavia	1·2	2·6	1·3	0·3	0·1	0·1	0·1	—
Other	0·1	0·3	0·2	0·1	—	0·1	0·2	0·4
Other grants	1·6	1·8	2·0	2·4	2·4	2·7	3·3	6·0
Loans	24·3	35·0	14·6	12·4	37·4	57·0	72·1	74·4
Africa	4·6	6·7	5·8	3·5	3·9	13·5	33·2	40·4
East African Common Services Organisation(²)	—	—	—	—	—	—	4·3	4·6
Kenya	3·3	4·8	1·1	2·2	1·2	2·4	8·4	4·0
Nigeria	—	0·1	0·1	0·2	—	1·3	7·9	6·6
Rhodesia and Nyasaland(³)(⁴)	—	0·7	4·1	0·4	1·5	—	0·3	14·0
Sierra Leone	—	—	—	—	—	1·5	1·7	0·1
Swaziland, Basutoland and Bechuanaland	0·2	0·3	0·1	0·4	0·5	2·2	3·0	2·8
Sudan	—	—	—	—	—	2·4	1·7	—
Tanganyika	0·1	0·3	0·1	0·3	0·4	0·6	2·0	3·9
Uganda	1·0	0·5	—	—	0·3	3·0	3·0	3·6
Other	—	—	0·3	—	—	0·1	0·9	0·8
America	1·3	19·9	1·2	0·9	6·9	2·0	4·5	6·6
Argentina	—	19·0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brazil	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·2
British Guiana	0·6	0·5	0·3	0·2	5·2	1·1	1·6	2·6
British West Indies	0·6	0·3	0·8	0·6	1·6	0·9	2·9	1·4
Chile	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1·4
Other	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	—	—	—
Asia	18·2	8·4	7·6	8·0	23·9	36·4	32·2	26·1
India	—	—	—	—	18·8	33·0	28·1	17·2
Iran	—	0·3	3·8	3·7	1·7	0·1	—	—
Jordan	1·6	1·8	1·1	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·5
Malaya	1·6	1·5	0·5	0·8	0·8	—	0·2	1·5
Pakistan	2·8	1·7	1·3	2·0	1·2	1·7	2·7	6·2
War damage compensation	10·0	1·5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	2·2	1·6	0·9	1·0	0·8	1·1	0·7	0·7
Europe	0·2	—	—	—	2·7	5·1	2·1	0·8
Cyprus	—	—	—	—	—	1·3	—	—
Malta	—	—	—	—	—	1·8	0·5	0·5
Turkey	—	—	—	—	2·7	0·9	—	—
Yugoslavia	0·2	—	—	—	—	1·1	1·6	0·3
Other loans	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·1	0·5
Multilateral assistance(⁵)	10·5	5·9	15·7	18·9	24·0	20·0	21·2	6·2

(¹) Provisional. (²) Formerly the East Africa High Commission. (³) Including emergency assistance.
(⁴) Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland and constituent territories. (⁵) The details are given in Table 278.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Foreign exchange rates(¹)

TABLE **280**

		1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
New York	$ to £	2·80	2·79	2·81	2·81	2·79	2·80	2·79	2·81	2·81	2·81	2·80
Montreal	$ to £	2·95	2·73	2·77	2·73	2·75	2·75	2·68	2·73	2·69	2·72	2·84
Zurich	Francs to £	12·24	12·20	12·19	12·22	12·23	12·23	12·24	12·23	12·14	12·13	12·10
Paris	Francs to £	979·74	981·48	982·76	981·64	978·10	982·74	..(²)	..(³)	13·77(⁴)	13·77(⁵)	13·74
Brussels	Francs to £	139·97	139·76	140·12	140·04	139·56	139·47	140·27	139·41	140·33	139·97	139·70
Amsterdam	Florins to £......	10·64	10·60	10·59	10·63	10·62	10·64	10·64	10·59	10·60	10·59	..(⁶)
Frankfurt	Deutschemark to £	..	..	11·70(⁷)	11·73	11·74	11·71	11·73	11·72	11·74	11·71	..(⁸)
Vienna	Schillings to £...	..	..	..	..	..	..	72·66(⁹)	72·54	72·68	72·87	72·65
Milan	Lire to £	..	..	..	..	1,751·16(¹⁰)	1,751·48	1,752·13	1,744·58	1,743·63	1,742·67	1,739·79
Stockholm	Kronor to £ ...	14·48	14·49	14·52	14·53	14·48	14·48	14·47	14·48	14·53	14·51	14·48
Oslo	Kroner to £ ...	20·00	19·99	19·99	20·01	20·01	19·99	19·99	20·01	20·02	20·03	20·01
Copenhagen	Kroner to £ ...	19·34	19·34	19·35	19·41	19·36	19·35	19·39	19·34	19·36	19·35	19·35
Lisbon	Escudos to £ ...	80·50	80·10	80·01	80·00	80·17	80·14	80·08	80·17	80·20	80·25	80·21
Australia	£A to £100	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00	125·00
New Zealand	£NZ to £100......	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38	100·38
South Africa	£SA to £100	100·00	99·88	99·88	99·88	99·88	99·88	99·88	99·88	99·88	99·88	..(¹¹)
Bombay	Pence per rupee	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00
Karachi	Pence per rupee	25·89	25·89	25·89	25·89	..(¹²)	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00	18·00

Source: Bank of England

(¹) Averages of daily mean Telegraphic Transfer rates, except for Australia, New Zealand and South Africa which are averages of daily selling Telegraphic Transfer rates.
(²) 984·88 to 10 August; 1,177·09 thereafter.
(³) 1,177·51 to 24 December; no quotation 27 December; 13·74 from 29 December (in units of 100 Francs).
(⁴) In units of 100 Francs
(⁵) On 1 January a new unit—the "new franc", equal to 100 old francs—was established.
(⁶) 10·60 to 4 March; no quotation 6 March; 10·08 from 7 March.
(⁷) From 18 May.
(⁸) 11·69 to 3 March; no quotation 4 March; 11·17 from 6 March.
(⁹) From 2 January.
(¹⁰) From 22 August.
(¹¹) 99·88 to 13 February; 199·75 thereafter. From 14 February a new unit—the Rand—was established on the basis of £SA 1 = Rand 2.
(¹²) 25·89 to 31 July; 18·00 thereafter.

XI. NATIONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

THE TABLES which follow are taken from those in *National Income and Expenditure 1962*, published by Her Majesty's Stationery Office (September 1962). Some of the figures are provisional and may have to be revised later; this applies particularly to the figures for 1961.

A general description of the statistics, together with a detailed description of the sources, methods and definitions used in making the estimates, is given in *National Income Statistics: Sources and Methods*, H.M.S.O. (1956).

In the tables in this section the analyses by industry of income, expenditure and output, follow the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*.

National income and expenditure (Table 281). The first aggregate measured in these tables is the **gross national product.** This is an estimate of the total output within the United Kingdom of goods and services (the gross domestic product) together with net income from abroad. The gross national product is not identical with the **national income.** The latter is defined as equal to the total of goods and services becoming available after deducting what is required to maintain real capital intact (the gross national product *less* capital consumption).

The upper part of the table shows the various money flows which generate the gross national product. These include expenditure by United Kingdom final buyers—that is, expenditure on goods and services other than for use in current production and re-sale—and expenditure on British exports by overseas purchasers. The sum of these two items overstates the amount of income generated in the United Kingdom by the value of imports of goods and services; this item is therefore subtracted.

Total expenditure is first measured at market prices (the prices paid by the final buyer) which include taxes on expenditure and subsidies. Deduction of taxes on expenditure and addition of subsidies results in the total gross national expenditure at factor cost, which is equal to the gross national product—the sum of the incomes of the factors of production and depreciation.

The lower part of the table shows the contribution to the gross national product of the different factors of production. The profit items in the table—professional earnings, income from farming, profits of other sole traders and partnerships, trading profits of companies, trading surpluses of public corporations and profits of other public enterprises—are shown before any deduction for depreciation and before providing for stock appreciation. (Stock appreciation is the change in value of stocks due to the change, if any, in the prices at which stocks are valued in the reckoning of profits). This element of stock appreciation is deducted in reckoning the total of the gross national product.

Personal income and expenditure (Table 282). " Persons " are here defined as including unincorporated businesses and non-profit-making bodies. Income is shown gross before providing for depreciation or stock appreciation. Employers' national insurance contributions are treated as employee income taxed at source and therefore appear under both income and expenditure. Personal saving before providing for depreciation or stock appreciation is estimated as a residual and is subject to a wide margin of error.

Corporate income appropriation account (Table 283). Trading profits earned in the United Kingdom are shown before deduction of depreciation allowances. Profits from operations outside the United Kingdom are included under other corporate income. Dividends paid by one company to another are excluded both from dividends and from non-trading income. Additions to dividend reserves represent the excess of provision for dividends out of the year's income over the dividends actually paid in the year. Additions to tax reserves represent the net excess of accruals of tax over the amount actually paid.

Revenue account of central government including National Insurance Funds (Table 284). This presentation of the government accounts differs from the Exchequer accounts in a number of important respects. It is an account for the whole of the government, including National Insurance Funds, not for the Exchequer alone. Secondly, it excludes certain receipts and expenditure which are regarded as capital items. Thirdly, it differs considerably in its treatment of the receipts and expenditure of trading services.

Combined capital account (Table 286). This table brings together the savings of the several sectors of the economy and shows the total investment at home and overseas.

Transactions with the rest of the world (Table 287). This account is a balance of payments table combining capital with current accounts. The items are related to, though not quite identical in classification with, those given in Table 1 in the half-yearly Balance of Payments White Papers. A reconciliation table is included in *National Income and Expenditure 1962.* Imports and exports include such "invisible" items as shipping services, tourism and government overseas expenditure. Current transfers include grants to colonial and other overseas governments, migrants' remittances and Defence Aid from the United States Government.

Gross fixed capital formation (Table 289). Fixed capital formation comprises expenditure on the replacement of, and additions to, the stock of fixed capital assets located in the United Kingdom, including all ships and aircraft of United Kingdom ownership.

Company profits (Table 291). The term " company profits " as used here denotes the trading profits of companies and other bodies operating in the United Kingdom, excluding the profits of companies engaged in agriculture, but including the surpluses before deduction of interest or dividends on sales of co-operative societies. Profits are reckoned after deduction of directors' fees, but before deduction of depreciation allowances, profits tax and debenture interest.

The classification of company profits by industry corresponds as far as possible with the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*, but the figures are not comparable with the statistics of manpower, or with data from the Census of Production. The reason is that the latter are based on data for separate establishments, while the profits figures are related to financial units which often cover more than one establishment.

Public corporations: Appropriation account (Table 292). The " public corporations " in this account are given below in the order of their commencing or vesting dates:—the Central Electricity Board, the British Broadcasting Corporation, the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland, the London Passenger Transport Board, the Scottish Special Housing Association, the British Overseas Airways Corporation, the National Service Hostels Corporation Ltd., the North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board, the Northern Ireland Housing Trust, the Bank of England, British South American Airways Corporation, British European Airways, New Towns Development Corporations, the National Dock Labour Board, the National Coal Board, Cable and Wireless Ltd., the Raw Cotton Commission, the British Electricity Authority and Area Electricity Boards, the National Film Finance Corporation, the National Research and Development Corporation, the Ulster Transport Authority, the Gas Council and Area Gas Boards, Festival Gardens Ltd., the Iron and Steel Holding and Realisation Agency (replacing the Iron and Steel Corporation of Great Britain), the Independent Television Authority and the Post Office.

Gross national product by industry (Table 293). This table shows the contribution of each industry to the gross national product, measured as the sum of income and depreciation arising in the industry. This is also equal to the " value added " by the industry, that is, the excess of the value of its current output over the value of goods and services purchased from outside the industry and used in production. The classification follows, as far as possible, the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*.

Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress (Table 294). This table gives a broad analysis by industry, and, for manufacturing industry, by asset, of the physical increase in stocks and work in progress. The physical increase at current prices equals the change in the book value of stocks *less* stock-application.

Output and expenditure at constant prices (Tables 295 and 296). These tables contain two virtually independent estimates of the gross domestic product of the United Kingdom at 1958 prices. The estimates in Table 295 are based on the Index of Industrial Production and other statistics relating to the volume of output; those in Table 296 have been derived by revaluing estimates of final expenditure on goods and services at average 1958 prices. With full and accurate information the two methods would in theory lead to the same result. In practice, because there are numerous imperfections and gaps in the data, the two methods must be expected to produce different results.

National income and expenditure

TABLE 281

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Expenditure generating gross national product											
Consumers' expenditure	10,179	10,741	11,348	12,081	13,003	13,736	14,479	15,232	15,949	16,639	17,336
Public authorities' current expenditure on goods and services	2,440	2,894	3,046	3,129	3,206	3,485	3,591	3,707	3,934	4,183	4,570
Gross fixed capital formation at home	1,884	2,102	2,355	2,542	2,797	3,101	3,376	3,493	3,718	4,115	4,522
Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress	575	50	125	56	300	261	223	99	169	583	276
Total domestic expenditure at market prices	15,078	15,787	16,874	17,808	19,306	20,583	21,669	22,531	23,770	25,520	26,704
Exports and income received from abroad	4,498	4,611	4,521	4,705	5,072	5,603	5,881	5,945	6,071	6,340	6,628
less Imports and income paid abroad	−4,849	−4,538	−4,455	−4,586	−5,215	−5,350	−5,604	−5,550	−5,876	−6,534	−6,589
less Taxes on expenditure	−2,271	−2,293	−2,366	−2,504	−2,652	−2,828	−2,966	−3,041	−3,198	−3,388	−3,637
Subsidies	470	420	365	424	346	365	412	399	382	500	595
Gross national product at factor cost	12,926	13,987	14,939	15,847	16,857	18,373	19,392	20,284	21,149	22,438	23,701
Factor incomes in the gross national product											
Income from employment	8,471	9,107	9,619	10,264	11,218	12,230	12,926	13,423	14,049	15,091	16,245
Income from self-employment(1)	1,461	1,514	1,564	1,606	1,690	1,740	1,800	1,809	1,916	2,044	2,120
Gross trading profits of companies(1)	2,483	2,180	2,313	2,578	2,902	2,958	3,120	3,017	3,336	3,608	3,436
Gross trading surpluses of public corporations(1)	260	277	321	354	315	345	323	340	391	540	653
Gross profits of other public enterprises(1)	117	40	63	107	111	121	126	152	163	174	90
Rent(1)	473	517	585	653	696	763	821	968	1,038	1,103	1,176
Total domestic income(1)	13,265	13,635	14,465	15,562	16.932	18,157	19,116	19,709	20,893	22,560	23,720
less Stock appreciation	−750	50	75	−75	−196	−208	−185	6	−89	−131	−164
Residual error	69	48	170	105	−53	200	222	275	73	−236	−112
Gross domestic product at factor cost	12,584	13,733	14,710	15,592	16,683	18,149	19,153	19,990	20,877	22,193	23,444
Net property income from abroad	342	254	229	255	174	224	239	294	272	245	257
Gross national product	12,926	13,987	14,939	15,847	16,857	18,373	19,392	20,284	21,149	22,438	23,701
Capital consumption	1,130	1,275	1,336	1,388	1,500	1,613	1,724	1,841	1,903	1,996	2,144
National income	11,796	12,712	13,603	14,459	15,357	16,760	17,668	18,443	19,246	20,442	21,557

(1) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Personal income and expenditure

TABLE 282

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Income before tax											
Wages	5,095	5,450	5,760	6,160	6,745	7,310	7,640	7,760	8,030	8,600	9,170
Salaries	2,580	2,780	2,925	3,130	3,440	3,780	4,090	4,330	4,640	5,060	5,540
Pay in cash and kind of H.M. Forces	303	342	349	363	356	396	392	395	389	394	387
Employers' contributions:											
National insurance and health	205	218	244	247	279	304	309	398	418	425	502
Other	288	317	341	364	398	440	495	540	572	612	646
Professional persons(¹)	228	230	229	240	260	270	287	301	334	351	368
Farmers(¹)	374	413	423	404	415	429	453	449	454	487	527
Other sole traders and partnerships(¹)	859	871	912	962	1,015	1,041	1,060	1,059	1,128	1,206	1,225
Rent, dividends and interest	1,229	1,230	1,324	1,398	1,523	1,585	1,681	1,839	1,994	2,311	2,488
National insurance benefits and other current grants from public authorities	785	911	1,002	1,021	1,115	1,192	1,252	1,483	1,635	1,653	1,801
Total personal income(¹)	11,946	12,762	13,509	14,289	15,546	16,747	17,659	18,554	19,594	21,099	22,654
Expenditure											
Consumers' expenditure	10,179	10,741	11,348	12,081	13,003	13,736	14,479	15,232	15,949	16,639	17,336
Remittances abroad (net)	2	2	—11	—10	2	18	22	2	4	4	–5
Taxes on income:											
Payments	1,150	1,160	1,118	1,222	1,311	1,435	1,584	1,677	1,750	1,980	2,206
Additions to tax reserves	40	–14	9	33	35	25	20	41	15	95	7
National insurance and health contributions	452	476	525	532	594	642	657	859	897	912	1,071
Total current expenditure	11,823	12,365	12,989	13,858	14,945	15,856	16,762	17,811	18,615	19,630	20,615
Balance: saving before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	123	397	520	431	601	891	897	743	979	1,469	2,039
Total	11,946	12,762	13,509	14,289	15,546	16,747	17,659	18,554	19,594	21,099	22,654

(¹) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Corporate income appropriation account

TABLE 283

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Income											
Gross trading profits of companies and trading surpluses of public corporations in the United Kingdom(¹)	2,743	2,457	2,634	2,932	3,217	3,303	3,443	3,357	3,727	4,148	4,089
Other corporate income:											
Income earned abroad	681	705	676	697	705	814	870	1,086	1,048	993	1,030
Non-trading income earned in the United Kingdom	340	383	418	449	486	538	575	644	652	724	781
Total	3,764	3,545	3,728	4,078	4,408	4,655	4,888	5,087	5,427	5,865	5,900
Allocation of income											
Dividends and interest:											
Payments	784	813	888	962	1,073	1,149	1,256	1,348	1,473	1,789	1,982
Additions to dividend and interest reserves	3	41	16	68	12	37	60	33	201	73	1
Taxes paid abroad and profits due abroad net of U.K. tax	309	368	350	343	408	465	510	640	655	601	613
United Kingdom taxes on income:											
Payments	750	985	968	893	972	894	972	1,010	968	705	828
Additions to tax reserves	419	–8	32	139	–2	127	4	–100	—181	282	143
Undistributed income after taxation but before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	1,499	1,346	1,474	1,673	1,945	1,983	2,086	2,156	2,311	2,415	2,333
Total	3,764	3,545	3,728	4,078	4,408	4,655	4,888	5,087	5,427	5,865	5,900

(¹) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Revenue account of central government including National Insurance Funds

TABLE **284**

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Revenue											
Gross trading income(¹)	93	15	32	74	77	85	88	111	115	128	46
Rent, dividends and interest	139	168	190	214	243	281	291	336	381	419	468
Taxes on income	1,926	2,173	2,116	2,147	2,319	2,364	2,592	2,725	2,758	2,725	3,078
Taxes on capital	194	159	165	183	184	166	176	182	212	236	259
Taxes on expenditure	1,907	1,899	1,940	2,024	2,148	2,275	2,341	2,387	2,486	2,642	2,801
National insurance and health contributions	452	476	525	532	594	642	657	859	897	912	1,071
Current grants from overseas governments	4	120	105	50	46	26	21	3	—	—	—
Total	4,715	5,010	5,073	5,224	5,611	5,839	6,166	6,603	6,849	7,062	7,723
Expenditure											
Current expenditure on goods and services	1,795	2,189	2,295	2,326	2,344	2,511	2,509	2,548	2,680	2,826	3,084
Subsidies	455	402	346	404	321	336	382	370	354	433	554
National insurance benefits	406	473	527	531	614	670	702	912	987	993	1,126
Other current grants to persons	338	391	427	436	433	446	470	486	557	563	572
Debt interest	550	609	639	637	708	725	707	782	776	867	907
Current grants to local authorities	352	389	416	441	490	544	620	658	709	777	826
Current grants paid abroad	51	62	61	65	71	68	71	74	78	91	115
Transfers to capital accounts	120	111	125	93	117	104	87	90	88	105	107
Total expenditure	4,067	4,626	4,836	4,933	5,098	5,404	5,548	5,920	6,229	6,655	7,291
Surplus before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	648	384	237	291	513	435	618	683	620	407	432
Total	4,715	5,010	5,073	5,224	5,611	5,839	6,166	6,603	6,849	7,062	7,723
Surplus on revenue account as above:	648	384	237	291	513	435	618	683	620	407	432
Adjustments for:											
Taxes accrued	—	2	−7	20	29	−3	10	4	−1	−21	12
Subsidies accrued	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	−37	−9
Adjusted surplus on revenue account	648	386	230	311	542	432	628	687	619	349	435

(¹) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current account of local authorities

TABLE **285**

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Revenue											
Gross trading income(¹)	24	25	31	33	34	36	38	41	48	46	44
Rent, dividends and interest	132	151	176	202	228	262	300	332	362	410	454
Rates	364	392	433	460	475	556	615	650	713	767	824
Current grants from the central government	352	389	416	441	490	544	620	658	709	777	826
Total	872	957	1,056	1,136	1,227	1,398	1,573	1,681	1,832	2,000	2,148
Expenditure											
Current expenditure on goods and services	645	705	751	803	862	974	1,082	1,159	1,254	1,357	1,486
Housing subsidies	15	18	19	20	25	29	30	29	28	30	32
Current grants to persons	41	47	48	54	68	76	80	85	91	97	103
Debt interest	89	104	123	142	162	189	220	243	263	292	330
Total current expenditure	790	874	941	1,019	1,117	1,268	1,412	1,516	1,636	1,776	1,951
Current surplus before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	82	83	115	117	110	130	161	165	196	224	197
Total	872	957	1,056	1,136	1,227	1,398	1,573	1,681	1,832	2,000	2,148

(¹) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Combined capital account

TABLE **286**

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Receipts											
Saving before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation:											
Persons	123	397	520	431	601	891	897	743	979	1,469	2,039
Companies	1,357	1,201	1,297	1,460	1,763	1,784	1,916	1,990	2,131	2,111	1,968
Public corporations	142	145	177	213	182	199	170	166	180	304	365
Central government:											
Adjusted surplus on revenue account	648	386	230	311	542	432	628	687	619	349	435
less Taxes on capital	−194	−159	−165	−183	−184	−166	−176	−182	−212	−236	−259
Transfers to capital accounts	120	111	125	93	117	104	87	90	88	105	107
Local authorities	82	83	115	117	110	130	161	165	196	224	197
Additions to dividend and interest reserves	3	41	16	68	12	37	60	33	201	73	1
Additions to tax reserves	459	−22	41	172	33	152	24	−59	−166	377	150
Total saving before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	2,740	2,183	2,356	2,682	3,176	3,563	3,767	3,633	4,016	4,776	5,003
less Stock appreciation	−750	50	75	−75	−196	−208	−185	6	−89	−131	−164
Capital transfers from abroad:											
Capital grants from overseas governments (net)	43	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other central government receipts	35	35	27	11	14	14	4	1	2	1	1
Residual error	69	48	170	105	−53	200	222	275	73	−236	−112
Total	2,137	2,316	2,628	2,723	2,941	3,569	3,808	3,915	4,002	4,410	4,728
Payments											
Gross fixed capital formation at home	1,884	2,102	2,355	2,542	2,797	3,101	3,376	3,493	3,718	4,115	4,522
Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress	575	50	125	56	300	261	223	99	169	583	276
Investment abroad (net)	−322	164	148	125	−156	207	209	323	115	−288	−70
Total investment	2,137	2,316	2,628	2,723	2,941	3,569	3,808	3,915	4,002	4,410	4,728

Source: Central Statistical Office

Consumers' expenditure

At current market prices

TABLE **287**

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Food	2,947	3,261	3,492	3,738	4,075	4,340	4,504	4,614	4,768	4,836	4,989
Alcoholic drink	774	779	794	793	833	866	902	908	911	949	1,051
Tobacco	800	821	837	855	880	935	981	1,031	1,061	1,140	1,217
Housing	835	879	943	995	1,058	1,111	1,199	1,362	1,460	1,526	1,609
Fuel and light	392	424	451	490	527	596	616	686	683	748	784
Durable goods	554	573	705	840	941	888	1,018	1,169	1,361	1,366	1,291
Other household goods	347	356	366	402	430	452	485	500	532	543	557
Clothing	1,116	1,097	1,115	1,205	1,297	1,377	1,439	1,450	1,505	1,632	1,687
Books, newspapers and magazines	159	166	172	178	183	207	220	243	234	251	268
Miscellaneous recreational goods	144	153	162	173	204	218	216	225	243	262	277
Chemists' goods	145	151	156	165	175	189	210	219	232	245	263
Other goods	153	152	157	163	183	188	197	205	217	233	249
Running costs of vehicles	139	159	180	198	249	278	298	355	405	466	533
Travel	388	424	438	445	464	493	523	520	536	562	595
Communication services	66	74	79	80	83	102	114	128	132	139	146
Entertainments	214	225	230	239	244	248	249	253	252	259	266
Domestic service	95	95	94	95	96	95	97	92	91	86	84
Insurance	106	113	116	122	130	146	152	161	170	181	187
Other services	683	728	760	790	837	891	944	995	1,045	1,106	1,162
Income in kind	56	68	71	69	67	64	60	56	51	47	45
less Foreign tourists' expenditure in the United Kingdom	−85	−104	−117	−123	−140	−150	−159	−164	−181	−215	−229
Consumers' expenditure in the United Kingdom	10,028	10,594	11,201	11,912	12,816	13,534	14,265	15,008	15,708	16,362	17,031
Consumers' expenditure abroad	151	147	147	169	187	202	214	224	241	277	305
Total	10,179	10,741	11,348	12,081	13,003	13,736	14,479	15,232	15,949	16,639	17,336

Revalued at 1958 prices

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Food	4,061	4,046	4,169	4,294	4,405	4,502	4,574	4,614	4,721	4,805	4,879
Alcoholic drink	843	835	848	844	879	898	911	908	962	1,018	1,080
Tobacco	898	915	929	949	973	986	1,012	1,031	1,053	1,087	1,101
Housing	1,207	1,216	1,240	1,273	1,309	1,326	1,341	1,362	1,384	1,404	1,416
Fuel and light	601	595	600	625	637	659	643	686	680	742	751
Durable goods	614	594	763	926	1,023	898	1,016	1,169	1,391	1,411	1,321
Other household goods	386	394	415	445	475	476	499	500	524	533	539
Clothing	1,171	1,153	1,182	1,267	1,358	1,412	1,450	1,450	1,512	1,616	1,644
Books, newspapers and magazines	236	227	235	244	240	248	244	243	231	243	238
Miscellaneous recreational goods	167	170	181	194	222	229	220	225	250	273	283
Chemists' goods	164	163	179	191	192	192	210	219	234	246	250
Other goods	132	126	149	170	184	182	189	205	225	241	251
Running costs of vehicles	165	171	192	212	264	288	293	355	402	459	510
Travel	541	545	544	540	540	541	542	520	526	520	521
Communication services	107	110	113	115	116	122	127	128	132	140	145
Entertainments	283	275	273	279	277	275	260	253	254	259	266
Domestic service	133	125	119	116	112	104	100	92	89	81	75
Insurance and other services	1,022	1,037	1,055	1,074	1,097	1,112	1,129	1,156	1,189	1,229	1,253
Income in kind	77	84	85	79	73	67	61	56	51	47	44
less Foreign tourists' expenditure in the United Kingdom	−115	−130	−142	−144	−157	−161	−165	−164	−179	−203	−209
Consumers' expenditure in the United Kingdom	12,693	12,651	13,129	13,693	14,219	14,356	14,656	15,008	15,631	16,151	16,358
Consumers' expenditure abroad	178	167	167	188	203	213	222	224	245	278	297
Total	12,871	12,818	13,296	13,881	14,422	14,569	14,878	15,232	15,876	16,429	16,655

Source: Central Statistical Office

Transactions with the rest of the world

TABLE **288**

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
United Kingdom debits											
Imports of goods..............................	3,424	3,048	2,927	2,989	3,386	3,324	3,535	3,356	3,611	4,098	3,998
Imports of services...........................	913	893	925	988	1,116	1,251	1,261	1,227	1,300	1,482	1,571
Property income paid abroad	316	340	377	406	460	462	462	509	524	552	583
Foreign taxes paid by U.K. residents ...	196	257	226	203	253	313	346	458	441	402	437
Imports and income paid abroad	4,849	4,538	4,455	4,586	5,215	5,350	5,604	5,550	5,876	6.534	6,589
Current transfers:											
To persons (net)..........................	8	8	−5	−4	8	25	29	10	13	14	5
To overseas governments and international organisations	45	56	55	59	65	61	64	66	69	81	105
Investment and financing:											
Net investment abroad	−322	164	148	125	−156	207	209	323	115	−288	−70
less Capital grants from overseas governments (net)	−43	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total investment and financing(¹) ...	−365	164	148	125	−156	207	209	323	115	−288	−70
Total	4,537	4,766	4,653	4,766	5,132	5,643	5,906	5,947	6,073	6,341	6,629
United Kingdom credits											
Exports and re-exports of goods.........	2,735	2,769	2,683	2,785	3,073	3,377	3,509	3,392	3,507	3,707	3,863
Exports of services...........................	909	991	1,006	1,056	1,112	1,227	1,325	1,292	1,327	1,434	1,488
Property income received from abroad	765	772	736	771	788	900	949	1,166	1,139	1,103	1,138
U.K. taxes paid by non-residents on portfolio income..........................	26	28	30	32	36	35	36	38	40	40	44
U.K. taxes paid on profits due abroad	63	51	66	61	63	64	62	57	58	56	95
Exports and income received from abroad	4,498	4,611	4,521	4,705	5,072	5,603	5,881	5,945	6,071	6,340	6,628
Current transfers from overseas governments	4	120	105	50	46	26	21	3	—	—	—
Other central government receipts ...	35	35	27	11	14	14	4	1	2	1	1
Total	4,537	4,766	4,653	4,766	5,132	5,643	5,906	5,949	6,073	6,341	6,629

(¹) Equal to the balance of payments surplus on current account as defined in the White Paper on the balance of payments.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gross fixed capital formation

TABLE 289

At current prices

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
By type of asset											
Buses and coaches	25	21	18	20	17	19	18	19	20	23	25
Other road vehicles	134	149	156	165	209	220	216	251	275	324	335
Railway rolling stock	33	27	36	47	55	65	89	85	96	92	82
Ships	59	57	91	91	84	115	151	159	175	178	142
Aircraft	7	8	10	10	19	27	46	36	25	43	34
Plant and machinery	749	790	827	920	1,039	1,138	1,266	1,320	1,377	1,490	1,710
Dwellings	376	494	630	645	619	633	617	591	658	752	820
Other new buildings and works	447	511	547	601	708	840	931	988	1,042	1,158	1,317
By industry group											
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	94	97	94	100	110	102	114	134	151	153	166
Mining and quarrying	34	46	62	79	86	91	103	105	116	95	102
Manufacturing(¹)	514	549	547	581	678	845	931	922	863	1,028	1,276
Construction(¹)	33	36	35	44	50	53	57	62	61	70	77
Gas, electricity and water	217	239	265	304	343	340	360	389	423	429	447
Transport and communication(²)	199	205	264	275	288	363	460	467	499	542	515
Distribution and other services(¹)(³)	200	217	233	280	369	379	409	464	537	601	600
New dwellings	376	494	630	645	619	633	617	591	658	752	820
Social services	93	102	105	109	119	145	173	181	191	201	239
Other public services	70	72	80	82	88	106	110	134	169	189	223
Legal fees, stamp duties, etc.	54	45	40	43	47	44	42	44	50	55	57
Total	1,884	2,102	2,355	2,542	2,797	3,101	3,376	3,493	3,718	4,115	4,522

Revalued at 1958 prices

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
By type of asset											
Buses and coaches	31	24	21	24	19	20	19	19	20	23	24
Other road vehicles	155	154	171	185	234	231	219	251	284	346	353
Railway rolling stock, ships and aircraft	163	132	174	183	190	239	304	280	295	308	249
Plant and machinery	1,021	969	980	1,088	1,172	1,210	1,301	1,320	1,371	1,468	1,630
Dwellings	456	546	711	736	666	649	623	591	670	760	804
Other new buildings and works	586	611	649	715	791	903	959	988	1,060	1,175	1,316
By industry group											
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	117	109	106	113	122	108	117	134	151	154	164
Mining and quarrying	47	58	75	96	99	99	106	105	116	95	99
Manufacturing(¹)	716	684	666	703	779	914	961	922	867	1,024	1,229
Construction(¹)	44	43	41	52	57	57	58	62	62	72	77
Gas, electricity and water	284	284	309	356	382	358	367	389	426	431	439
Transport and communication(²)	281	257	311	325	323	396	481	467	496	535	501
Distribution and other services(¹)(³)	250	248	267	324	411	401	420	464	547	614	602
Dwellings	456	546	711	736	666	649	623	591	670	760	804
Social services	123	122	125	129	135	157	179	181	194	203	238
Other public services	94	85	95	97	98	113	113	134	171	192	223
Legal fees, stamp duties, etc.	49	38	36	41	43	40	41	44	51	54	54
Total	2,461	2,474	2,742	2,972	3,115	3,292	3,466	3,493	3,751	4,134	4,430

(¹) The figures from 1956 onwards are on a business unit basis, those for earlier years on an establishment basis.

(²) Excluding road haulage and, before 1960, taxis and private-hire cars.

(³) Including road haulage and, before 1960, taxis and private-hire cars.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Company appropriation account

TABLE 290

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Income											
Gross trading profits(1) of companies operating in the United Kingdom(2)	2,483	2,180	2,313	2,578	2,902	2,958	3,120	3,017	3,336	3,608	3,436
Income earned abroad(3)	681	704	674	695	701	809	865	1,079	1,041	985	1,021
Non-trading income earned in the United Kingdom	319	357	389	415	444	495	524	594	597	663	719
Total	3,483	3,241	3,376	3,688	4,047	4,262	4,509	4,690	4,974	5,256	5,176
Allocation of income											
Dividends and interest:											
Payments:											
Debenture interest	36	41	46	50	55	61	77	79	91	93	109
Dividends on preference shares	104	102	102	104	109	110	108	108	110	115	117
Dividends on ordinary shares	443	431	474	527	579	601	635	676	781	1,005	1,090
Co-operative society dividends and interest	46	44	44	48	53	57	60	59	58	57	57
Interest on building society shares and deposits	36	41	48	54	63	84	103	112	117	130	147
Other interest paid by banks, etc.	13	36	40	31	52	79	85	92	61	104	124
Total payments of dividends and interest	678	695	754	814	911	992	1,068	1,126	1,218	1,504	1,644
Additions to dividend reserves	−3	36	12	70	17	21	50	24	195	65	−9
Profits due abroad net of United Kingdom tax	119	117	129	146	162	160	173	192	224	209	186
United Kingdom taxes on income:											
Payments on profits due abroad	63	51	66	61	63	64	62	57	58	56	95
Payments on other profits	683	931	878	795	877	800	888	937	899	638	721
Additions to reserves on profits due abroad	8	13	−4	7	−5	−7	−6	−2	32	38	−7
Additions to reserves on other profits	388	−54	23	138	13	143	21	−82	−214	243	151
Taxes paid abroad	190	251	221	197	246	305	337	448	431	392	427
Undistributed income after taxation but before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	1,357	1,201	1,297	1,460	1,763	1,784	1,916	1,990	2,131	2,111	1,968
Total	3,483	3,241	3,376	3,688	4,047	4,262	4,509	4,690	4,974	5,256	5,176

Source: Central Statistical Office

(1) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
(2) Including United Kingdom branches and subsidiaries of non-resident parent companies.
(3) After deducting depreciation allowances but before providing for stock appreciation.

Company gross trading profits(¹)

Analysis by industry

TABLE 291

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Forestry and fishing	9	5	4	4	7	6	6	5	5	5
Mining and quarrying	12	12	14	15	19	20	20	19	22	25
Manufacturing:										
Food, drink and tobacco	222	229	247	280	293	307	320	340	353	358
Chemicals and allied industries	160	128	171	218	226	243	265	249	292	285
Metal manufacture	112	93	78	103	194	199	235	217	265	291
Engineering and electrical goods	313	311	323	375	400	409	447	428	448	455
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	21	24	29	29	32	32	35	32	30	27
Vehicles	120	118	132	156	167	133	155	176	192	208
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	87	81	70	81	109	113	112	112	106	121
Textiles	256	149	187	189	162	166	157	124	166	171
Leather, leather goods and fur	13	8	11	9	10	8	7	7	11	10
Clothing and footwear	44	30	41	45	46	48	48	44	53	62
Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.	65	59	65	75	79	73	71	74	89	116
Timber, furniture, etc.	25	20	21	23	23	21	23	20	23	26
Paper, printing and publishing	151	88	105	136	148	137	134	138	151	166
Other manufacturing	52	31	37	44	47	45	50	45	52	55
Total manufacturing	1,641	1,369	1,517	1,763	1,936	1,934	2,059	2,006	2,231	2,351
Construction	53	55	70	79	86	101	98	111	117	137
Gas, electricity and water	5	7	7	8	8	9	9	10	18	18
Transport and communication	211	219	163	153	211	259	259	193	202	202
Distributive trades	467	418	421	460	519	520	532	519	573	659
Insurance, banking and finance	248	273	285	315	359	375	397	451	473	549
Other services	78	74	105	98	104	101	131	154	193	214
Adjustments	−241	−252	−273	−317	−347	−367	−391	−451	−498	−552
Total company profits	2,483	2,180	2,313	2,578	2,902	2,958	3,120	3,017	3,336	3,608

(¹) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Public corporations: appropriation account

TABLE 292

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Income											
Trading surplus before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	260	277	321	354	315	345	323	340	391	540	653
Non-trading income	21	26	29	34	42	43	51	50	55	61	62
Income earned abroad	—	1	2	2	4	5	5	7	7	8	9
Total	281	304	352	390	361	393	379	397	453	609	724
Allocation of income											
Interest:											
Payments	106	118	134	148	162	157	188	222	255	285	338
Additions to interest reserves	6	5	4	−2	−5	16	10	9	6	8	10
United Kingdom taxes on income:											
Payments	4	3	24	37	32	30	22	16	11	11	12
Additions to tax reserves	23	33	13	−6	−10	−9	−11	−16	1	1	−1
Undistributed income before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation	142	145	177	213	182	199	170	166	180	304	365
Total	281	304	352	390	361	393	379	397	453	609	724

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gross national product by industry(¹)

TABLE 293

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	726	770	786	776	800	822	863	873	880	919	966
Mining and quarrying	449	505	544	564	585	676	707	709	674	671	694
Manufacturing	4,725	4,738	5,116	5,609	6,150	6,488	6,869	6,977	7,438	8,056	8,256
Construction	699	752	830	896	979	1,103	1,130	1,183	1,258	1,385	1,514
Gas, electricity and water	274	307	335	367	401	445	473	525	571	607	664
Transport and communication	1,140	1,200	1,195	1,249	1,393	1,534	1,620	1,575	1,669	1,893	1,929
Distributive trades	1,810	1,736	1,838	2,007	2,186	2,320	2,422	2,490	2,637	2,882	3,020
Insurance, banking and finance (including real estate)	380	372	394	454	490	500	538	577	637	724	780
Other services	1,348	1,377	1,440	1,527	1,732	1,847	1,908	1,981	2,139	2,249	2,518
Total production and trade	11,551	11,757	12,478	13,449	14,716	15,735	16,530	16,890	17,903	19,386	20,341
Public administration and defence	828	919	952	987	1,016	1,123	1,165	1,226	1,269	1,332	1,417
Public health and educational services	403	444	469	505	545	602	675	719	792	879	951
Ownership of dwellings	323	354	404	453	482	520	556	681	727	759	803
Domestic services to households	95	95	94	95	96	95	97	92	91	86	82
Services to private non-profit-making bodies	65	66	68	73	77	82	93	101	111	118	126
less Stock appreciation	−750	50	75	−75	−196	−208	−185	6	−89	−131	−164
Residual error	69	48	170	105	−53	200	222	275	73	−236	−112
Gross domestic product at factor cost	12,584	13,733	14,710	15,592	16,683	18,149	19,153	19,990	20,877	22,193	23,444
Net property income from abroad	342	254	229	255	174	224	239	294	272	245	257
Gross national product	12,926	13,987	14,939	15,847	16,857	18,373	19,392	20,284	21,149	22,438	23,701

(¹) The contribution of each industry to the gross national product includes provision for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress(¹)

TABLE 294

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
At current prices											
Manufacturing	445	195	90	153	263	216	132	36	74	528	232
Materials and fuel	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	42	22	—96	15	228	56
Work in progress						105	65	25	49	132	82
Finished products						69	45	107	10	168	94
Retail trade	130	—145	35	—97	37	20	47	16	47	35	11
Wholesale trade						25	41	14	12	36	12
Other industries							3	33	36	—16	21
Total	575	50	125	56	300	261	223	99	169	583	276
Revalued at 1958 prices											
Manufacturing	465	220	100	157	279	208	146	36	73	520	222
Materials and fuel	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	40	19	—96	16	225	52
Work in progress						103	65	25	47	127	77
Finished products						65	62	107	10	168	93
Retail trade	150	—155	35	—103	34	12	45	16	48	35	5
Wholesale trade						26	42	14	15	38	15
Other industries							3	33	37	—13	21
Total	615	65	135	54	313	246	236	99	173	580	263

(¹) The figures for manufacturing and the wholesale trade from 1956 onwards are on a business unit basis; those for earlier years are on an establishment basis.

Source: Central Statistical Office and Board of Trade

Index numbers of output at constant factor cost(¹)

TABLE 295

1958=100

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	90	92	94	95	95	100	102	100	104	110	114
Mining and quarrying	104	105	105	106	105	105	104	100	97	94	93
Manufacturing	86	83	88	94	100	99	101	100	106	115	115
Construction	83	86	92	95	96	101	101	100	106	111	120
Gas, electricity and water	72	74	77	84	88	92	96	100	103	110	116
Transport and communication	93	94	96	97	99	101	101	100	104	109	112
Distributive trades	83	81	86	91	95	96	98	100	105	109	111
Insurance, banking and finance	81	81	84	89	92	92	96	100	112	118	121
Ownership of dwellings	90	91	92	93	96	97	99	100	101	103	104
Professional and scientific services	80	82	84	86	89	92	96	100	103	106	113
Miscellaneous services	90	90	91	93	96	96	98	100	105	109	112
Public administration and defence	108	111	112	110	108	106	104	100	98	96	96
Gross domestic product(¹)	87·0	86·4	89·9	93·8	97·1	98·1	99·9	100·0	104·6	109·9	112·1

(¹) This table provides a measure of changes in the volume of goods and services produced. Alternative estimates of the gross domestic product obtained from statistics of expenditure are given in Table 296.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Output and expenditure at 1958 prices

TABLE 296

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Revalued at 1958 market prices											
Consumers' expenditure	12,871	12,818	13,296	13,881	14,422	14,569	14,878	15,232	15,876	16,429	16,655
Public authorities' current expenditure on goods and services:											
Military defence	1,594	1,941	2,018	1,974	1,860	1,811	1,635	1,527	1,483	1,482	1,573
Health services	585	573	583	596	614	641	664	685	716	742	780
Education	427	438	457	478	496	537	549	575	604	623	665
Other	901	902	914	918	896	881	902	920	962	1,005	1,043
Total	3,507	3,854	3,972	3,966	3,866	3,870	3,750	3,707	3,765	3,852	4,061
Gross fixed capital formation at home	2,461	2,474	2,742	2,972	3,115	3,292	3,466	3,493	3,751	4,134	4,430
Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress	615	65	135	54	313	246	236	99	173	580	263
Exports of goods and services	3,899	3,821	3,983	4,212	4,474	4,674	4,791	4,684	4,840	5,117	5,275
Total final expenditure at market prices	23,353	23,032	24,128	25,085	26,190	26,651	27,121	27,215	28,405	30,112	30,684
less Imports of goods and services at market prices(1)	−4,989	−4,648	−4,985	−5,170	−5,615	−5,648	−5,753	−5,841	−6,244	−6,967	−7,047
Gross domestic product at market prices	18,364	18,384	19,143	19,915	20,575	21,003	21,368	21,374	22,161	23,145	23,637
Net property income from abroad	306	231	231	258	171	218	227	294	273	247	258
Gross national product at market prices	18,670	18,615	19,374	20,173	20,746	21,221	21,595	21,668	22,434	23,392	23,895
Index numbers (1958=100):											
Gross domestic product at market prices	*85·9*	*86·0*	*89·6*	*93·2*	*96·3*	*98·3*	*100·0*	*100·0*	*103·7*	*108·3*	*110·6*
Gross national product at market prices	*86·2*	*85·9*	*89·4*	*93·1*	*95·7*	*97·9*	*99·7*	*100·0*	*103·5*	*108·0*	*110·3*
Revalued at 1958 factor cost											
Total final expenditure at *market prices*	23,353	23,032	24,128	25,085	26,190	26,651	27,121	27,215	28,405	30,112	30,684
Adjustment to factor cost(2)	−2,222	−2,181	−2,272	−2,386	−2,482	−2,468	−2,524	−2,642	−2,853	−3,007	−3,089
less Imports of goods and services at factor cost	−3,877	−3,587	−3,888	−4,028	−4,436	−4,452	−4,545	−4,583	−4,922	−5,566	−5,578
Gross domestic product at factor cost(3)	17,254	17,264	17,968	18,671	19,272	19,731	20,052	19,990	20,630	21,539	22,017
Net property income from abroad	306	231	231	258	171	218	227	294	273	247	258
Gross national product at factor cost	17,560	17,495	18,199	18,929	19,443	19,949	20,279	20,284	20,903	21,786	22,275
less Capital consumption	−1,463	−1,501	−1,559	−1,627	−1,678	−1,718	−1,771	−1,841	−1,921	−2,004	−2,098
Net national product at factor cost	16,097	15,994	16,640	17,302	17,765	18,231	18,508	18,443	18,982	19,782	20,177
Index numbers (1958=100):											
Gross domestic product at factor cost(3)	*86·3*	*84·4*	*89·9*	*93·4*	*96·4*	*98·7*	*100·3*	*100·0*	*103·2*	*107·7*	*110·1*
Gross national product at factor cost	*86·6*	*86·3*	*89·7*	*93·3*	*95·9*	*98·3*	*100·0*	*100·0*	*103·1*	*107·4*	*109·8*
Net national product at factor cost	*87·3*	*86·7*	*90·2*	*93·8*	*96·3*	*98·9*	*100·4*	*100·0*	*102·9*	*107·3*	*109·4*

Source: Central Statistical Office

(1) Includes taxes on expenditure (at 1958 rates) levied on imports (or on withdrawals from bond.

(2) This represents taxes in expenditure *less* subsidies valued at 1958 rates.

(3) Alternative estimates of the gross domestic product obtained from statistics of output are given in Table 295.

XII. HOME FINANCE

National debt: Nominal amount outstanding(1)

TABLE 297

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Net total national debt	26,051·2	26,583·0	26,933·7	27,038·9	27,007·5	27,232·0	27,376·3	27,732·6	28,251·7	28,674·4
Marketable securities: Total	13,918·4	14,510·0	14,564·4	14,992·4	15,335·5	15,284·0	14,871·2	14,841·5	15,889·4	15,263·1
2½% National war bonds, 1951-53(2)	0·6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1¾% Serial funding stock, 1952-54	1,062·8	534·8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2½% National war bonds, 1952-54(2)	809·7	0·4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2¼% Exchequer stock, 1955	735·1	734·3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3% Serial funding stock, 1955	523·8	523·8	523·8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2½% National war bonds, 1954-56	426·1	823·7	823·7	823·7	—	—	—	—	—	—
2¼% Serial funding stock, 1957	—	502·9	502·9	501·9	502·9	—	—	—	—	—
2¾% Funding loan, 1952-57	100·6	100·6	100·6	100·6	100·6	—	—	—	—	—
5% Exchequer stock, 1957	—	—	—	300·0	300·0	—	—	—	—	—
3% National defence loan, 1954-58	320·8	320·8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4% Conversion stock, 1957-58	—	—	—	676·1	676·1	676·1	—	—	—	—
3% War loan, 1955-59(2)	302·5	302·5	302·5	302·5	302·5	302·5	302·5	—	—	—
2% Conversion stock, 1958-59	—	—	591·9	591·9	591·9	591·9	—	—	—	—
2% Exchequer stock, 1960	—	—	448·3	448·3	448·3	448·3	448·3	—	—	—
3% Exchequer stock, 1960	100·0	200·0	200·0	200·0	200·0	200·0	200·0	0·3	—	—
2½% Funding loan, 1956-61	805·2	804·2	796·2	796·2	796·2	796·2	796·2	796·2	796·2	—
4½% Conversion stock, 1962	—	—	—	—	658·2	758·2	758·2	758·2	758·2	0·2
5½% Treasury bonds, 1962	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	300·0	300·0
3% Exchequer stock, 1962-63	—	341·3	341·3	341·3	341·3	341·3	341·3	341·3	341·3	341·3
4¾% Conversion stock, 1963	—	—	—	—	—	—	353·3	353·3	653·3	653·3
4½% Conversion stock, 1964	—	—	—	—	—	—	250·2	504·8	504·8	504·8
2½% Exchequer stock, 1963-64	—	—	274·2	274·2	274·2	274·2	274·2	274·2	274·2	274·2
3% Savings bonds, 1955-65(2)	712·7	712·5	712·5	712·5	712·5	712·5	712·5	712·5	712·5	712·5
5½% Exchequer stock, 1966	—	—	—	—	—	500·0	500·0	500·0	500·0	983·5
2½% Savings bonds, 1964-67	752·5	752·4	752·4	752·4	752·4	752·4	752·4	752·4	752·4	752·4
3% Funding stock, 1966-68	338·3	338·3	540·3	540·3	540·3	540·3	540·3	540·3	540·3	540·3
4% Victory bonds(2)	151·0	146·9	142·6	137·9	132·2	124·4	116·5	108·7	99·1	87·1
3½% Conversion stock, 1969	—	340·6	340·6	340·6	340·6	340·6	340·6	340·6	340·6	340·6
3% Funding loan, 1959-69	319·0	312·2	305·6	297·8	289·2	280·3	271·4	262·4	252·7	242·7
3% Savings bonds, 1960-70(2)	1,024·7	1,024·5	1,024·5	1,024·5	1.024·5	1,024·5	1,024·5	1,024·5	1,024·5	1,024·5
5% Conversion stock, 1971	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	413·5	413·5	413·5
6% Conversion stock, 1972	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	300·8
5¼% Conversion stock, 1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	298·9	298·9	298·9	298·9
3% Savings bonds, 1965-75(2)	1,073·1	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0	1,073·0
3½% Treasury stock, 1977-80	158·7	206·1	241·4	259·4	262·0	262·0	262·0	262·0	262·0	262·0
3½% Treasury stock, 1979-81	—	240·1	234·8	233·0	483·0	483·0	483·0	483·0	483·0	483·0
5½% Funding stock, 1982-84(2)	—	—	—	—	—	300·0	300·0	300·0	300·0	500·2
5% Treasury stock, 1986-89	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	301·6	301·6	301·6
4% Funding loan, 1960-90(2)	270·0	262·4	254·8	245·9	236·2	225·9	215·4	204·7	193·0	180·8
3½% Funding stock, 1999-2004	—	—	143·3	143·3	443·3	443·3	443·3	443·3	443·3	443·3
5½% Treasury stock, 2008-12(2)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	500·0	500·0
2½% Treasury stock, 1986-2016(3)	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5	78·5

(1) See footnotes on page 245.

Source: H.M. Treasury

National debt: Nominal amount outstanding(1)

TABLE 297 *(continued)*

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
4% Consolidated loan, 1957 or after	390·8	389·2	386·1	384·5	382·9	381·6	380·2	378·6	377·2	375·9
3½% War loan(2)	1,910·5	1,909·9	1,909·9	1,909·8	1,909·8	1,909·8	1,909·8	1,909·4	1,909·4	1,909·4
3½% Conversion loan, 1961 or after	711·7	694·7	679·2	661·8	643·4	623·7	605·2	586·4	566·9	545·9
3% Treasury stock, 1966 or after	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2	58·2
2¾% Annuities	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4	2·4
2½% Annuities	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1	21·1
2½% Consols	275·9	275·8	275·8	275·8	275·8	275·8	275·8	275·7	275·7	275·7
2½% Treasury stock, 1975 or after	482·1	482·0	482·0	482·0	482·0	482·0	482·0	481·5	481·5	481·5
Terminable annuities:										
2½%	208·1	201·4	194·5	187·5	180·3	172·9	165·3	157·5	149·6	141·4
3%	1,044·8	1,008·8	971·7	933·6	894·2	853·7	812·0	769·0	724·6	679·0
3½%	46·6	45·5	44·4	43·2	42·1	40·9	39·6	38·3	36·9	35·5
Life annuities	11·9	11·5	11·6	10·9	10·4	9·9	9·4	9·0	8·6	8·1
Post Office annuities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	169·8
Debts to the Bank of England and Bank of Ireland	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6	13·6
National savings securities:										
National savings certificates(4)	1,748·6	1,767·6	1,813·6	1,833·3	1,907·4	1,887·3	2,017·5	2,084·1	2,140·7	2,124·6
National savings stamps and gift tokens	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24·3
2½% Defence bonds(2)	215·7	188·8	170·5	153·0	97·4	39·3	8·5	2·8	0·2	—
3% Defence bonds(2)	531·8	410·0	312·3	167·5	72·9	61·6	50·5	44·0	35·8	13·4
3½% Defence bonds	73·5	184·4	322·5	408·1	326·8	279·0	224·8	194·6	167·5	146·2
4% Defence bonds	—	—	—	48·3	93·8	84·8	70·6	63·9	56·9	48·9
4½% Defence bonds	—	—	—	—	151·0	237·1	208·0	191·7	175·5	157·5
5% Defence bonds	—	—	—	—	—	—	247·5	458·5	623·4	709·4
Premium savings bonds	—	—	—	—	65·4	145·9	216·1	253·6	310·0	352·6
Tax reserve certificates	314·0	368·8	387·5	341·8	362·8	346·0	389·6	355·2	377·4	396·9
Floating debt:										
Treasury bills:										
Market holdings(5)	2,889·8	3,174·5	3,222·5	3,190·9	2,827·3	3,062·0	2,804·5	3,267·3	2,979·4	2,758·9
Other holdings	1,516·8	1,316·9	1,708·9	1,597·1	1,368·0	1,509·2	2,093·6	1,934·8	1,668·7	2,571·7
Ways and Means advances	307·3	327·9	315·2	294·6	276·9	277·1	340·8	246·0	307·3	260·7
Other debt (payable in sterling):										
Interest-free notes	585·0	496·7	455·8	450·9	642·6	628·7	530·8	663·5	518·9	816·4
Other debt	462·8	441·9	294·3	297·5	273·9	135·9	75·8	100·7	88·1	60·2
Other debt (payable in external currencies)(6)	2,162·5	2,114·6	2,130·4	2,074·7	2,065·3	2,163·1	2,186·5	2,043·0	1,979·1	1,922·2

Source: H.M. Treasury

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(1) Debt chargeable on the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom Exchequer; debt created by the Northern Ireland Exchequer is excluded.

(2) Interest is paid gross to all non-residents under Section 195 of the Income Tax Act, 1952.

(3) Marketable stock all of which is held by the National Debt Commissioners.

(4) Principal only.

(5) Bills other than those held by the National Debt Commissioners, the Exchange Equalisation Account, other Government Departments and the Bank of England (Issue Department only until March 31, 1958).

(6) Excluding external debt arising out of the war of 1914-18.

Debt of the public sector: Nominal amount outstanding(1)

Summary of main items

TABLE 298

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Outstanding debt										
Central government:										
National debt (debt charged on consolidated fund)(2)	26,051	26,583	26,934	27,039	27,007	27,232	27,376	27,733	28,252	28,674
Accrued interest on national savings certificates	508	530	552	564	535	515	494	502	515	532
Notes and coin in circulation(3)	1,662	1,736	1,858	2,009	2,090	2,199	2,256	2,340	2,463	2,505
Northern Ireland government	28	31	34	44	49	52	54	56	91	101
Post-war credits	581	564	540	483	466	448	430	367	343	326
Local authorities:										
Gross loan debt	3,459	3,947	4,398	4,879	5,337	5,742	6,134	6,556	6,975(4)	7,585(4)
Public corporations:										
Government guaranteed marketable securities	2,714	2,738	2,918	3,292	3,295	3,294	3,292	3,290	3,286	3,282
Loans from the central government	603	688	803	928	1,349	1,830	2,376	2,980	3,415	4,779
Borrowing by the British Transport Commission from:										
Own superannuation funds(5)	84	89	90	95	100	107	114	120	127	134
Railway savings banks(5)	41	42	43	43	42	44	44	44	45	44
Borrowing on bank overdraft	149	93	180	74	55	74	88	84	95	68
Total outstanding debt	35,880	37,041	38,350	39,450	40,325	41,537	42,658	44,072	45,607	48,030
Identified holdings of public sector debt within the public sector										
Holdings by the National Debt Commissioners, the Bank of England (Issue Department only until 1958), the Exchange Equalisation account and certain government departments:										
Treasury bills	1,517	1,317	1,709	1,597	1,368	1,509	2,094(6)	1,935(6)	1,669(6)	2,572
Marketable government and government guaranteed securities	2,921	3,048	3,262	3,667	3,792	3,869	3,661(6)	4,170(6)	4,912(6)	4,392
Holdings of Northern Ireland government debt by United Kingdom Exchequer	11	13	14	19	20	20	20	20	20	22
Northern Ireland Exchequer liabilities to government funds	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	29
Holdings by public corporations other than the Bank of England(7):										
Marketable government and government guaranteed securities	111	101	155	116	104	104	107	107	114	137
Loans to public corporations from the central government	603	688	803	928	1,349	1,830	2,376	2,980	3,415	4,779
Loans to local authorities from the central government	2,252	2,537	2,873	3,179	3,237	3,274	3,241	3,205	3,167	3,137
Total identified holdings	7,415	7,704	8,816	9,506	9,870	10,606	11,499	12,417	13,329	15,068

(1) From April 1961, the Post Office is no longer treated as part of the central government, but as a public corporation. (2) Detail shown in Table 297.

(3) Excluding notes and coin held by the Bank of England. (4) Estimated.

(5) At 31 December of previous year.

(6) Including the holdings of the Bank of England, Banking Department.

(7) Estimated in part. The holdings of the Bank of England, Banking Department at 31 March 1957 were £174 million Treasury bills and £164 million marketable Government and Government guaranteed securities.

Source: H.M. Treasury, Bank of England and Central Statistical Office

Government guaranteed sterling loans and stocks(1)

Nominal net liability of the State

TABLE 299

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Public corporations:										
Total marketable stocks	2,714·1	2,738·1	2,917·5	3,292·3	3,295·2	3,294·4	3,292·1	3,289·9	3,286·0	3,282·5
South of Scotland Electricity Stock(2) 4½%, 1967/69	—	—	—	15·0	15·0	15·0	15·0	15·0	15·0	15·0
North of Scotland Electricity Stock	64·0	82·0	115·5	130·3	129·5	129·3	128·1	126·7	124·0	121·7
British Transport Stock	1,312·1	1,356·1	1,400·7	1,443·7	1,443·6	1,443·8	1,443·6	1,443·6	1,443·6	1,443·6
British Electricity Stock	741·1	866·0	965·9	1,165·9	1,165·8	1,165·8	1,165·8	1,165·8	1,165·8	1,165·8
British Gas Stock	304·1	373·4	372·7	465·5	465·2	465·2	465·2	465·2	465·2	465·2
British Overseas Airways Stock	33·2	44·6	46·7	55·9	60·1	59·3	58·4	57·6	56·4	55·2
British European Airways Stock	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0
British Iron and Steel Stock 3½% 1979/81	243·6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Borrowings on overdraft(3)	149·4	93·0	179·6	74·0	55·2	74·5	88·1	84·0	95·1	68·5
Other marketable loans and stocks:										
3% Redemption Stock 1986–96	63·2	62·4	61·7	60·8	59·8	58·7	57·7	56·7	55·6	54·2
London Electric Transport Finance Corporation Limited Debenture Stock 2½%, 1950/55	41·7	41·7	40·3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	46·1	44·8	43·7	42·5	41·3	39·9	38·9	37·6	29·5	28·5

Source: H.M. Treasury

(1) Excluding (a) stocks guaranteed for interest only (principal amounting to £53·9 million in 1962);
(b) loans and stocks not wholly expressed in sterling, of which, in 1962, outstanding loans from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development accounted for £66·8 million.

(2) Excluding a loan from the Electricity Council to the South of Scotland Electricity Board representing that part of the debt due to the Council from the Board for value taken over on its establishment. This corresponded to the amount of the capital liability on British Electricity Stock attributable to the South of Scotland district.

(3) Including borrowings in currencies other than sterling.

British government and government guaranteed marketable securities(1)

Nominal values of official and other holdings by maturity(2)

TABLE 300

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total holdings	16,630	17,248	17,481	18,284	18,630	18,578	18,163	18,134	19,175	18,546
Up to 5 years	3,658	3,541	3,494	3,946	4,577	3,773	3,200	3,028	4,840	3,799
5 to 15 years	3,145	3,598	4,205	5,472	4,737	5,498	5,794	6,046	5,806	6,158
Over 15 years (including undated)	9,827	10,109	9,782	8,866	9,316	9,307	9,169	9,060	8,529	8,589
Official holdings(3):										
Total	2,921	3,048	3,262	3,667	3,792	3,790	3,661	4,170	4,912	4,392
Up to 5 years	487	394	509	942	858	658	438	564	1,331	628
5 to 15 years	566	947	831	930	740	952	1,073	1,297	1,019	1,219
Over 15 years (including undated)	1,868	1,707	1,922	1,795	2,194	2,180	2,151	2,309	2,562	2,545
Other holdings:										
Total	13,709	14,200	14,219	14,617	14,838	14,788	14,502	13,964	14,263	14,154
Up to 5 years	3,171	3,147	2,985	3,004	3,719	3,115	2,762	2,464	3,509	3,171
5 to 15 years	2,579	2,651	3,374	4,542	3,997	4,546	4,721	4,749	4,787	4,939
Over 15 years (including undated)	7,959	8,402	7,860	7,071	7,122	7,127	7,018	6,751	5,967	6,044

Source: H.M. Treasury and Bank of England

(1) The government guaranteed securities of public corporations only. A relatively small amount of other government guaranteed securities is excluded.

(2) Securities with optional redemption dates are classified according to the final redemption date. 4% Victory Bonds are classified according to average period to maturity.

(3) Holdings of the National Debt Commissioners and the Bank of England (Issue Department only until March 31, 1958).

Exchequer capital liabilities and estimated assets[1]

TABLE 301

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total liabilities	26,117·5	26,314·7	26,887·9	27,233·8	27,320·0	27,268·7	27,473·5	27,598·6	27,936·7	28,438·5	28,674·5
National debt[2]	25,890·5	26,051·2	26,583·0	26,933·7	27,038·9	27,007·5	27,232·0	27,376·3	27,732·6	28,251·7	28,674·4
Other capital liabilities[3]	227·0	263·5	304·9	300·1	281·1	261·2	241·5	222·3	204·1	186·8	0·1
Total estimated assets[4]	4,308·0	4,651·0	4,928·6	5,659·7	6,081·7	6,111·1	6,815·3	7,308·5	7,944·1	8,547·3	9,981·7
Total below the line advances outstanding	2,402·4	2,902·2	3,260·8	3,700·8	4,125·4	4,616·4	5,143·6	5,640·5	6,240·0	6,720·0	8,135·8
Loans to nationalised industries:											
Post Office[5]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	831·1
National Coal Board	279·9	361·4	441·5	543·2	636·6	664·5	745·9	833·8	946·1	948·9	975·3
Electricity Council	—	—	—	—	—	148·0	265·1	393·2	582·8	736·2	927·4
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	—	—	—	—	—	19·9	36·6	50·9	64·4	73·6	83·5
South of Scotland Electricity Board	—	—	—	—	—	5·3	17·0	34·1	55·2	73·7	100·3
Gas Council	—	—	—	—	—	24·0	55·0	77·8	103·6	123·2	135·8
British Overseas Airways Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	9·9	41·1	65·3	71·9	92·0	103·1
British European Airways Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	7·1	16·1	21·6	32·0	43·8	65·5
British Transport Commission (capital borrowing)	—	—	—	—	—	70·0	135·2	246·7	357·2	502·1	626·7
British Transport Commission (railway deficit financing)	—	—	—	—	—	52·0	118·3	212·1	296·8	302·2	302·2
Loans to other public bodies:											
Local authorities (advances to Local Loans Fund)	1,443·1	1,837·3	2,115·7	2,443·8	2,740·8	2,807·9	2,852·4	2,800·4	2,745·8	2,689·7	2,633·0
Local Loans Fund (redemption of 3 per cent. Local Loans Stock)	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2	429·2
Northern Ireland Exchequer	3·0	11·0	13·4	14·5	19·2	20·1	20·0	19·9	19·8	19·7	21·6
New Towns—Development Corporations and Commission	24·8	48·4	77·9	107·5	138·8	169·8	197·7	224·7	247·8	269·2	294·4
Scottish Special Housing Association	29·2	38·1	47·0	52·9	58·3	63·5	68·9	74·6	78·4	81·1	83·5
Iron and steel: Richard Thomas and Baldwins Ltd.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12·1	67·3
Covent Garden Market Authority	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·9
Sugar Board	—	—	—	—	—	13·2	25·2	25·1	23·2	27·1	29·3
National Research Development Corporation	0·2	0·4	0·8	1·1	1·2	1·7	1·8	2·3	2·8	3·5	4·8
Raw Cotton Commission	114·8	92·5	50·4	25·2	10·0	8·5	9·1	8·3	8·3	8·3	8·3
National Film Finance Corporation	5·2	5·7	5·8	6·0	5·8	6·0	6·0	6·0	6·0	6·0	6·0
Loans to private industry, etc:											
Iron and steel: Colvilles Ltd.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15·0	35·0
Building societies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13·0	47·0	90·3
Loans for overseas assistance:											
Colonial governments	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8·3	30·9	49·3
Colonial Development Corporation	23·4	30·4	35·7	39·7	47·9	54·3	56·9	62·4	65·5	71·8	88·8
Export guarantees	25·9	25·0	21·6	23·0	23·4	26·4	29·9	44·0	75·7	108·0	135·1
Other advances:											
Loans for land settlement	10·2	10·0	9·9	9·7	9·6	9·4	7·5	6·7	6·1	5·7	5·1
Miscellaneous	13·5	12·8	11·9	5·0	4·6	5·7	8·7	1·4	—	—	—
Total assets from other issues	1,580·4	1,278·1	1,265·9	1,558·7	1,556·5	1,109·5	1,307·3	1,329·0	1,412·1	1,567·4	1,653·7
Civil Contingencies Fund—Capital	31·0	31·0	21·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	16·0	10·0	10·0	5·0	10·0
Exchange Equalisation Account—Capital	975·0	675·0	675·0	975·0	975·0	525·0	725·0	725·0	575·0	725·0	825·0
Subscriptions to international financial organisations	557·1	557·1	557·1	557·1	557·1	562·3	562·3	562·3	797·3	808·0	817·0
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9	92·9
International Monetary Fund	464·2	464·2	464·2	464·2	464·2	464·2	464·2	464·2	696·4	696·4	696·4
International Finance Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	5·2	5·2	5·2	5·2	5·1	5·1
European Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·8	2·8	2·8
International Development Association	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10·8	19·8
European Payments Union debts	17·2	15·0	12·8	10·6	8·4	6·2	4·0	31·7	29·8	29·4	1·7
Total liabilities of overseas governments[6]	319·8	462·8	394·6	392·1	392·6	375·1	353·0	325·8	280·4	248·2	175·9
Loans from votes	44·3	50·0	30·3	43·2	65·9	66·8	65·8	75·5	74·8	73·3	73·0
Advances to Allied Governments, war of 1939-45	275·5	261·1	213·6	201·0	188·0	175·3	162·0	130·2	115·8	95·1	91·6
Post-war liabilities of Germany and Austria	—	151·7	150 7	142·4	134·2	126·0	117·8	109·7	79·2	71·5	3·7
Amounts due under agreements, etc	. .	. .	. .	5·5	4·5	7·0	7·4	10·4	10·6	8·3	7·6
Total other assets	5·5	7·9	7·3	8·1	7·2	10·1	11·4	13·2	11·6	11·6	16·3

Source: H.M. Treasury

(1) The table refers to the Exchequer of the United Kingdom and does not include liabilities and assets of the Northern Ireland Exchequer. (2) Internal and external. Excluding bonds tendered for death duties and held by the National Debt Commissioners and external debt arising out of the war of 1914-18.

(3) Mainly under Commonwealth Telegraphs Act, 1949, and Post Office and Telegraph (Money) Acts, 1937 to 1953.

(4) In addition to those listed, the following assets not evaluated were held at 31 March 1962: British Petroleum Company Ltd.—£112½ million ordinary stock; Cable and Wireless Ltd.—30 million £1 shares; Suez Finance Company—389,109 capital shares of new French francs 100 and 106,428 5% Bonds of new French francs 285·85; Bank of England—capital stock; Iron and Steel Holding and Realisation Agency—surplus funds. (5) From April 1961 the Post Office is no longer treated as part of the central government but as a public corporation.

(6) Excluding below the line advances for overseas assistance.

Sales of financial assets by the public sector(1)

TABLE 302

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
By type of asset										
Total of identified items	706	628	364	354	578	461	476	563	711	724
Notes and coin in circulation	100	87	126	136	124	126	42	85	123	97
Deposits with the Bank of England(2)	−23	6	29	−37	−40	−38	−7	86	8	14
Treasury bills	338	304	65	191	−179	19	47	95	−42	−178
British government and government guaranteed securities	326	500	61	99	38	−31	142	−303	144	−237
Treasury deposit receipts	−119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Special deposits with the Bank of England	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	152	81
Tax reserve certificates	−64	32	103	−84	−17	5	23	−25	35	7
National savings	−99	−71	48	4	23	41	174	364	292	146
Local authority debt (excluding bank advances and loans)	39	129	163	64	370	352	330	363	344	487
Borrowing on bank advances and loans	19	−23	75	−132	76	−42	70	40	78	8
Iron and steel disposals for cash	—	12	65	57	28	47	3	2	9	87
Miscellaneous home receipts	22	—	−4	−30	21	−39	45	28	84	21
Foreign reserves	202	−231	−168	230	−39	−24	−271	136	−175	−30
Inter-government loans	—	−31	−20	−53	−51	72	−45	−118	−91	−14
Loans from certain non-territorial organisations	—	−57	−44	−2	191	−13	−26	−160	−169	373
Miscellaneous overseas receipts	−5	−14	−13	−8	30	−21	−18	27	3	−37
less Loans for house purchase	−17	−20	−34	−52	−51	−35	−28	−34	−79	−105
less Advances by the Bank of England to discount market	−1	5	−50	−9	25	23	3	−20	−5	6
less Trade and hire purchase debt at home (net)	−12	—	−38	−20	29	19	−8	−3	—	−2
Unidentified items	−155	71	69	26	−9	54	−21	−24	−3	40
Sales of financial assets (net)(3)	551	699	433	380	569	515	455	539	708	764
By sector acquiring assets										
Total acquisitions by Radcliffe banks	661	308	54	−448	−91	196	13	−321	−361	−16
Cash and balances at the Bank of England	19	−9	31	−3	5	30	−14	46	32	8
Treasury bills	512	75	−111	99	−138	217	−190	31	−253	43
British government and government guaranteed securities	220	260	109	−403	−59	−32	144	−418	−365	−162
Treasury deposit receipts	−108	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Special deposits with the Bank of England	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	152	81
Advances and loans to public sector	19	−23	75	−132	76	−42	70	40	78	8
less Advances by the Bank of England to discount market	−1	5	−50	−9	25	23	3	−20	−5	6
Total acquisitions by overseas sector (identified items)	−187	−90	−176	214	114	−111	−472	−13	−384	319
Foreign reserves	202	−231	−168	230	−39	−24	−271	136	−175	−30
Official overseas holdings of Treasury bills	−310	208	−48	−60	−34	−106	70	67	−35	153
Official overseas holdings of British government and government guaranteed securities	−74	35	117	107	17	−19	−182	35	77	−122
Inter-government loans	—	−31	−20	−53	−51	72	−45	−118	−91	−14
Loans from certain non-territorial organisations	—	−57	−44	−2	191	−13	−26	−160	−169	373
Miscellaneous overseas receipts	−5	−14	−13	−8	30	−21	−18	27	9	−41
Total acquisitions by private sector(4) and unidentified overseas holders	232	410	486	588	555	376	935	897	1,456	421
Notes and coin	72	110	128	96	75	54	51	134	101	98
Treasury bills	136	21	224	152	−7	−92	167	−3	246	−374
British government and government guaranteed securities	180	205	−165	395	80	20	180	80	432	47
Tax reserve certificates	−64	32	103	−84	−17	5	23	−25	35	7
National savings	−99	−71	48	4	23	41	174	364	292	146
Local authority debt	39	129	163	64	370	352	330	363	338	491
Iron and steel disposals	—	12	65	57	28	47	3	2	9	87
Miscellaneous home receipts	11	—	−4	−30	21	−39	45	28	84	21
Deposits with the Bank of England	−14	−8	−4	6	4	4	−2	−9	−2	5
less Loans for house purchase	−17	−20	−34	−52	−51	−35	−28	−34	−79	−105
less Trade and hire purchase debt at home (net)	−12	—	−38	−20	29	19	−8	−3	—	−2
Unidentified items	−155	71	69	26	−9	54	−21	−24	−3	40
Sales of financial assets (net)(3)	551	699	433	380	569	515	455	539	708	764

(1) As published in *National Income and Expenditure, 1962.* Sales of assets or increases in liabilities are shown positive; acquisitions of assets or reductions in liabilities negative.

(2) Excludes special deposits.

(3) Includes a small amount of net investment abroad in real fixed assets.

(4) Excluding Radcliffe banks.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Exchequer financing

Old series

Years ended 31 March

TABLE 303

£ million

	1951/2	1952/3	1953/4	1954/5	1955/6	1956/7	1957/8	1958/9	1959/60
REQUIREMENTS									
1. Budget									
(a) Ordinary revenue	4,433	4,439	4,368	4,738	4,893	5,158	5,343	5,480	5,630
(b) Ordinary expenditure (including sinking funds)	–4,053	–4,351	–4,274	–4,305	–4,496	–4,868	–4,920	–5,103	–5,244
(c) Above-the-line surplus(¹)	380	88	94	433	397	290	423	377	386
(d) Below-the-line deficit(¹)	– 529	– 524	– 391	– 501	– 538	– 621	– 635	– 559	– 700
(e) Overall deficit(¹)	– 149	– 436	– 297	– 68	– 141	– 331	– 212	– 182	– 314
2. Nationalised industries and Post Office capital requirements (*net*)	– 131	– 275	– 310	– 171	– 316	15	20	19	18
Total requirements	– 280	– 711	– 607	– 239	– 457	– 316	– 192	– 163	– 296
FINANCING									
3. Receipts from extra-budgetary funds, etc.									
(a) National Insurance Funds	125	46	48	50	48	51	14	23	– 6
(b) Iron and Steel Realisation Account	—	—	18	44	– 3	– 11	– 25	1	– 9
(c) Issue Department income	14	21	22	24	27	48	35	42	29
(d) Departmental balances	– 139	6	22	16	– 10	– 3	26	44	– 49
(e) Sinking funds	27	35	36	36	36	37	37	38	39
(f) German arms deposit	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	– 10
Total extra-budgetary funds, etc.	27	108	146	170	98	122	87	191	– 6
4. External									
(a) Exchange Equalisation Account: sterling receipts	749	– 161	– 160	15	166	62	– 184	– 102	143
(b) American aid: sterling receipts (*net*)	49	78	– 56	– 15	– 1	– 4	– 5	—	—
(c) Loans taken by U.K. Government—sterling receipts (*net*):									
(i) E.P.U. credit	325	– 13	– 8	– 79	6	– 5	1	15	—
(ii) U.S. and Canadian loans	– 49	– 33	– 44	– 36	– 36	– 38	77	– 37	– 118
(iii) I.B.R.D. and I.M.F.	—	—	– 57	– 44	– 4	195	– 14	– 98	– 99
(iv) European Monetary Fund subscription	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	– 3
(v) Other loans	– 11	2	– 16	– 16	– 11	– 9	– 14	– 28	– 4
	265	– 44	– 125	– 175	– 45	143	50	– 148	– 224
Total sterling receipts from external items	1,063	– 127	– 341	– 175	120	201	– 139	– 250	– 81
5. Increase in the fiduciary note issue	50	150	75	100	150	50	125	50	100
6. Borrowing from the public									
(a) Small savings	– 67	– 105	– 71	59	– 66	106	11	303	339
(b) Tax reserve certificates	– 19	– 54	55	19	– 46	21	– 17	44	– 34
(c) Treasury deposit receipts	– 283	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total non-marketable securities(²)	– 369	– 159	– 16	78	– 112	127	– 6	347	305
(d) Marketable stocks, etc.:									
(i) Government stocks: issues	1,003	413	440	299	549	442	892	—	353
(ii) Government stocks: redemptions (including sinking funds)	– 27	– 288	– 132	– 270	– 134	– 202	– 941	– 404	– 377
(iii) Guaranteed stocks, etc. (*net issues*)	131	275	310	171	316	– 15	– 20	– 19	– 18
	1,107	400	618	200	731	225	– 69	– 423	– 42
(iv) *less* increase in holdings of Bank of England and National Debt Commissioners (*decrease*+)	– 273	+ 33	– 159	– 182	– 499	– 45	– 41	+ 359	– 470
Net receipts from the public	834	433	459	18	232	180	– 110	– 64	– 512
(e) Increase in market Treasury bills	–1,325	306	284	48	– 31	– 364	235	– 111	490
Total borrowing from the public(²)	– 860	580	727	144	89	– 57	119	172	283
Total financing	280	711	607	239	457	316	192	163	296

(¹) Surplus+; deficit–.
(²) Includes borrowing from the Bank of England, Banking Department.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Exchequer financing(1)

New series(2)

TABLE 303 (*continued*)

£ million

	Years ended 31 March				Quarters ended			
					1961/62			
	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62	30 June	30 Sept.	31 Dec.	31 March
1. Budget overall	– 182	– 314	– 394	– 211	– 268	– 423	– 355	835
2. Net receipts from extra-budgetary funds, etc.	212	26	123	162	29	106	– 61	88
3. Net receipts from external transactions	– 250	– 81	– 289	123	52	278	– 75	– 132
4. Increase in net indebtedness to Bank of England, Banking Department	12	38	145	53	118	– 51	51	– 65
5. Increase in notes in circulation(3)	65	84	115	29	47	– 14	116	– 120
6. Borrowing from the public(4)	143	247	300	– 156	22	104	324	– 606
1. Budget								
(a) Ordinary revenue	5,480	5,630	5,934	6,645	1,317	1,317	1,313	2,698
(b) Ordinary expenditure (including sinking funds)	– 5,103	– 5,244	– 5,787	– 6,235	– 1,446	– 1,531	– 1,527	– 1,731
(c) Above-the-line (*net*)	377	386	147	410	– 129	– 214	– 214	967
(d) Below-the-line (*net*)	– 559	– 700	– 541	– 621	– 139	– 209	– 141	– 132
Budget overall	– 182	– 314	– 394	– 211	– 268	– 423	– 355	835
2. Extra-budgetary funds, etc.								
(a) National Insurance Funds	23	– 6	– 5	30	– 9	27	14	– 2
(b) Iron and Steel Realisation Account	1	– 9	—	48	44	1	5	– 2
(c) Issue Department income	49	37	47	74	15	23	9	27
(d) Departmental balances	58	– 25	49	– 28	– 36	57	– 97	48
(e) Sinking funds	38	39	40	40	7	12	8	13
(f) German arms deposit	43	– 10	– 8	—	—	—	—	—
(g) Post Office(5)	—	—	—	– 2	8	– 14	—	4
Net receipts from extra-budgetary funds, etc.	212	26	123	162	29	106	– 61	88
3. External transactions								
(a) Exchange Equalisation Account: sterling receipts	– 102	143	– 65	– 132	94	– 275	91	– 42
(b) International financial organisations	– 98	– 102	– 155	288	– 11	539	– 150	– 90
(c) U.S. and Canadian loans	– 37	– 118	– 30	– 30	– 1	—	– 29	—
(d) Other	– 13	– 4	– 39	– 3	– 30	14	13	—
Net receipts from external transactions	– 250	– 81	– 289	123	52	278	– 75	– 132
4. Increase in net indebtedness to Bank of England, Banking Department	12	38	145	53	118	– 51	51	– 65
5. Increase in notes in circulation(3)	65	84	115	29	47	– 14	116	– 120
6. Borrowing from the public								
Non-marketable debt								
(a) Small savings	303	339	275	78	36	– 2	– 11	55
(b) Tax reserve certificates	44	– 35	21	18	45	60	98	– 185
Increase in non-marketable debt held by the public(4)	347	304	296	96	81	58	87	– 130
Marketable debt								
Marketable securities:								
(i) Issues	—	353	1,070	—	—	—	—	—
(ii) Redemptions (includng sinking funds)	– 404	– 377	– 40	– 627	– 319	– 12	– 8	– 288
(iii) Decrease in holdings of Bank of England and National Debt Commissioners	333	– 495	– 738	595	40	67	125	363
(c) Increase in marketable securities held by the public	– 71	– 519	292	– 32	– 279	55	117	75
(d) Increase in market Treasury bills	– 133	462	– 288	– 220	220	– 9	120	– 551
Increase in marketable debt held by the public(4)	– 204	– 57	4	– 252	– 59	46	237	– 476
Total borrowing from the public(4)	143	247	300	– 156	22	104	324	– 606

Source: H.M. Treasury

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(1) In this table positive items represent net receipts by, and negative items represent net payments from, the Exchequer. The sum of the positive items equals the sum of the negative items.

(2) For notes on the differences between the old and new series, see the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes to the Monthly Digest of Statistics.* (3) Excludes notes held by the Bank of England, Banking Department.

(4) Excludes borrowing from the Bank of England, Banking Department.

(5) Borrowing by the Exchequer from the Postmaster General under Section 11 of the Post Office Act, 1961.

Exchequer receipts and issues(1)

Total receipts

TABLE 304

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Ordinary and self-balancing revenue	4,653·8	4,606·0	4,986·7	5,160·4	5,462·4	5,678·7	5,850·1	6,015·6	6,343·6	6,644·9
Receipts applicable to national debt interest	64·2	87·3	103·9	119·2	146·7	169·4	206·1	243·6	273·8	324·9
Repayment of loans to nationalised industries:										
Post Office	—	—	—	1·2	3·2	5·6	10·4	9·6	11·6	—
National Coal Board	4·3	4·6	8·0	8·1	332·6	506·8	491·3	445·0	559·2	574·6
Electricity Council	—	—	—	—	—	5·9	10·8	16·4	24·6	31·8
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	—	—	—	—	—	0·7	1·3	1·8	2·3	2·6
South of Scotland Electricity Board	—	—	—	—	—	0·2	0·7	1·4	2·3	3·1
Gas Council	—	—	—	—	—	1·0	2·2	3·2	4·4	5·4
British Overseas Airways Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	1·4	6·1	10·4	12·8	17·5
British European Airways Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	1·0	2·4	3·6	5·6	8·1
British Transport Commission	—	—	—	—	—	2·8	5·5	10·2	15·0	21·4
Repayment of loans to other public bodies:										
Local authorities	17·5	20·8	25·0	33·7	42·3	47·5	55·7	54·6	60·2	74·6
Northern Ireland Exchequer	—	—	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	2·1
New Towns Development Corporations and Commission	0·1	0·2	0·4	0·5	0·6	0·7	0·8	0·9	1·0	1·1
Scottish Special Housing Association	0·1	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·3	0·3	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4
Iron and steel	—	—	—	25·0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Iron and Steel Holding and Realisation Agency—surplus receipts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20·0
Sugar Board	—	—	—	—	4·4	45·0	72·2	60·9	64·0	80·9
Raw Cotton Commission	59·3	53·1	34·7	15·5	2·8	1·1	0·8	—	—	—
Potato Marketing Board	—	—	—	—	0·5	6·8	7·5	0·7	—	—
National Research Development Corporation	—	0·3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
National Film Finance Corporation	0·7	1·3	0·7	0·2	1·0	—	—	—	—	—
Independent Television Authority	—	—	—	—	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·4	—	—
Repayment of loans to private industry, etc.:										
Building societies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·1	0·3	1·6
Repayment of loans for overseas assistance:										
Colonial governments	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·1	0·4
Colonial Development Corporation	0·3	0·2	1·0	0·3	0·3	0·5	0·3	8·3	1·3	2·2
Export guarantees	2·0	3·5	1·6	1·7	2·1	3·6	7·5	6·5	5·1	5·1
Anglo-Turkish armaments credit	—	1·0	1·1	1·1	1·1	—	—	1·0	—	0·9
Other repayments:										
Post-war temporary houses	20·7	21·3	21·9	6·7	6·9	7·1	7·2	7·4	7·6	7·8
Building materials	—	—	2·3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Married quarters for Armed Forces	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·1	0·2	0·3	0·2	0·5
Town and country planning compensation	—	—	—	6·4	7·8	4·2	3·0	2·6	2·6	2·6
Tithe Redemption Annuities Account	2·2	2·3	2·3	2·2	2·3	2·4	2·3	2·3	1·8	1·5
Loans for land settlement	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·1	2·0	0·8	0·6	0·4	0·5
Total	171·7	196·4	203·5	222·5	555·3	816·3	895·7	892·3	1,056·7	1,191·6
Money raised by the creation of debt:										
For capital expenditure issues	51·0	57·0	12·7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
For other issues (net)	164·2	262·4	371·0	159·0	—	364·2	140·0	490·6	489·3	343·1
Ways and Means advances (net)	—	20·6	—	—	—	45·1	63·7	—	61·3	—
Receipts under the following Acts:										
Marine and Aviation Insurance (War Risks) Act, 1952	—	1·5	2·0	—	—	—	—	0·7	—	—
Miscellaneous Financial Provisions Acts, 1946, 1950 and 1955 and Civil Contingencies Fund Act, 1952	100·0	115·0	55·0	50·0	45·0	65·0	66·0	16·0	88·0	118·0
European Payments Union (Financial Provisions) Act, 1950	2·2	2·2	2·2	2·2	2·2	2·2	3·2	2·1	0·4	27·7
European Monetary Agreement Act, 1959	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0·7	—	—
Repayments of Suez Canal shares(2)	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3	—	—	—	—	—
Exchange Equalisation Account—Repayments	300·0	—	—	—	450·0	150·0	100·0	250·0	50·0	300·0
Total receipts	5,443·1	5,261·3	5,633·3	5,594·3	6,515·2	7,121·5	7,118·7	7,668·0	8,089·3	8,625·3

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(1) The table refers to the Exchequer of the United Kingdom and includes Northern Ireland only to the extent that services, taxes, etc., are reserved to the United Kingdom Parliament.

(2) Receipts arising from drawings of Suez Finance Company 5% Bonds from 1958/59 are included in ordinary revenue under "receipts from sundry loans" (see Table 305).

Source: H.M. Treasury

Exchequer receipts and issues(¹)

Total issues

TABLE 304 (*continued*)

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Ordinary and self-balancing expenditure	4,565·7	4,512·4	4,553·5	4,763·3	5,172·7	5,255·7	5,472·9	5,629·0	6,196·5	6,234·8
National debt interest met from receipts under various Acts	64·2	87·3	103·9	119·2	146·7	169·4	206·1	243·6	273·8	324·9
Loans to nationalised industries:										
Post Office	—	—	45·1	70·2	79·0	78·9	43·0	43·5	48·2	40·0
National Coal Board	40·6	41·0	75·3	86·1	358·4	588·2	579·1	557·2	562·0	601·0
Electricity Council	—	—	—	—	148·0	123·0	139·0	206·0	178·0	223·0
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	—	—	—	—	19·9	17·4	15·5	15·3	11·4	12·6
South of Scotland Electricity Board	—	—	—	—	5·2	12·0	17·8	22·5	20·8	29·8
Gas Council	—	—	—	—	24·0	32·0	25·0	29·0	24·0	18·0
British Overseas Airways Corporation	—	—	—	—	9·9	32·6	30·3	17·0	32·9	28·6
British European Airways Corporation	—	—	—	—	7·1	10·0	8·0	14·0	17·4	29·7
British Transport Commission (capital borrowing)	—	—	—	—	70·0	68·0	117·0	120·7	160·0	146·0
British Transport Commission (railway deficit financing)	—	—	—	—	52·0	66·3	93·8	84·6	5·4	—
Loans to other public bodies:										
Local authorities	411·6	299·3	353·1	330·7	109·4	92·0	3·7	—	4·1	17·8
Northern Ireland Exchequer	8·0	2·5	1·1	4·8	1·0	—	—	—	—	4·0
New Towns—Development Corporations and Commission	23·7	29·7	30·0	31·8	31·6	28·7	27·9	23·9	22·5	26·3
Scottish Special Housing Association	8·9	8·7	5·6	5·3	5·2	5·3	5·6	4·1	3·1	2·9
Iron and steel: Richard Thomas and Baldwin Ltd.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12·1	55·2
Covent Garden Market Authority	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4·0
Sugar Board	—	—	—	—	17·6	57·0	72·1	59·0	68·0	83·0
Raw Cotton Commission	37·0	11·0	9·5	0·6	1·3	1·7	0·1	—	—	—
Potato Marketing Board	—	—	—	0·4	2·7	11·1	1·3	0·1	—	—
National Research Development Corporation	0·2	0·6	0·3	0·1	0·5	0·1	0·5	0·5	0·7	1·3
National Film Finance Corporation	1·1	1·3	0·9	—	1·2	—	—	—	—	—
Independent Television Authority	—	—	0·1	0·5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Loans to private industry, etc.:										
Iron and steel: Colvilles Ltd.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15·0	20·0
Building societies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13·1	34·3	44·8
Loans for overseas assistance:										
Colonial governments	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8·3	22·7	18·8
Colonial Development Corporation	7·3	5·4	4·4	8·5	6·6	3·1	5·8	11·4	7·6	19·2
Export guarantees	1·1	—	3·1	2·0	5·2	7·0	21·7	38·3	37·3	32·2
Payments arising from war-time liabilities:										
Repayment of post-war credits	15·8	16·8	23·9	17·2	17·4	17·5	17·8	63·6	23·6	17·3
Post-war refunds of excess profits tax	6·3	7·3	6·3	2·9	0·7	0·7	0·4	0·7	—	0·1
War damage payments	58·3	72·3	30·2	27·1	25·1	22·0	18·0	13·1	8·5	7·5
Other advances:										
Married quarters for Armed Forces	6·2	—	1·1	1·3	5·6	2·8	2·1	0·7	2·9	3·1
Housing (temporary accommodation)	0·5	0·4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Town and Country Planning compensation	2·5	1·2	7·9	49·4	17·4	1·6	0·8	0·4	0·1	0·4
Tithe Redemption Annuities Account	2·2	2·3	2·2	2·2	2·3	2·4	2·4	1·9	1·7	1·5
International Finance Corporation	—	—	—	—	5·2	—	—	—	—	—
Total	695·5	587·1	704·0	760·3	1,176·2	1,450·8	1,454·8	1,592·5	1,598·1	1,813·0
Issues to meet capital expenditure	51·0	57·0	12·7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Issues for the redemption of debt:										
Ways and Means advances (net)	30·6	—	12·7	20·6	17·7	—	—	94·8	—	46·6
Other issues (net)	—	—	—	—	103·3	—	—	—	—	—
Issues under the following Acts:										
Miscellaneous Financial Provisions Acts, 1946, 1950 and 1955, and Civil Contingencies Fund Act, 1952	100·0	105·0	50·0	50·0	45·0	65·0	60·0	16·0	83·0	123·0
International Bank and Monetary Fund Act, 1959	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	232·1	—	—
European Payments Union (Financial Provisions) Act, 1950	—	—	—	—	—	—	31·3	—	—	—
European Monetary Agreement Act, 1959	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·5	—	—
International Development Association Act, 1960	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10·8	9·0
Suez Canal drawn shares(²)	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3	—	—	—	—	—
Issues to the Exchange Equalisation Account	—	—	300·0	—	—	350·0	100·0	100·0	200·0	400·0
Total issues	5,443·0	5,261·7	5,633·1	5,594·4	6,515·2	7,121·5	7,119·0	7,667·9	8,088·4	8,626·4
Increase in Exchequer balances	0·1	−0·4	0·2	−0·1	—	—	−0·3	0·1	0·9	−1·1

(¹) See footnotes on page 252.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Exchequer revenue and expenditure(¹)

Ordinary and self-balancing revenue

TABLE 305

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Inland Revenue:										
Income tax	1,736·2	1,731·0	1,893·0	1,942·9	2,114·2	2,208·3	2,321·8	2,242·6	2,433·1	2,726·7
Surtax	131·2	132·4	134·7	138·6	158·0	157·4	166·6	181·3	189·4	224·1
Death duties	151·8	164·5	187·9	175·7	169·0	170·6	186·9	226·5	235·6	262·2
Stamp duties	50·2	56·6	75·1	70·6	63·0	63·7	65·4	97·3	90·2	96·6
Profits tax (national defence contribution)	382·9	194·8	178·6	195·5	195·4	251·9	271·9	257·8	261·5	333·7
Excess profits tax	−6·8(²)	−6·4(²)	−5·8(²)	−3·0(²)	−0·4(²)	1·3	2·1	3·2	1·0	1·3
Other Inland Revenue duties	0·5	0·6	0·5	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·3	0·3
Special contribution	1·5	0·8	0·8	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·1	0·2	0·1	—
Excess profits levy	3·0	65·8	76·5	18·5	5·0	1·9	0·8	0·8	0·6	0·1
Customs and Excise duties:										
Total	1,763·6	1,764·4	1,871·7	2,013·1	2,100·6	2,149·8	2,191·3	2,281·9	2,389·8	2,594·7
Beer	255·9	255·3	251·0	258·5	261·0	261·1	253·3	218·9	222·2	246·8
Wines and spirits	122·5	128·0	139·3	149·6	156·0	160·0	157·2	169·8	185·1	196·9
Tobacco	616·8	627·0	649·9	668·5	701·8	712·5	737·1	789·6	826·3	870·7
Hydrocarbon oils	274·8	289·9	305·5	322·9	337·9	321·8	346·4	381·3	409·1	510·7
Protective duties	74·2	67·0	79·3	86·9	90·3	104·3	109·7	136·6	155·6	149·7
Purchase tax	314·5	299·3	341·8	418·8	457·9	494·2	498·0	502·0	510·8	521·8
Entertainments	44·2	44·2	41·3	39·5	40·7	26·5	11·9	7·4	11·6	11·7
Betting	28·6	29·4	28·9	28·2	29·1	30·4	33·7	39·5	41·2	37·7
Other	32·1	24·3	34·7	40·2	25·9	39·0	44·0	36·8	27·8	48·7
Motor vehicle duties	67·7	73·1	79·0	87·0	90·6	100·7	106·8	108·4	126·0	141·0
Post Office (net receipts)	—	—	5·1	—	4·5	7·8	0·1	8·4	—	—
Broadcast receiving licences	14·8	16·4	22·3	25·8	28·4	30·7	33·7	36·1	37·9	39·5
Surplus receipts from certain trading services(³)	—	21·1	99·4	84·4	28·5	13·3	3·0	2·0	3·0	224·7
Receipts from sundry loans	24·7	38·0	23·0	29·8	32·7	32·2	27·2	33·9	41·3	
Miscellaneous	117·4	115·0	96·2	113·4	167·7	152·4	101·6	149·7	123·9	
Ordinary revenue: Total	4,438·7	4,368·1	4,737·9	4,893·1	5,157·8	5,342·6	5,479·7	5,630·5	5,933·7	6,644·9
Post Office	209·9	232·0	243·6	264·9	304·0	335·5	370·0	384·5	409·9	—
Income tax deducted from excess profits tax post-war refunds	5·2	5·9	5·2	2·4	0·6	0·6	0·4	0·6	—	—
Self-balancing revenue: Total	215·1	237·9	248·8	267·3	304·6	336·1	370·4	385·1	409·9	—
Total ordinary and self-balancing revenue	4,653·8	4,606·0	4,986·7	5,160·4	5,462·4	5,678·7	5,850·1	6,015·6	6,343·6	6,644·9

(¹) The table refers to the Exchequer of the United Kingdom and includes Northern Ireland only to the extent that services, taxes, etc. are reserved to the United Kingdom Parliament.

(²) Repayments exceeded receipts. In the *Finance Accounts of the United Kingdom* and other publications this item is combined with Profits tax.

(³) In the *Finance Accounts of the United Kingdom* and other publications this item is included under the heading " Miscellaneous ".

Source: H.M. Treasury

Exchequer revenue and expenditure(1)

Ordinary and self-balancing expenditure

TABLE **305** *(continued)*

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Consolidated Fund services: Total	666·8	674·8	664·8	743·7	823·7	781·8	785·5	742·1	797·9	867·0
Interest on the national debt	570·9	570·4	564·5	633·9	699·0	656·9	646·4	594·3	647·6	677·3
Management and expenses of the national debt	5·5	9·4	5·2	3·9	11·6	6·1	16·3	20·4	13·2	33·5
Sinking fund	35·2	35·6	36·1	36·5	37·0	37·5	38·1	38·7	39·4	40·1
Northern Ireland—share of reserved taxes, etc.	44·7	50·1	50·2	59·2	66·4	71·6	76·5	80·2	89·0	97·4(2)
Post Office Fund—initial settlement	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7·3
Other Consolidated Fund services	10·5	9·3	8·8	10·2	9·7	9·7	8·2	8·5	8·7	11·4
Supply services: Total	3,683·8	3,599·7	3,639·9	3,752·3	4,044·4	4,137·8	4,317·0	4,501·8	4,988·7	5,367·8
Defence: Total	1,403·7	1,364·5	1,435·9	1,404·9	1,525·1	1,429·7	1,467·7	1,475·7	1,595·8	1,688·7
War Office votes	525·0	487·8	477·0	462·9	498·9	387·9	433·0	428·2	482·8	508·4
Navy votes	333·4	324·1	345·8	337·7	342·6	353·0	373·7	364·6	389·2	413·8
Air votes	421·3	416·4	463·6	431·1	471·5	474·0	465·7	485·1	532·0	547·3
Ministry of Defence	12·2	17·1	16·5	15·3	16·8	14·2	14·3	16·5	15·4	15·3
Ministry of Aviation(3)	111·8	119·1	133·0	157·9	195·3	200·6	181·0	181·3	176·4	203·9
Other civil votes: Total	2,230·6	2,190·1	2,157·7	2,285·9	2,464·1	2,649·9	2,787·3	2,958·5	3,315·1	3,598·0
Central Government and Finance	14·2	20·2	20·8	19·4	21·6	16·4	19·6	19·4	18·7	18·7
Commonwealth and Foreign	91·1	84·7	102·3	115·0	91·5	90·7	100·9	104·7	119·1	144·6
Home Department, Law and Justice	74·8	79·6	82·0	81·1	89·1	99·3	102·8	93·9	105·9	119·5
Education and Broadcasting	288·0	303·0	338·0	377·5	434·1	480·7	523·2	215·3	204·1	246·9
Housing, Local Government, Health, Labour, National Insurance and National Assistance	884·4	903·0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Health, Housing and Local Government	—	—	618·5	651·6	750·4	781·5	793·8	1,209·2	1,384·2	1,416·7
Trade, Industry and Transport	159·3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trade, Materials and Supply(3)	—	183·1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trade, Labour, Materials and Supply (3)	—	—	98·4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trade, Labour and Aviation(3)	—	—	—	78·5	71·7	73·7	74·3	74·5	88·4	110·4
Common services (Works, Stationery, etc.)	70·3	64·5	65·7	65·3	75·3	77·1	79·8	82·6	94·0	91·0
Agriculture and Food	—	389·8	293·9	327·0	310·9	343·6	295·4	321·0	336·7	415·8
Transport, Power and Industrial Research	—	65·0	119·6	138·0	156·6	197·4	222·4	228·4	330·0	376·0
Non-effective charges (Pensions)	100·3	97·2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pensions, National Insurance and National Assistance	—	—	418·5	432·5	462·9	489·5	575·1	609·5	634·0	658·4
Supply, Food and Miscellaneous services(3)	548·2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Customs and Excise	11·3	12·3	12·9	13·6	15·6	16·4	17·3	18·5	20·7	20·9
Inland Revenue	30·5	31·9	33·4	35·4	39·6	41·8	44·7	49·1	52·0	60·2
Post Office (net)	7·7	0·9	—	12·5	—	—	—	—	5·1	—
Ordinary expenditure: Total	4,350·6	4,274·5	4,304·7	4,496·0	4,868·1	4,919·6	5,102·5	5,243·9	5,786·6	6,234·8
Post Office	209·9	232·0	243·6	264·9	304·0	335·5	370·0	384·5	409·9	—
Excess profits tax, post-war refunds (part deducted for tax)	5·2	5·9	5·2	2·4	0·6	0·6	0·4	0·6	—	—
Self-balancing expenditure: Total	215·1	237·9	248·8	267·3	304·6	336·1	370·4	385·1	409·9	—
Total ordinary and self-balancing expenditure	4,565·7	4,512·4	4,553·5	4,763·3	5,172·7	5,255·7	5,472·9	5,629·0	6,196·5	6,234·8

Source: H.M. Treasury

(1) See footnote (1) on page 254.

(2) Made up of proceeds of reserved taxes in Northern Ireland *less* Imperial Contribution and *less* cost of reserved services in Northern Ireland (£90·6 million), and issues under the Social Services (Northern Ireland Agreement) Act, 1949 (£6·8 million).

(3) Ministry of Aviation expenditure is divided between Defence and the Civil items marked (3).

Income liable to income tax

TABLE 306

Years ended 5 April

£ million

	1938/39	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61(1)
Gross income(2)	4,158	13,060	13,953	14,571	15,773	17,221	18,630	19,668	20,300	21,548	22,970
Adjustments(3)	402	1,163	1,248	1,331	1,446	1,513	1,632	1,735	1,836	2,142	2,155
Gross true income	3,756	11,897	12,705	13,240	14,326	15,707	16,998	17,933	18,464	19,406	20,815
Repairs: Land and houses	128	154	163	172	180	187	196	208	217	226	240
Capital allowances	175	735	879	765	845	957	1,035	1,315	1,357	1,488	1,935
Net true income	3,454	11,008	11,663	12,303	13,301	14,563	15,767	16,410	16,890	17,692	18,640
Exemptions	112	109	143	154	177	253	214	269	287	346	352
Actual income(4)	3,341	10,899	11,520	12,149	13,124	14,310	15,553	16,141	16,603	17,346	18,288
Total net produce of income tax(5)	331	1,730	1,709	1,684	1,870	1,927	2,124	2,221	2,323	2,145	2,405
Actual income and net produce of tax classified by Schedules:											
Schedule A:											
Income from the ownership of lands, houses etc.	343	307	300	296	293	292	291	282	283	290	295
Net produce of tax	. .	104	101	94	97	92	93	99	103	95	
Schedule B:											
Profits from the occupation of lands	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net produce of tax	. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Schedule C:											
Interest from British, Dominions and Foreign Government securities	141	194	208	232	238	241	232	241	257	259	262
Net produce of tax	. .	74	93	100	101	97	93	96	101	93	
Schedule D:											
Profits from businesses, professions and certain interest	1,071	2,772	3,036	3,141	3,359	3,756	4,020	4,030	4,106	4,150	4,156
Net produce of tax	. .	910	985	955	1,038	1,058	1,111	1,107	1,136	949	
Schedule E:											
Income from offices, employments and pensions	1,757	7,625	7,975	9,480	9,234	10,021	11,010	11,588	11,957	12,647	13,575
Net produce of tax	. .	642	530	536	634	680	827	919	983	1,008	

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

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(1) Estimated.

(2) Income brought under the review of the Inland Revenue Department including certain income belonging to charities exempt from tax. In the case of individuals the incomes coming under review are generally those in excess of the effective exemption limit but they include a small number of incomes below that limit.

(3) Overcharges in original assessments, losses, expenses and certain interest payments.

(4) Statutory income of individuals with incomes above the effective exemption limit and of all companies and bodies not exempt from tax. The exemption limit for individuals was £125 for 1938/39, £135 for 1951/52 and (effectively) £155 from 1952/53 to 1954/55 and £180 for 1955/56 to 1960/61.

(5) Net produce of tax is the estimated ultimate yield from the tax assessed in the year, whether actually collected in that year or later, after allowing for all discharges, remissions and repayments. Reliefs (including personal allowances) may, in practice, be set against the most convenient source of income and it may be difficult to say to what Schedule a relief allowed by repayment against income taxed by deduction should be allocated. The divisions of the net produce between the Schedules is therefore to some extent arbitrary.

Incomes liable to surtax

TABLE 307

Years ended 5 April

		1938/39	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Estimated totals(¹):												
Number of persons (Thousands)		105	245	259	269	287	314	341	331	360	392	432
Income assessed(²) (£ million)		525	1,020	1,065	1,095	1,145	1,255	1,370	1,378	1,490	1,620	1,790
Position at 30 June 1961(³):												
Number of persons		105,309	245,207	259,882	270,454	288,521	315,309	339,486	327,158	352,067	373,799	378,669
Exceeding £	Not exceeding £											
2,000 ...	2,500 ...	28,762	74,024	79,494	82,102	89,880	98,684	106,646	74,146	75,692	76,601	68,548
2,500 ...	3,000 ...	18,157	46,724	48,715	52,153	55,780	61,395	66,325	74,892	81,766	87,223	86,859
3,000 ...	4,000 ...	20,741	51,135	54,372	55,942	58,862	63,830	69,575	77,395	86,130	92,996	97,446
4,000 ...	5,000 ...	11,194	25,933	27,573	27,503	28,731	31,354	33,647	36,892	40,460	44,305	47,303
5,000 ...	6,000 ...	6,850	14,843	16,129	15,567	16,272	17,659	19,179	20,153	21 944	23,748	25,388
6,000 ...	8,000 ...	7,508	15,079	15,327	15,766	16,506	17,849	19,176	20,415	21,673	23,107	24,949
8,000 ...	10,000 ...	3,701	7,212	7,605	7,285	7,559	8,323	9,044	9,192	9,858	10,442	11,231
10,000 ...	12,000 ...	2,095	4,032	4,009	4,004	4,025	4,512	4,859	5,097	5,215	5,537	5,902
12,000 ...	15,000 ...	2,051	3,169	3,157	3,155	3,239	3,520	3,838	3,830	3,956	4,223	4,634
15,000 ...	20,000 ...	1,538	2,182	2,184	2,239	2,285	2,578	2,775	2,724	2,880	2,935	3,303
20,000 ...	25,000 ...	814	891	940	841	872	939	1,085	1,083	1,092	1,179	1,316
25,000 ...	30,000 ...	392	414	469	399	419	449	525	505	534	551	641
30,000 ...	40,000 ...	422	385	408	343	322	394	441	422	433	489	603
40,000 ...	50,000 ...	188	166	153	166	142	183	189	157	171	180	228
50,000 ...	75,000 ...	199	137	143	134	137	132	168	163	163	183	201
75,000 ...	100,000 ...	88	49	54	49	38	37	45	44	41	34	57
100,000 ...	... ...	99	49	42	37	38	46	51	48	59	66	60
Total incomes assessed(²) (£ million)		525·5	1,024·5	1,071·1	1,101·2	1,159·2	1,271·1	1,366·4	1,369·9	1,470·3	1,567·4	1,634·7
Exceeding £	Not exceeding £											
2,000 ...	2,500 ...	64·2	165·1	177·4	183·4	200·6	220·4	238·4	170·5	174·0	175·8	158·3
2,500 ...	3,000 ...	49·6	127·9	133·0	142·3	152·1	167·5	180·9	204·5	223·3	237·9	237·3
3,000 ...	4,000 ...	71·5	176·2	186·8	192·0	202·0	218·8	238·6	265·4	295·5	319·0	334·1
4,000 ...	5,000 ...	50·0	115·9	122·7	122·2	127·6	139·3	149·5	164·0	179·8	196·7	210·0
5,000 ...	6,000 ...	37·6	81·4	88·1	84·9	88·8	96·3	104·6	109·9	119·6	129·4	138·2
6,000 ...	8,000 ...	51·6	104·3	105·3	108·2	113·1	122·5	131·4	140·0	148·4	158·1	170·8
8,000 ...	10,000 ...	33·1	64·5	67·7	64·7	67·1	74·0	80·2	81·6	87·7	92·7	99·8
10,000 ...	12,000 ...	22·9	44·3	43·7	43·5	43·8	49·1	52·9	55·5	56·8	60·2	64·2
12,000 ...	15,000 ...	27·5	42·8	42·2	42·0	43·1	46·8	51·1	50·8	52·6	56·2	61·5
15,000 ...	20,000 ...	26·7	37·7	37·5	38·1	38·9	44·1	47·4	46·3	49·1	50·1	56·2
20,000 ...	25,000 ...	18·1	20·1	20·9	18·6	19·2	20·8	24·0	23·8	24·1	26·1	29·1
25,000 ...	30,000 ...	10·9	11·5	12·8	10·8	11·4	12·2	14·2	13·7	14·5	14·9	17·3
30,000 ...	40,000 ...	14·6	13·7	14·1	11·7	11·1	13·4	15·1	14·4	14·7	16·3	20·11
40,000 ...	50,000 ...	8·3	7·5	6·8	7·4	6·3	8·1	8·5	7·0	7·5	7·9	10·0
50,000 ...	75,000 ...	11·9	8·2	8·5	8·0	8·1	8·0	9·9	9·5	9·4	10·8	11·9
75,000 ...	100,000 ...	7·7	4·3	4·5	4·2	3·2	3·3	3·8	3·7	3·4	2·9	4·8
100,000 ...	... ...	18·2	10·2	8·8	8·1	8·0	9·5	9·7	9·3	9·9	12·4	10·8

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

(¹) Assessments can be made up to six years after the end of the year of assessment and discharges can be made at any time. The figures shown here are estimates of the eventual totals.

(²) The figures given from 1956/57 are before deducting the personal allowances referred to in footnote (³) to Table 309.

(³) For years before 1956/57 the totals incorporate adjustments which have not been carried into the analyses by range of income. For years after 1954/55 the figures are incomplete because of late assessments still to be made.

Estimated classification of personal incomes before and after income tax and surtax

TABLE 308

Years ended 5 April

	1938/39				1949/50			
	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax
	Thousands	£ million			Thousands	£ million		
All incomes	9,800	2,970	306·5	2,663·5	20,050	8,300	1,101·0	7,199·0
Range of income before tax:								
£ ... £								
125 ... 149(1)	2,483·0	342	0·5	341·5	740·0	105	0·1	104·9
150 ... 199	3,100·0	532	1·7	530·3	2,875·0	505	8·3	496·7
200 ... 249	1,500·0	333	2·0	331·0	2,910·0	657	20·4	636·6
250 ... 299	750·0	204	2·9	201·1	2,920·0	803	31·9	771·1
300 ... 399	780·0	267	8·0	259·0	4,500·0	1,553	70·8	1,482·2
400 ... 499	360·0	160	9·1	150·9	2,440·0	1,084	63·9	1,020·1
500 ... 599	210·0	114	9·2	104·8	1,350·0	736	60·8	675·2
600 ... 799	220·0	151	16·7	134·3	1,050·0	718	90·3	627·7
800 ... 999	109·0	96	13·6	82·4	430·0	382	72·0	310·0
1,000 ... 1,499	130·0	157	27·0	130·0	440·0	528	128·6	399·4
1,500 ... 1,999	52·7	90	17·5	72·5	160·0	274	79·2	194·8
2,000 ... 2,999	46·2	112	24·5	87·5	122·0	292	98·8	193·2
3,000 ... 4,999	33·2	126	35·0	91·0	70·0	265	115·0	150·0
5,000 ... 9,999	18·2	123	45·2	77·8	32·0	215	120·0	95·0
10,000 ... 19,999	5·6	76	37·0	39·0	9·0	113	80·1	32·9
20,000 and over	2·1	87	56·6	30·4	2·0	70	60·8	9·2
Range of income after tax:								
£ ... £								
125 ... 149(1)	2,508·0	346	0·5	345·5	795·0	113·7	0·2	113·5
150 ... 249	4,630·0	875	4·2	870·8	6,350·0	1,315·7	41·4	1,274·3
250 ... 499	1,940·0	670	24·6	645·4	9,897·0	3,632·1	201·7	3,430·4
500 ... 749	375·0	252	26·9	225·1	2,040·0	1,362·3	163·0	1,199·3
750 ... 999	132·0	136	21·4	114·6	485·0	526·9	115·2	411·7
1,000 ... 1,999	142·2	241	46·0	194·6	393·5	761·7	233·5	528·2
2,000 ... 3,999	54·6	208	58·6	149·2	84·4	467·1	247·2	219·9
4,000 ... 5,999	11·6	93	36·4	56·1	5·1	110·6	89·4	21·2
6,000 and over	6·6	150	87·9	62·2	0·06	9·9	9·4	0·5

(1) For 1949/50 the exemption limit was £135 and the figures relate to the range £135-£149.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Estimated classification of personal incomes before and after income tax and surtax

TABLE **308** *(continued)*

Years ended 5 April

	1954/55						1959/60			
	Number of incomes	Income before tax			Tax	Income after tax	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax
		Earned	Investment	Total						
	Thousands	£ million					Thousands	£ million		
All incomes	20,300	10,380	1,030	11,410	1,295·0	10,115·0	20,383	15,268	1,748	1,3520
Range of income before tax:										
£ £										
155 ... 199(1)	1,525·0	251	19	270	1·4	268·6	375	71	—	71
200 ... 249......	1,580·0	330	25	355	7·6	347·4	990	223	2	221
250 ... 299......	1,560·0	402	26	428	13·0	415·0	1,061	292	7	285
300 ... 399......	3,280·0	1,094	53	1,147	46·0	1,101·0	2,147	749	33	716
400 ... 499......	3,320·0	1,440	49	1,489	70·0	1,419·0	2,275	1,026	53	973
500 ... 599......	2,800·0	1,486	46	1,532	76·0	1,456·0	2,508	1,378	78	1,300
600 ... 699......	2,140·0	1,343	40	1,383	75·0	1,308·0	2,404	1,558	89	1,469
700 ... 799......	1,470·0	1,063	33	1,096	72·0	1,024·0	2,135	1,597	99	1,498
800 ... 999......	1,330·0	1,112	58	1,170	107·0	1,063·0	3,049	2,712	196	2,516
1,000 ... 1,499......	745·0	755	128	883	147·0	736·0	2,430	2,851	312	2,539
1,500 ... 1,999......	235·0	309	93	402	97·0	305·0	482	822	144	678
2,000 ... 2,999......	161·0	288	100	388	118·0	270·0	289	692	162	530
3,000 ... 4,999......	98·0	248	122	370	152·0	218·0	156	587	190	397
5,000 ... 9,999......	43·5	167	122	289	157·0	132·0	65	430	195	235
10,000 ... 19,999......	10·3	68	68	136	95·0	41·0	14	181	111	70
20,000 and over	2·2	24	48	72	61·0	11·0	3	99	77	22
Range of income after tax:										
£ £										
155 ... 249(2)	3,320·0	..	..	680·0	11·1	668·9	1,449	315	3	312
250 ... 499......	8,730·0	..	..	3,430·0	165·0	3,265·0	6,239	2,482	131	2,351
500 ... 749......	5,730·0	..	..	3,690·0	221·0	3,469·0	6,241	4,137	267	3,870
750 ... 999......	1,650·0	..	..	1,540·0	158·0	1,382·0	3,966	3,687	283	3,404
1,000 ... 1,999......	731·0	..	..	1,250·0	292·0	958·0	2,190	3,185	457	2,728
2,000 ... 3,999......	131·7	..	..	669·0	330·0	339·0	267	1,061	360	701
4,000 ... 5,999......	7·1	..	..	132·5	101·0	31·5	28	301	170	131
6,000 and over	0·2	..	..	18·5	16·9	1·6	3	100	77	23

(1) For 1959/60 the effective exemption limit was £180 and the figures relate to the range £180—£199.

(2) Figures for 1959/60 relate to the range £180—£249.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Income tax and surtax: Rates and allowances

TABLE 309

	1938/39	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62	1962/63
Standard rate of income tax	5s. 6d.	9s. 0d.	9s. 0d.	8s. 6d.	8s. 6d.	8s. 6d.	8s. 6d.	7s. 9d.	7s. 9d.	7s. 9d.	7s. 9d.
Allowances and reliefs											
Exemption limit (effective)	£125	(£155)	(£155)	(£180)	(£180)	(£180)	(£180)	(£180)	(£180)	(£180)	(£180)
Small income relief(1): Fraction	—	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9
Income limit	—	£250	£250	£300	£300	£300	£300	£300	£300	£300	£400
Age exemption(1):											
Income limit: single	—	—	—	—	—	£250	£275	£275	£275	£275	£300
married	—	—	—	—	—	£400	£440	£440	£440	£440	£480
Earned income allowance:											
First band: Rate	1/5	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9
Maximum allowance	£300	£450	£450	£450	£450	£890	£890	£890	£890	£890	£890
Second band: Rate	—	—	—	—	—	1/9	1/9	1/9	1/9	1/9	1/9
Maximum allowance	—	—	—	—	—	£660	£660	£660	£660	£660	£660
Age allowance(1): Fraction	1/5	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9
Income limit	£500	£600	£600	£600	£600	£700	£800	£800	£800	£800	£800
Single allowance	£100	£120	£120	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140
Additional personal allowance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	£40	£40	£ 40
Married allowance	£180	£210	£210	£240	£240	£240	£240	£240	£240	£240	£240
Wife's earned income allowance:											
Rate	4/5	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9
Maximum allowance	£45	£120	£120	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140	£140
Child allowance	£60	£85	£85	£100	£100	£100(2)	£100(2)	£100(2)	£100(2)	£100(2)	£100(2)
Housekeeper allowance	£50	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£75	£75	£75
Dependent relative allowance	£25	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£75	£75	£75
Reduced rates											
First band: Rate	1s. 8d.	2s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	2s. 3d.	2s. 3d.	2s. 3d.	2s. 3d.	1s. 9d.	1s. 9d.	1s. 9d.	1s. 9d.
charged on the first	£135	£100	£100	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60
Second band: Rate	—	5s. 0d.	5s. 0d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 3d.	4s. 3d.	4s. 3d.	4s. 3d.
charged on the next	—	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150
Third band: Rate	—	7s. 0d.	7s. 0d.	6s. 9d.	6s. 9d.	6s. 9d.	6s. 9d.	6s. 3d.	6s. 3d.	6s. 3d.	6s. 3d.
charged on the next	—	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150	£150
Rates of surtax(3)	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
Slice of chargeable income:											
Exceeding £ … Not exceeding £											
2,000 … 2,500	1 3	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	
2,500 … 3,000	1 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	
3,000 … 4,000	2 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	3 6	
4,000 … 5,000	3 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	4 6	
5,000 … 6,000	4 3	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	5 6	
6,000 … 8,000	5 0	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6	
8,000 … 10,000	6 3	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	
10,000 … 12,000	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	
12,000 … 15,000	7 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	
15,000 … 20,000	8 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	
20,000 … 30,000	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	
30,000	9 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	
	Percentages										
Allowances for capital expenditure											
Initial allowances:											
Industrial buildings	—	10	—	10(4)	10	10	15	5	5	5	5
Machinery and plant	—	20	—	20(4)	20	20	30	10	10	10	10
New mining works	—	40	40	40	40	40	40	20	20	20	20
Investment allowances on *new* assets:											
Industrial buildings and agricultural buildings and works	—	—	10	10(4)	—	—	—	10	10	10	10
Machinery and plant(5), mining works	—	—	20	20(4)	—	—	—	20	20	20	20

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

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(1) There are also marginal reliefs where the total income slightly exceeds the limit for full relief.

(2) Increased to £125 for children aged over 11 and to £150 for children aged over 16.

(3) Chargeable, in addition to income tax, where an individual's total income exceeds £2,000. As from 1956/57, personal allowances in excess of the single allowance (£140) are allowable as a deduction from total income in computing the income chargeable to surtax. As from 1961/62, earned income relief (as for income tax) and a special earnings allowance (not exceeding £2,000) are allowable against earned income only.

(4) Investment allowances were in force to 17th February 1956 and initial allowances after that date.

(5) Except ordinary motor cars.

Estates on which estate duty was paid
Number and capital value(¹)
Great Britain

TABLE 310

Years ended 31 March

		1938/39	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Number of estates		152,714	76,890	69,299	71,510	77,200	58,435	59,619	60,619	66,278	72,248	75,919
Net value: Exceeding £	Not exceeding £											
2,000	3,000	37,623(²)	42,021	36,617	37,777	20,782(³)	..	..	..	..	..	..
3,000	5,000					20,538	21,675	22,784	23,919	25,594	27,740	29,189
5,000	10,000	8,504	17,310	16,691	17,219	17,989	18,883	19,136	19,157	21,246	22,688	23,566
10,000	15,000	3,313	6,587	6,075	6,237	6,412	6,394	6,303	6,536	7,271	7,654	7,969
15,000	20,000	1,722	3,273	3,001	3,194	3,492	3,576	3,566	3,400	3,879	4,306	4,330
20,000	25,000	1,031	1,993	1,784	1,878	1,942	2,030	2,071	2,008	2,192	2,543	2,656
25,000	50,000	2,031	3,603	3,428	3,409	3,914	3,747	3,810	3,708	3,913	4,598	5,189
50,000	100,000	943	1,415	1,129	1,209	1,449	1,489	1,359	1,313	1,525	1,893	2,078
100,000	500,000	463	644	544	549	654	614	559	554	627	789	897
500,000	1,000,000	30	34	21	25	18	16	23	21	21	26	36
1,000,000	......	4	10	9	13	10	11	8	3	10	11	9
Capital value of estates (£ million)		553·6	840·9	747·7	751·2	849·5	758·1	768·2	780·1	881·2	979·3	1,036·0
Exceeding £	Not exceeding £											
2,000	3,000	92·0(²)	135·9	127·6	124·4	56·0(³)	..	..	..	..	..	..
3,000	5,000					81·0	82·7	89·0	92·6	104·8	108·2	114·9
5,000	10,000	63·4	130·5	117·9	116·0	126·7	126·7	134·0	137·3	159·1	163·6	168·3
10,000	15,000	42·0	85·3	74·8	74·2	78·1	75·8	77·1	79·9	92·9	93·4	99·1
15,000	20,000	31·3	59·8	51·8	53·0	59·4	55·8	58·9	58·4	66·6	71·3	74·3
20,000	25,000	22·9	45·9	42·4	43·7	45·4	44·8	47·0	46·9	52·9	58·8	60·2
25,000	50,000	72·5	127·8	122·7	117·9	142·4	127·2	133·1	131·8	147·2	165·4	179·7
50,000	100,000	65·9	99·3	81·7	83·3	101·8	96·1	99·5	94·0	109·9	130·4	141·9
100,000	500,000	89·0	116·1	101·6	100·3	121·2	112·4	99·2	99·6	114·0	140·6	157·9
500,000	1,000,000	19·9	21·1	12·4	16·8	15·5	13·4	12·1	14·1	17·1	17·1	22·5
1,000,000	......	10·8	19·4	14·8	21·7	22·0	23·3	18·8	25·4	16·7	30·3	17·1

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

(¹) Estates or portions of estates.

(²) Including estates from £1000 to £2000. There were in addition 97,050 estates not exceeding £1000 in value, worth £43·9 million.

(³) The exemption limit was raised by the Finance Act, 1954, from £2,000 to £3,000 for deaths occurring after 29 July 1954 but the figure shown for 1954/55 includes all estates falling between the two exemption limits without distinguishing those which were liable from those which were not liable to duty in the year.

Estates on which estate duty was paid
Analysis by type of property liable to estate duty
Great Britain

TABLE 311

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1938/39	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61
Government and municipal securities:											
British government securities	85	156	133	143	163	136	130	118	122	128	119
British municipal securities	14	7	7	7	7	6	6	6	6	7	7
Dominion and foreign government and municipal securities	26	12	11	11	10	8	8	7	8	7	7
Stocks and shares of companies:											
British companies unquoted	177	50	55	48	50	42	42	46	49	51	53
British companies quoted		184	150	150	186	179	175	174	194	257	282
Overseas companies	13	21	16	13	17	17	19	19	23	20	19
Cash at house and in bank	57	112	102	113	128	114	118	117	134	137	139
Shares and deposits in building societies, mortgages, bonds, bills etc.	55	65	63	67	79	71	83	88	104	110	124
Trade assets	14	26	29	25	21	17	19	19	24	21	21
Policies of insurance	25	24	25	20	22	19	19	21	25	22	26
Household goods, china etc.	8	21	19	18	17	15	15	16	18	18	19
Land	17	24	24	22	24	21	18	23	26	29	28
House property and business premises	82	141	119	126	133	117	124	133	155	181	197
Other property	21	36	36	29	25	24	25	26	31	31	35
Total gross capital value	596	879	789	793	883	786	799	813	919	1,019	1,074
Deductions for debts etc.	42	38	42	42	34	27	31	32	38	40	38
Total net capital value	554	841	748	751	849	758	768	780	881	979	1,036

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

(¹) For changes in exemption limits see footnotes (²) and (³) to Table 310.

Rateable values(1)

England and Wales

TABLE 312

	Number of properties (Thousands)				Value of assessments (£ million)			
	April 1958	April 1959	April 1960	April 1961	April 1958	April 1959	April 1960	April 1961
Total—all classes	15,575·0	15,847·9	16,107·7	16,385·0	610·2	687·6	702·4	719·8
Domestic:								
Total	13,408·3	13,601·7	13,786·3	13,983·9	320·9	327·4	333·9	340·9
Houses and flats with rateable values:								
Not over £30	10,107·5	10,222·3	10,325·5	10,436·9	179·1	182·5	185·8	189·2
Over £30 but not over £40	1,474·7	1,524·4	1,574·5	1,627·8	52·0	53·7	55·4	57·3
Over £40	1,463·0	1,489·3	1,519·5	1,552·1	84·1	85·3	86·8	88·4
All agricultural dwelling-houses	363·2	365·6	366·8	367·1	5·8	5·9	5·9	6·0
Commercial:								
Total	1,655·3	1,724·7	1,793·7	1,868·8	142·5	146·8	152·9	158·1
Shops and cafes	673·0	674·4	674·1	673·8	72·9	74·5	75·7	77·3
Offices	142·2	144·7	146·5	148·9	32·1	33·9	36·4	38·3
Other	840·1	905·6	973·1	1,046·1	37·6	38·5	40·8	42·5
On-licensed premises:								
Total	67·9	67·4	66·9	66·4	10·9	11·0	11·2	11·3
Entertainment and recreational:								
Total	64·9	65·3	65·5	65·5	10·7	10·5	10·4	10·4
Cinemas	3·9	3·8	3·6	3·4	2·7	2·5	2·3	2·2
Theatres and music-halls	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·4	0·4	0·4
Other	60·6	61·1	61·6	61·8	7·6	7·6	7·7	7·8
Public utility:								
Total	18·8	21·9	21·2	21·3	16·0	40·8	40·0	40·6
Educational and cultural:								
Total	28·4	28·9	28·9	29·2	24·0	26·2	27·6	29·2
Miscellaneous:								
Total	215·0	219·6	226·8	231·6	43·6	45·2	46·0	46·7
Industrial:								
Total	115·1	117·0	117·1	117·0	40·1	77·2	78·0	80·3
Factories and workshops	111·1	113·5	114·1	114·3	37·3	72·0	73·1	75·6
Mines	4·0	3·4	3·0	2·7	2·8	5·2	4·8	4·7
Freight—transport:								
Total	1·3	1·4	1·4	1·4	1·6	2·5	2·4	2·4

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(1) From 1 April, 1957, the rateable values of commercial and certain other premises were reduced under the Rating and Valuation Act, 1957. From 1 April, 1959, rateable values derived by a statutory formula were assigned to electricity properties; industrial and freight transport properties were partially re-rated from the same date under the Local Government Act, 1958.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Income(1) and expenditure of local authorities: Summary

TABLE 313

Years ended 31 March(2)

£ million

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
United Kingdom:										
Total income	1,440·8	1,631·7	1,826·5	1,980·3	2,057·7	2,198·6	2,416·2	2,538·6	2,666·5	2,906·6
Total expenditure: Out of loans for capital works	424·8	496·5	581·5	635·7	616·1	630·5	646 0	619·9	599·9	661·3
Other	1,014·5	1,131·2	1,219·1	1,296·8	1,410·8	1,534·8	1,728·8	1,875·1	1,991·8	2,138·9
England and Wales:										
Total income	1,261·3	1,421·8	1,579·1	1,709·2	1,784·8	1,901·3	2,097·4	2,205·1	2,311·0	2,530·9
Total expenditure: Out of loans for capital works	368·8	426·5	497·8	543·6	525·7	541·1	555·0	528·6	511·9	571·5
Other	887·4	987·7	1,062·3	1,127·5	1,225·3	1,330·8	1,497·1	1,630·2	1,731·3	1,865·7
Scotland:										
Total income	152·2	177·9	210·2	225·1	226·6	247·1	261·8	270·1	293·2	304·4
Total expenditure: Out of loans for capital works	47·4	58·3	69·2	74·2	73·2	72·3	70·7	71·3	71·3	72·2
Other	108·4	122·8	133·5	142·0	156·5	170·8	195·0	202·3	213·1	221·2
Northern Ireland:										
Total income	27·3	32·0	37·2	46·0	46·3	50·2	57·0	63·4	62·3	71·3
Total expenditure: Out of loans for capital works	8·6	11·7	14·5	17·9	17·2	17·2	20·3	20·0	16·7	17·6
Other	18·7	20·7	23·3	27·3	29·0	33·2	36·8	42·6	47·4	52·0

(1) Including Government grants.
(2) Years ended 15 May for Scotland.

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Scottish Development Department and Ministry of Health and Local Government, Northern Ireland

Income of local authorities: Classified according to source

England and Wales

TABLE 314

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total income	1,261,289	1,421,844	1,579,099	1,709,197	1,784,825	1,901,333	2,097,445	2,205,071	2,310,956	2,530,878
Capital receipts: Total	362,067	419,410	502,144	532,990	528,127	548,965	541,646	519,578	522,482	581,837
Loans	340,366	397,942	473,916	494,762	491,434	511,934	500,964	470,738	463,650	513,495
Government grants	8,821	8,685	10,444	19,407	13,311	7,985	9,842	11,927	16,122	17,443
Repayment of advances for small dwellings acquisition	3,709	4,930	6,115	8,102	11,777	14,433	16,944	21,169	24,728	33,729
Sales and other sources	9,171	7,853	11,669	10,719	11,605	14,613	13,896	15,744	17,982	17,170
Other income: Total	899,222	1,002,434	1,076,955	1,176,207	1,256,698	1,352,368	1,555,799	1,685,493	1,788,474	1,949,041
Rates	291,654	318,087	335,869	376,741	392,921	402,644	494,553	530,243	553,879	}649,902
Payments in lieu of rates(1)	13,221	13,770	15,025	15,724	17,581	18,418	18,972	21,822	25,463	
Government grants	304,561	349,914	384,782	414,164	452,866	500,431	568,038	615,923	658,804	705,590
Repayments on account of private improvement executed by local authorities	3,543	3,979	4,342	4,525	4,807	5,785	6,274	6,288	6,724	7,244
Housing:										
Rents, etc.(2)(3)	58,187	67,669	77,906	91,857	105,267	125,584	148,138	165,163	182,916	200,849
Allotments and small holdings:										
Rents, etc.(3)	1,554	1,608	1,648	1,715	1,815	1,864	1,932	2,018	2,046	2,156
Trading services(3):										
Water supply	34,522	35,971	38,049	40,466	42,559	45,115	50,840	53,390	55,266	58,746
Passenger transport	49,906	55,375	59,677	61,801	62,942	66,235	70,678	73,447	75,670	76,516
Cemeteries	2,467	2,395	2,568	2,541	2,771	2,944	2,981	3,336	3,515	3,584
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	25,978	29,762	29,157	32,903	33,436	37,049	38,089	40,329	41,079	43,979
Other trading services (including corporation estates, ferries, markets and civic restaurants)	18,144	18,878	19,529	19,598	21,046	22,707	23,655	25,322	26,957	28,874
Miscellaneous income (including certain tolls, fees, rents and interest)	95,485	105,026	108,403	114,172	118,687	123,592	131,649	148,212	156,155	171,601

(1) British Transport Commission and Central Electricity Authority, until 1958/59.
(2) Including interest on advances for small dwellings acquisition.
(3) Gross income other than rates and grants.

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government

Income of local authorities from Government grants: Classified according to services(¹)

England and Wales

Years ended 31 March

TABLE 315

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	313,382	358,599	395,226	433,571	466,177	508,416	577,880	627,850	674,926	723,033
Allocated to specific services:										
Education	152,204	179,630	197,396	207,370	236,494	264,872	310,241	342,090	369,830	56,361
Individual health(²)	16,588	17,697	19,759	19,726	20,693	22,570	24,839	26,583	28,396	195
Public health	2,211	2,284	3,147	3,458	3,391	1,205	1,155	1,267	1,544	1,772
National assistance	503	503	421	471	488	556	617	777	747	580
Child welfare and child life protection	5,648	6,472	7,120	7,497	7,762	7,976	8,524	9,041	9,380	1,110
Housing(³)	24,969	26,817	31,710	37,167	43,191	54,388	56,139	58,212	60,640	63,622
Allotments and small holdings	757	754	760	765	777	773	765	779	804	895
Land drainage and river conservancy	1,669	1,534	3,190	17,856	5,717	4,017	2,984	2,997	3,460	4,017
Highways and bridges	14,701	17,274	18,915	19,969	22,911	25,432	28,929	32,649	36,584	40,480
Fire service	3,479	3,807	4,098	4,372	4,557	4,842	5,245	5,733	6,067	105
Police	25,669	28,738	31,424	32,473	33,932	37,295	43,180	44,827	48,487	50,356
Registration of electors	670	701	704	721	773	857	804	841	880	19
Civil defence	1,278	2,065	2,545	2,822	2,888	2,893	3,293	3,439	3,701	3,927
Emergency services other than civil defence(³)	9,048	8,115	7,554	6,985	6,245	7,152	7,949	9,057	8,741	7,326
Other services(³)	4,764	6,272	6,295	8,706	8,732					
Not allocated to specific services:										
Grants—Local Government Acts(⁴)	46,885	53,864	58,159	61,220	65,686	71,721	81,328	87,687	93,814	491,059
Local taxation licence duties	1,314	1,279	1,284	1,287	1,254	1,204	1,248	1,244	1,238	1,209
Tithe Act, 1936	720	708	695	681	666	653	640	627	613	—
Special aid (⁵)	305	85	50	25	20	10	—	—	—	—

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government

(¹) Including grants for capital works.

(²) Local Authority Health services, for example, care of mothers and young children, health visiting, ambulances, etc.

(³) From 1955/56 income in respect of requisitioned houses is included under "Housing", and income in respect of other emergency services is included under "Other services".

(⁴) General grant was introduced from 1 April 1959 in place of certain specific grants under the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1958 and at the same time rate-defınciency grant replaced Exchequer equalisition grants.

(⁵) Assistance to local authorities whose rate income was heavily reduced by war conditions.

Expenditure of local authorities other than out of loans for capital works

England and Wales

TABLE 316

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	887,361	987,679	1,062,263	1,127,517	1,225,337	1,330,779	1,497,088	1,630,152	1,731,287	1,865,718
Education:										
Elementary										
Higher	268,707	318,174	345,392	364,475	409,060	451,253	527,075	587,039	633,900	696,799
Public libraries and museums	8,827	10,042	10,698	11,230	12,096	13,213	15,055	16,476	17,696	19,584
Individual health(1)	35,986	38,455	42,904	43,016	45,137	49,120	54,070	57,843	61,659	68,084
Public health:										
Sewerage and sewage disposal	18,011	19,206	20,848	22,169	23,739	25,813	29,829	33,404	36,710	39,975
House and trade refuse	21,683	24,336	26,189	26,903	27,987	30,844	33,603	35.302	36,855	38,100
Baths, washhouses and open bathing places	5,611	5,984	6,253	6,579	6,696	7,375	8,315	8,831	9,080	9,431
Parks, pleasure grounds and open spaces	14,606	15,846	16,898	17,578	18,530	20,359	22.296	24.146	26,258	27,135
Other items	9,578	10,488	10,997	11,269	11,526	12,688	14,260	15,439	16,602	17,703
National assistance—accommodation and welfare	14,911	17,369	19,436	21,325	22,895	25,026	28,013	30,457	33,092	35,555
Child welfare and child life protection	12,513	14,307	16,031	16,619	17,032	17,609	18,548	19,909	20,780	21,714
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition) (2)	91,193	104,173	122,229	143,359	163,700	197,972	221,858	244 850	262,748	279,147
Allotments and small holdings	2,782	2,916	3,037	3,021	3,206	3,257	3,401	3,606	3,663	3,854
Land drainage, river conservancy, etc. and coast protection	5,753	6,690	7,789	13,870	9,554	9,307	9,581	10.492	11,399	12,160
Highways and bridges	62,770	69,991	74,421	77,828	84,565	90,288	96,361	103,869	105,672	112,812
Private street works and other works of private improvement	3,513	3,928	4,292	4,485	4,809	5,745	6,285	6.317	6,758	7,253
Public lighting	9,118	9,966	10,960	11,680	12,188	13,380	14,746	15.690	16,842	17,620
Fire service	14,856	16,500	17,926	18,623	19,092	20,365	22,232	24.068	25,542	27,125
Police	54,364	61,456	66,301	69,149	71,815	78,842	91,624	95.152	102,630	108,209
Administration of justice	4,723	5,380	5,776	6,189	6,567	6,916	7,800	8,568	9,158	10,280
Trading services:										
Water supply	36,575	38,411	40,996	44,039	45,830	49,873	53,677	58.690	60,445	63,772
Passenger transport	51,920	56,676	60,260	61,208	62,865	66,212	70,469	73,555	75,033	76,120
Cemeteries	4,124	4,513	4,855	4,934	5,176	5,714	6,297	6.758	7,223	7,612
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	26,126	29,754	29,519	32,901	33,504	37,233	38,280	40,295	41,171	43,792
Other trading services (including corporation estates, ferries, markets and civic restaurants)	18,813	19,494	19,640	19,932	21,267	22,494	24,323	25.609	27,257	28,278
Civil defence	1,903	2,881	3,311	3,542	3,553	3,603	3,977	4,350	4,701	5,056
Emergency services other than civil defence(2)	16,985	16,425	15,598	14,754	13,025	34,234	36,871	39,507	42,591	43,950
Other works and purposes(2)	25,609	27,933	28,746	31,127	30,281					
Expenditure not allocated to specified services	45,801	36,385	30,961	25,713	39,642	32,044	38,242	39,930	35,822	44,598
Total loan charges	122,481	136,775	157,428	183,455	209,109	236,542	270,748	311,479	342,770	372,340
Loan charges included in items of expenditure above:										
Allocated to rate fund services	91,943	104,673	122,953	145,360	167,006	189,346	219,313	251.642	277,523	298,454
Allocated to trading services	20,952	22,226	23,538	25.510	26,742	28,393	30,210	32.328	34,593	35,736
Not allocated	1,547	1,255	1,326	1,410	1,448	1,530	1,726	1.879	2,036	2,225
Loan charges included in Table 317(3)	8,039	8,621	9,611	11,175	13,913	17,273	19,499	25,630	28,618	35,925

(1) Local Authority Health services for example, care of mothers and young children, health visiting, ambulances, etc.

(2) From 1955/56 expenditure in respect of requisitioned houses is included under "Housing", and expenditure in respect of other emergency services is included under "Other works and purposes".

(3) Excluding unexpended balances of loans repaid to lenders or paid to sinking funds.

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government

Expenditure of local authorities on capital works(¹)

England and Wales

Years ended 31 March

TABLE 317

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	368,792	426,486	497,772	543,641	525,737	541,052	555,041	528,585	511,896	571,472
Education:										
Elementary	39,840	53,516	58,010	58,714	60,102	68,803	86,042	96,288	92,028	89,178
Higher										
Public libraries and museums	385	299	324	309	421	711	717	624	754	1,528
Individual health(²)	1,448	1,795	1,495	1,380	1,484	1,538	1,332	1,220	1,424	2,276
Public health:										
Sewerage and sewage disposal	11,000	15,345	17,611	18,945	19,512	23,743	26,501	27,250	28,333	35,227
House and trade refuse	553	750	680	794	694	1,041	1,315	1,411	977	1,192
Baths, washhouses and open bathing places	261	322	316	339	427	646	791	952	570	1,156
Parks, pleasure grounds and open spaces	1,525	2,130	2,033	1,401	2,090	2,641	2,221	1,337	1,649	2,595
Other items	437	578	481	585	675	687	662	678	1,060	1,257
National assistance—accommodation and welfare	2,308	2,788	2,973	2,661	2,386	2,974	2,711	2,629	2,737	4,086
Child welfare and child life protection	1,227	1,509	1,203	1,044	917	889	617	479	646	862
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)(⁴)	248,820	281,660	342,935	373,796	360,184	349,214	338,340	309,928	286,013	321,180
Allotments and small holdings	415	980	888	1,208	1,315	1,325	906	936	609	630
Land drainage, river conservancy, etc. and coast protection	3,312	2,924	4,046	13,934	6,920	6,804	5,400	4,971	5,111	5.416
Highways and bridges	5,768	5,776	6,261	6,504	8,055	10,780	13,478	15,117	20,983	26,540
Private street works and other works of private improvement	1,145	1,290	1,390	1,553	1,779	2,302	2,379	2,667	2,766	3,347
Public lighting	633	910	1,178	1,5 0	2,251	3,314	3,716	3,116	2,814	4,415
Fire service	851	1,327	1,470	1,738	1,677	1,869	1,676	1,236	1,696	2,301
Police	3,270	4,555	6,056	6,332	6,068	6,348	5,543	4,299	4,047	3,659
Administration of justice	28	69	230	72	171	155	291	153	492	472
Trading services:										
Water supply	17,496	20,772	23,466	24,750	23,674	24,362	28,273	25,782	26,077	28,069
Passenger transport	7,269	4,751	3,660	4,819	3,027	3,726	4,432	3,249	3,000	2,2 8
Cemeteries	191	308	453	550	517	799	812	790	851	1,003
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	4,430	4,610	4,586	5,204	4,996	5,680	6,733	5,392	7,470	7,396
Other trading services (including corporation estates, ferries, markets and civic restaurants)	3,185	3,563	3,109	2,337	3,889	5,042	4,700	5,238	6,604	7,230
Civil defence	46	26	85	167	155	174	284	168	135	118
Emergency services other than civil defence(³)	76	90	51	34	65	12,661	12,363	9,583	9,598	14,290
Other works and purposes(³)	11,195	11,966	11,515	11,442	10,725					
Expenditure not allocated to specified services	1,678	1,877	1,267	1,479	1,561	2,824	2,806	3,092	3,452	3,751

(¹) Expenditure met out of loans, Government grants for capital works, sales of property, etc., and sums repaid to lenders or transferred to sinking funds out of unexpended balances of loans and other capital receipts.

(²) Local Authority Health services, (for example, care of mothers and young children, health visiting, ambulances, etc.

(³) From 1955/56 expenditure in respect of requisitioned houses is included under "Housing" and expenditure in respect of other emergency services is included under "Other works and purposes".

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government

Income of local authorities: Classified according to source

Scotland

TABLE 318

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total income	152,160	177,886	210,164	225,068	226,552	247,072	261,808	270,055	293,164	304,410
Capital receipts: Total	45,292	57,046	74,442	76,544	68,147	74,422	66,341	64,880	75,335	73,910
Loans	42,506	54,012	70,069	71,744	63,853	70,189	63,085	60,712	69,547	67,037
Government grants	1,747	1,804	2,697	2,052	2,144	1,769	1,354	1,493	2,801	4,512
Repayments of advances under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts	108	129	75	221	226	209	300	322	344	461
Sales and other sources	931	1,101	1,601	2,527	1,924	2,255	1,602	2,353	2,643	1,900
Other income: Total	106,868	120,840	135,722	148,524	158,405	172.650	195,467	205,175	217,829	230,500
Rates	32,216	37,120	44,671	49,144	49,528	53,966	63,162	66,748	71,000	74,670
Payments in lieu of rates(1)	1,079	1,119	1,281	1,516	1,631	1.605	1,732	2,045	2,122	2,224
Government grants	39,869	44,894	48,757	54,593	60,558	66,773	74,281	84,126	91,767	96,505
Repayments on account of private improvement expenses	52	89	44	52	65	94	99	84	86	66
Housing: Rents, etc.(2)(3)	8,662	9,541	10,372	11,588	12,835	13,549	14,790	10,940	11,767	13,746
Allotments: Rents, etc.(3)	3	1	3	2	2	3	4	3	3	3
Revenue-producing undertakings(3):										
Water supply	1,535	1,628	1,934	2,243	2,268	2,779	2,771	2,884	3.098	2,885
Passenger transport	9,475	10,767	12,130	13,031	13,142	15,190	15,531	15,636	15,562	16,147
Cemeteries	165	166	173	187	191	197	206	239	237	238
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	3,059	3,318	3,382	3,667	3,935	4,253	4,515	4,895	4.998	5,001
Other revenue-producing undertakings (including markets and civic restaurants)	273	380	685	315	403	280	241	259	265	168
Miscellaneous income (including certain tolls, fees, rents and interest)	10,480	11,817	12,290	12,186	13,847	13,961	18,135	17,316	16.924	18,847

(1) British Transport Commission, South of Scotland Electricity Board (British Electricity Authority up to 31 March 1955) and North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board.

(2) Including interest on advances under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts.

(3) Gross income apart from rates and grants.

Source: Scottish Development Department

Income of local authorities from Government grants(1)

Scotland

TABLE 319

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	41,616	46,698	51,454	56,645	62,702	68,542	75,635	85,619	94,568	101,017
Allocated to specific services:										
Education	21,952	25,606	27,121	28,947	32,540	35,661	38,148	43,263	48,918	6,805
Individual health(2)	1,507	1,587	1,805	1,793	1,921	2,135	2,298	2,522	2,695	24
Public health	445	319	518	470	461	309	295	237	368	326
National assistance	64	127	66	55	58	61	122	148	143	141
Child welfare and child life protection	512	640	691	693	739	766	816	870	923	73
Housing	5,187	5,631	6,658	7,859	8,933	10,090	11,399	12,688	13,252	13,686
Roads and bridges	2,222	2,302	2,601	2,510	2,826	3,250	3,643	4,523	5,637	7,677
Fire service	280	340	375	400	415	485	493	540	604	8
Police	2,593	2,904	3,068	3,209	3,423	3,932	4,545	4,729	5,110	5,266
Registration of electors	78	77	79	91	110	103	77	83	91	3
Civil defence	65	98	148	182	164	183	187	212	236	275
Emergency services other than civil defence	150	138	119	176	139	98	79	67	8	—
Other services	1,003	1,459	2,203	1,857	2,015	1,659	996	849	876	1,052
Not allocated to specific services(3):										
Grant—Local Government Acts	5,558(4)	5,470	6,002	8,403	8,958	9,810	12,537	14,888	15,707	65,681

(1) Including grants for capital works. General grant introduced in place of certain specific grants from 1959/60.

(2) Local Authority Health services under the National Health Service.

(3) Grants in lieu of rates on Government property are included under " Rates " in Table 318.

(4) Including £10,000 assistance to local authorites whose rate income was heavily reduced by war conditions.

Source: Scottish Development Department

Expenditure of local authorities other than out of loans for capital works

Scotland

Years ended 15 May

TABLE 320

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	108,446	122,773	133,486	141,956	156,468	170,767	194,988	202,270	213,063	221,211
Education	34,573	40,444	43,669	45,489	51,181	55,934	67,825	71,738	75,221	79,722
Public libraries and museums	637	731	787	814	858	962	1,088	1,177	1,220	1,276
Individual health(¹)	3,320	3,528	3,978	4,081	4,400	4,728	5,315	5,956	6,093	6,500
Public health:										
Sewerage and sewage disposal	2,161	2,067	2,431	2,639	2,846	3,233	3,712	3,407	3,589	3,720
Refuse disposal and street cleansing	3,618	4,074	4,302	4,523	4,848	5,348	5,701	6,176	6,466	6,759
Baths, washhouses and open bathing places	965	1,012	1,095	1,154	1,228	1,328	1,419	1,522	1,557	1,532
Parks, pleasure grounds and open spaces	1,828	2,033	2,181	2,203	2,417	2,812	2,934	3,076	3,394	3,686
Other items(²)	1,629	1,762	1,918	1,822	1,859	2,142	2,388	2,475	2,516	2,919
National assistance—accommodation and welfare	1,622	1,706	1,806	2,224	2,381	2,555	2,875	3,117	3,415	3,603
Child welfare and child life protection	1,264	1,513	1,687	1,742	1,841	1,928	1,978	2,151	2,264	2,328
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)	16,691	19,079	23,130	26,930	30,046	33,675	39,073	36,924	38,857	41,014
Allotments	5	3	14	4	6	6	7	5	6	8
Roads and bridges	7,184	8,096	8,631	8,714	9,286	10,210	11,160	12,248	12,334	12,872
Private expenses	61	78	52	53	73	99	96	82	103	89
Public lighting	1,939	2,036	2,397	2,468	2,656	2,906	3,251	3,378	3,592	3,661
Fire service	1,259	1,752	1,552	1,622	1,697	1,891	2,086	2,298	2,476	2,636
Police	5,562	6,311	6,551	6,856	7,592	8,173	9,574	10,180	10,970	11,532
Administration of justice	194	230	224	265	304	349	374	383	419	482
Civil defence	81	143	207	226	221	233	245	278	315	365
Emergency services other than civil defence	196	206	164	255	201	127	95	76	33	—
Revenue-producing undertakings:										
Water supply	3,702	4,089	4,716	5,166	5,413	6,350	7,085	7,454	8,170	8,369
Passenger transport	10,187	11,315	12,069	12,893	13,134	14,111	15,320	15,850	15,771	15,781
Cemeteries	563	639	698	744	813	867	932	999	1,056	1,111
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	3,153	3,348	3,526	3,651	3,946	4,271	4,682	5,021	5,002	4,957
Other revenue-producing undertakings (including markets and civic restaurants)	298	384	702	333	375	287	227	273	261	167
Miscellaneous expenditure	5,754	6,194	4,999	5,085	6,846	6,242	5,546	6,026	7,963	6,122
Total loan charges	16,358	19,249	20,716	24,656	28,148	31,735	36,834	42,170	45,943	49,374
Loan charges included in items of expenditure above:										
Allocated to rating accounts	13,168	14,894	17,394	21,251	24,298	28,030	32,854	37,132	40,688	43,696
Allocated to revenue-producing undertakings	2,247	2,417	2,311	2,657	2,935	3,342	3,935	4,440	4,738	5,188
Not allocated	118	49	30	37	33	32	41	26	25	29
Loan charges included in Table 321(³)	825	1,889	981	711	882	331	4	572	492	461

(¹) Local Authority Health services under the National Health Service.

(²) Including slaughterhouses.

(³) Excluding unexpended balances of loans repaid to lenders or paid to sinking funds.

Source: Scottish Development Department

Expenditure of local authorities on capital works(¹)

Scotland

TABLE 321

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	47,375	58,325	69,191	74,196	73,176	72,279	70,657	71,270	71,319	72,206
Education	3,429	4,261	5,519	5,252	6,704	8,810	10,365	12,059	12,786	13,751
Public libraries and museums	5	42	56	69	13	49	65	32	31	39
Individual health(²)	189	139	151	201	193	229	128	135	215	199
Public health:										
Sewerage and sewage disposal	1,871	2,087	3,098	3,043	3,484	3,096	2,401	2,321	2,143	2,500
Refuse disposal and street cleansing	101	113	190	282	365	506	637	1,034	583	419
Baths, washhouses and open bathing places	17	21	10	9	43	57	69	68	51	91
Parks, pleasure grounds and open spaces	199	142	168	207	202	325	294	180	167	419
Other items(³)	96	81	79	106	90	139	77	63	89	163
National assistance—accommodation and welfare	214	312	225	275	244	212	336	346	224	198
Child welfare and child life protection	115	132	82	87	27	76	24	76	21	49
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)	33,720	41,079	49,420	53,423	49,038	45,594	44,035	42.319	40,042	35,936
Roads and bridges	782	638	820	1,038	1,159	1,911	2,110	2,647	4,254	6,714
Public lighting	308	422	370	459	620	657	527	563	615	810
Fire service	32	179	190	420	163	225	202	306	320	377
Police	372	676	674	947	693	689	669	855	775	933
Administration of justice	2	5	50	6	5	10	1	8	7	5
Civil defence	—	—	5	18	10	10	8	8	2	15
Revenue-producing undertakings:										
Water supply	3,845	6,726	6,053	6,116	5,230	6,103	4,652	3,757	3,703	4,965
Passenger transport	925	163	344	403	3,087	2,085	1,828	1,654	1,753	1,574
Cemeteries	60	60	95	134	140	113	71	157	197	242
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	789	890	956	1,161	1,010	638	1,202	1,710	2,097	1,222
Other revenue-producing undertakings (including markets and civic restaurants)	21	10	120	—	4	—	8	24	29	—
Miscellaneous expenditure	283	147	516	540	652	745	948	948	1,215	1,585

(¹) Expenditure out of loans, Government grants for capital works and other capital receipts.

(²) Local Authority Health services under the National Health Service.

(³) Including slaughterhouses.

Source: Scottish Development Department

Income of local authorities: Classified according to source

Northern Ireland

TABLE 322

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1950/51	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total income	27,342	31,962	37,189	45,991	46,319	50,228	56,996	63,447	62,328	71,346
Capital receipts: Total	9,098	11,505	14,484	18,399	16,678	16,963	20,152	20,758	14,536	18,773
Loans	7,751	10,111	12,873	14,144	11,474	13,058	16,510	16,267	10,384	14,831
Government grants	1,344	1,367	1,607	3,816	4,823	3,455	3,273	3,897	3,583	3,216
Other sources	3	27	4	439	381	450	369	594	569	726
Other income: Total	18,244	20,457	22,705	27,592	29,641	33,265	36,844	42,689	47,792	52,573
Rates	4,101	4,389	4,939	5,597	6,068	6,667	7,394	9,162	10,643	10,593
Bounty in lieu of rates				127	143	169	168	224	247	267
Government grants	6,127	7,234	8,297	8,983	9,253	10,489	11,429	13,735	15,577	19,368
Housing: Rents, etc.(¹)	589	680	831	1,003	1,118	1,227	1,396	1,579	1,719	1,924
Trading services (²):										
Water supply	276	307	303	438	467	537	617	651	740	790
Gas supply	2,398	2,598	2,764	3,047	3,166	3,342	3,586	3,935	3,945	3,984
Electricity supply	1,927	2,095	2,252	4,244	4,923	5,595	6,561	7,675	8,574	9,131
Passenger transport	2,049	2,212	2,326	2,625	2,665	2,660	2,836	2,844	2,919	2,939
Miscellaneous income	777	942	993	1,528	1,838	2,579	2,857	2,884	3,428	3,577

(¹) From 1953/54, including annuity repayments made by borrowers under the Small Dwellings Acquisition scheme.

(²) Gross income other than rates and grants.

Source: Ministry of Health and Local Government

Income of local authorities from Government grants: Classified according to services(¹)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 323

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	12,799	14,076	13,944	14,702	17,632	19,160	22,584
Allocated to specific services:							
Education	2,976	3,705	4,378	4,802	6,049	7,108	8,056
Personal health services (²)	460	502	563	588	616	672	741
Environmental health services(³)	887	909	1,077	1,256	1,653	1,561	1,521
Welfare services(⁴)	162	129	172	174	201	234	301
Housing	3,008	3,604	2,339	2,226	2,113	1,613	1,342
Highways and bridges	2,070	1,851	1,941	2,206	3,054	3,568	5,226
Other services	26	98	19	17	35	129	433
Not allocated to specific services:							
General Exchequer Contribution(⁵)	3,210	3,278	3,455	3,433	3,911	4,275	4,964

(¹) Including grants for capital works.

(²) Local Authority Health services, for example, care of mothers and young children, health education, hospital after-care, etc.

(³) Environmental health services are such services as water supply, sewerage, scavenging, cemeteries, markets, etc.

(⁴) Local Authority Welfare services, for example, care of the aged, infirm and handicapped, domestic help, child welfare and child life protection.

(⁵) Assistance to local authorities under the Local Government (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1948.

Source: Ministry of Health and Local Government

Expenditure of local authorities other than out of loans for capital works

Northern Ireland

TABLE 324

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	27,277	28,958	33,207	36,762	42,643	47,378	51,994
Education	5,249	5,652	6,960	7,763	9,931	11,396	13,258
Libraries, museums and art galleries	190	198	217	245	278	324	414
Personal health services(¹)	1,205	1,259	1,335	1,429	1,537	1,635	1,872
Environmental health services:							
Sewerage services	322	365	432	452	522	609	676
Refuse collection and disposal	318	343	386	446	453	466	526
Public baths	57	54	64	74	77	82	101
Parks, recreation grounds, etc.	189	206	227	266	282	304	331
Other sanitary services	265	324	354	390	418	467	456
Welfare services(²)	578	666	750	812	873	938	1,069
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)	1,477	1,660	1,786	2,074	2,279	2,481	2,702
Highways and bridges	3,805	3,531	3,798	4,394	4,772	6,066	7,319
Public lighting	497	389	417	454	508	535	528
Trading services:							
Watersup ply	968	1,096	1,228	1,361	1,564	1,818	2,074
Gas supply	2,968	3,150	3,374	3,613	3,858	3,865	3,900
Electricity supply	4,124	4,802	5,565	6,461	7,782	8,345	8,926
Passenger transport	2,452	2,544	2,721	2,742	2,862	2,842	2,848
Cemeteries	95	108	114	133	139	148	150
Other trading services (including markets, fairs and harbours)	49	56	71	77	84	90	95
Miscellaneous	2,469	2,555	3,408	3,576	4,424	4,967	4,749
Total loan charges	5,654	6,770	6,198	6,958	7,702	7,723	8,215
Loan charges included in items of expenditure above:							
Allocated to rate fund services	688	937	1,418	1,413	1,744	2,154	2,512
Allocated to trading services	1,569	1,838	2,087	2,402	2,980	3,153	3,481
Not allocated	1,026	1,154	1,221	1,453	1,570	1,664	1,765
Loan charges included in Table 325	2,371	2,841	1,472	1,690	1,408	752	457

(¹) Local Authority Health services, for example, care of mothers and young children, health education, hospital after-care, etc.

(²) Local Authority Welfare services, for example, care of the aged, infirm and handicapped, domestic help, child welfare and child life protection.

Source: Ministry of Health and Local Government

Expenditure of local authorities on capital works(¹)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 325

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60
Total	17,893	17,215	17,214	20,299	20,048	16,699	17,589
Education	1,954	2,041	2,000	3,225	3,720	3,026	2,673
Libraries, museums and art galleries	1	3	10	32	88	53	69
Personal health services(²)	31	64	88	51	14	67	92
Environmental health services:							
Sewerage services	661	605	771	833	928	980	1,193
Refuse collection and disposal	10	4	6	18	18	21	26
Public baths	2	35	24	23	48	35	35
Parks, recreation grounds, etc.	162	137	108	107	72	64	86
Other sanitary services	74	57	49	73	98	107	90
Welfare services(³)	114	118	64	82	118	91	107
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)	8,198	7,526	6,659	6,649	4,889	3,834	5,786
Highways and bridges	712	572	654	583	732	1,140	899
Public lighting	28	36	26	92	76	63	44
Trading services:							
Water supply	2,389	1,993	3,241	3,428	4,627	3,897	4,242
Gas supply	291	351	411	407	298	315	419
Electricity supply	2,654	3,174	2,531	4,354	4,012	2,516	1,382
Passenger transport	374	224	413	104	73	244	44
Cemeteries	49	20	5	25	5	14	66
Other trading services (including markets, fairs and harbours)	46	119	46	7	4	7	11
Miscellaneous	143	136	108	206	228	225	325

(¹) Expenditure met out of loans, Government grants for capital works, sales of property, etc., and sums repaid to lenders or transferred to sinking funds out of unexpended balances of loans and other capital receipts.

(²) Local Authority Health services, for example, care of mothers and young children, health education, hospital after care, etc.

(³) Local Authority Welfare services, for example, care of the aged, infirm and handicapped, domestic help, child welfare and child life protection.

Source: Ministry of Health and Local Government

Local authorities: Gross loan debt outstanding(¹)

TABLE 326

At 31 March in each year(²)

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
United Kingdom										
Total debt	2,595·5	2,983·4	3,458·6	3,947·4	4,397·9	4,879·2	5,337·3	5,742·4	6,131·5	6,554·9
Public Works Loan Board	1,451·3	1,822·8	2,221·2	2,501·3	2,833·6	3,131·8	3,183·1	3,214·7	3,175·2	3,133·1
Northern Ireland Government Loans Fund	19·3	25·0	30·9	35·7	39·3	47·2	53·9	59·7	62·8	68·6
Other debt	1,124·9	1,135·6	1,206·5	1,410·4	1,525·0	1,700·2	2,100·3	2,468·0	2,893·5	3,353·2
England and Wales										
Total debt	2,252·1	2,589·8	2,995·7	3,414·2	3,806·4	4,221·0	4,615·0	4,962·4	5,294·1	5,656·7
Scotland										
Total debt	310·1	353·3	414·0	474·7	526·7	585·5	637·7	685·1	736·7	787·4
Northern Ireland										
Total debt	33·3	40·3	48·9	58·5	64·8	72·7	84·6	94·9	100·7	110·8

(¹) The sums shown exclude temporary loans and overdrafts obtained for the purpose of providing for current expenses. No deduction has been made in respect of sums held in sinking funds for the repayment of debt.

(²) At 15 May for Scotland.

Source: Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Scottish Development Department, Public Works Loan Board, Ministry of Health and Local Government, Northern Ireland and Ministry of Finance, Northern Ireland

Composition of local authority loan debt(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE 327

At 31 March in each year(²)

£ million

	Total	Debt due for repayment			
		In 1 year or less	Over 1 year, up to 5 years	Over 5 years, up to 15 years	Over 15 years
1955					
Public Works Loan Board mortgages	2,728·0	0·6	15·1	292·7	2,419·6
Other mortgages	596·2	32·1	133·7	311·1	119·2
Corporation or local bonds (including housing bonds)	66·6	6·0	16·6	40·3	3·7
Stock quoted on the London Stock Exchange	424·0	7·6	74·3	170·9	171·1
Other external borrowing (apart from temporary borrowing)	7·9	0·9	0·4	0·7	5·9
Advances from authority's own superannuation funds	162·3	2·7	13·0	59·5	87·1
Advances from other internal funds	95·9	25·5	10·4	28·9	31·1
Temporary borrowing:					
Revenue balances temporarily used for capital purposes	36·5	36·5	—	—	—
Other	133·1	133·1	—	—	—
Total loan debt	4,250·6	245·0	263·5	904·1	2,837·7
Borrowing for other authorities	64·0	2·8	6·5	25·0	29·7
Borrowing for the authority's own purposes	4,186·5	242·2	257·0	879·1	2,808·0
1958					
Public Works Loan Board mortgages	3,080·6	1·1	34·3	377·4	2,667·8
Other mortgages	972·6	86·4	420·6	291·8	173·7
Corporation or local bonds (including housing bonds)	107·8	6·0	47·0	45·3	9·5
Stock quoted on the London Stock Exchange	500·7	28·3	75·2	221·5	175·8
Other external borrowing (apart from temporary borrowing)	8·3	0·7	1·4	0·9	5·4
Advances from authority's own superannuation funds	223·5	4·7	28·1	81·8	108·9
Advances from other internal funds	115·8	22·4	25·8	26·1	41·5
Temporary borrowing:					
Revenue balances temporarily used for capital purposes	66·1	66·1	—	—	—
Other	422·3	422·3	—	—	—
Total loan debt	5,497·8	638·0	632·4	1,044·8	3,182·6
Borrowing for other authorities	55·4	4·8	8·7	18·8	23·0
Borrowing for the authority's own purposes	5,442·4	633·2	623·7	1,026·0	3,159·6
1959					
Public Works Loan Board mortgages	3,051·3	1·6	37·8	357·0	2,654·9
Other mortgages	1,145·4	167·0	526·8	279·3	172·3
Corporation or local bonds (including housing bonds)	127·8	6·6	69·9	40·0	11·3
Stock quoted on the London Stock Exchange	519·9	15·6	83·4	218·9	201·9
Other external borrowing (apart from temporary borrowing)	12·5	3·7	2·0	1·0	5·9
Advances from authority's own superannuation funds	237·6	6·9	36·3	87·1	107·3
Advances from other internal funds	118·5	20·7	34·9	26·6	36·3
Temporary borrowing:					
Revenue balances temporarily used for capital purposes	90·1	90·1	—	—	—
Other	556·1	556·1	—	—	—
Total loan debt	5,859·3	868·3	791·2	1,009·9	3,189·9
Borrowing for other authorities(³)	118·1	12·4	21·7	38·9	45·1
Borrowing for the authority's own purposes	5,741·2	855·9	769·4	971·0	3,144·9

See footnotes on page 274.

Composition of local authority loan debt(¹)

Great Britain

TABLE 327 *(continued)*

At 31 March in each year(²)

£ million

	Total	Debt due for repayment			
		In 1 year or less	Over 1 year, up to 5 years	Over 5 years, up to 15 years	Over 15 years
1960					
Public Works Loan Board mortgages	2,963·6	1·2	41·5	328·1	2,592·8
Other mortgages	1,353·1	251·6	601·0	298·5	202·0
Corporation or local bonds (including housing bonds)	141·8	15·9	74·2	38·0	13·7
Stock quoted on the London Stock Exchange	556·4	6·7	95·8	226·8	227·1
Other external borrowing (apart from temporary borrowing)	12·2	3·7	2·4	1·0	5·1
Advances from authority's own superannuation funds	249·9	10·2	38·3	92·5	108·9
Advances from other internal funds	133·4	36·4	32·3	27·0	37·6
Temporary borrowing:					
Revenue balances temporarily used for capital purposes	108·1	108·1	—	—	—
Other	648·2	648·2	—	—	—
Total loan debt	6,166·7	1,082·0	885·6	1,011·9	3,187·2
Borrowing for other authorities(³)	110·4	16·0	21·5	32·4	40·6
Borrowing for the authority's own purposes	6,056·3	1,066·0	864·1	979·6	3,146·6
1961					
Public Works Loan Board mortgages	2,919·0	3·0	42·1	305·6	2,568·3
Other mortgages	1,440·6	294·6	615·1	315·8	215·1
Corporation or local bonds (including housing bonds)	153·7	16·9	80·8	43·7	12·3
Stock quoted on the London Stock Exchange	605·5	15·8	97·6	217·5	274·6
Other external borrowing (apart from temporary borrowing)	14·5	5·4	2·2	1·2	5·7
Advances from authority's own superannuation funds	266·7	15·8	41·4	99·5	110·0
Advances from other internal funds	148·6	44·3	35·8	26·5	42·0
Temporary borrowing:					
Revenue balances temporarily used for capital purposes	149·6	149·6	—	—	—
Other	859·2	859·2	—	—	—
Total loan debt	6,557·4	1,404·6	915·0	1,009·8	3,228·0
Borrowing for other authorities(³)	118·9	20·5	19·7	30·0	48·7
Borrowing for the authority's own pnrposes	6,438·5	1,384·1	895·2	979·8	3,179·3

Source: H.M. Treasury

(¹) This table summarises the results of surveys conducted by the Treasury of the debt of local government authorities in Great Britain: that is, municipal and county councils, and urban and rural district councils (other than parish councils in England and Wales and district councils in Scotland, whose total outstanding debt amounts to about £1 million). The table does not therefore include the debt of certain other authorities covered by the figures in Tables 313 to 321 and 326, such as harbour boards, water boards etc., which amounted to £277 million in 1958. It is estimated that the debt of authorities within the field of the Treasury surveys who did not make returns (whose debt is not therefore included in this table) amounted approximateyl to £62 million in 1958, £42 million in 1959, £110 million in 1960 and £120 million in 1961. The results of the surveys are set out in full, with introductory articles on the coverage of the surveys and the definitions used, in *Economic Trends* for June 1960, February 1961 and January 1962.

(²) At 15 May for Scottish local authorities.

(³) The coverage of this item was wider in 1959, 1960 and 1961 than in earlier years.

XIII. BANKING, INSURANCE, ETC.

Bank of England

TABLE **328**

Average of Wednesdays

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Issue Department(¹)											
Notes in circulation	1,342·4	1,435·2	1,531·9	1,630·3	1,760·0	1,875·1	1,966·3	2,034·6	2,104·5	2,210·7	2,306·2
Notes in Banking Department	40·6	40·7	38·7	32·1	35·1	36·4	32·2	33·7	36·2	40·2	35·0
Government securities(²)	1,378·7	1,472·2	1,566·9	1,658·5	1,791·0	1,907·3	1,994·3	2,064·2	2,137·1	2,248·0	2,339·4
Banking Department(³)											
Deposits:											
Total	406·2	376·7	390·4	368·8	340·6	317·5	303·6	303·0	313·9	403·0	516·2
Public	20·2	25·6	43·2	20·6	19·2	16·1	13·3	12·6	13·0	12·0	13·0
Special(⁴)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77·1	182·1
Bankers	297·6	277·2	277·6	281·1	254·0	228·0	216·2	217·9	236·0	248·3	250·0
Other accounts	88·5	73·9	69·6	67·2	67·5	73·3	74·0	72·6	64·9	65·5	71·1
Securities:											
Total	382·9	352·7	367·8	352·5	321·3	297·2	287·2	285·5	295·0	380·1	498·5
Government	341·4	314·8	341·4	327·4	283·4	257·8	239·4	245·4	258·0	331·9	423·8
Discounts and advances	14·8	15·5	8·9	9·4	22·3	22·7	28·1	19·7	15·5	28·9	55·8
Other	26·8	22·3	17·4	15·7	15·6	16·8	19·8	20·4	21·5	19·3	18·9
Reserve of notes and coin	41·5	42·2	40·8	34·5	37·5	38·4	34·5	35·6	37·1	41·0	35·8

(¹) Gold coin and bullion in the Issue Department has been negligible since September 1939, when practically the whole was transferred to H.M. Treasury. Issue Department holdings of other securities and of coin other than gold coin are quite small. Since 1951 the highest yearly averages have been: other securities, £0·8 million; coin other than gold coin, £3·3 million.

(²) Including Government Debt £11·0 million.

(³) The only liabilities not shown are Capital and Rest; the first has been constant at £14·6 million and the second has averaged £3·6 million throughout each of the years shown.

(⁴) Deposits called from the London Clearing and Scottish banks, not at their free disposal.

Source: Bank of England

Bank clearings (¹)

TABLE **329**

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Credit clearing(²)											
Total	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,304(³)	5,252
Debit clearing											
Total	111,057	112,637	125,513	146,634	155,083	163,286	175,173	183,362	201,804	228,175	245,183
Bankers' Clearing House											
Total	108,773	110,584	123,373	144,288	152,613	160,889	172,702	180,914	199,183	225,417	242,384
Town	80,687	82,438	94,070	112,923	118,597	125,818	135,428	142,319	156,750	179,312	195,686
General	28,086	28,146	29,303	31,365	34,017	35,071	37,274	38,596	42,433	46,105	46,698
Provincial clearing houses											
Total	2,284	2,053	2,140	2,346	2,470	2,397	2,471	2,448	2,621	2,758	2,799
Birmingham	224	227	231	283	324	310	323	352	385	433	380
Bradford	241	176	210	207	218	229	236	205	235	233	246
Bristol	59	63	64	67	78	73	74	77	86	93	98
Hull	77	76	76	72	71	70	74	78	79	84	88
Leeds	130	124	130	137	149	143	152	158	166	190	217
Leicester	96	91	96	104	114	109	109	111	121	133	140
Liverpool	644	544	537	624	604	537	601	571	601	587	583
Manchester	508	417	437	481	506	497	499	483	525	573	585
Newcastle upon Tyne	144	166	182	182	193	171	177	177	179	171	183
Nottingham	49	51	54	56	67	61	67	70	73	74	75
Sheffield	96	101	107	115	127	126	139	143	150	164	179
Southampton	16	17	17	17	20	20	20	21	21	24	25

(¹) Figures are not strictly comparable throughout owing to changes in the composition of the clearings.

(²) Established on 20 April 1960.

(³) From 1 May 1960.

Source: Bankers' Clearing House

London clearing banks(1)

TABLE 330

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total liabilities or assets	6,787	6,667	6,754	7,014	7,095	6,902	7,122	7,339	7,783	8,259	8,471
Liabilities											
Paid up capital and reserves	156	156	161	169	179	182	186	196	246	278	308
Total deposits	6,162	6,083	6,256	6,495	6,454	6,288	6,432	6,636	6,935	7,236	7,395
Current accounts	4,095	3,907	3,938	4,078	4,054	3,932	3,905	3,769	4,064	4,207	4,157
Deposit accounts	2,067	1,938	2,051	2,094	2,070	2,008	2,139	2,442	2,431	2,515	2,638
Other accounts		237	267	323	330	348	389	425	441	513	600
Assets(2)											
Total liquid assets	2,308	2,097	2,201	2,190	2,098	2,218	2,256	2,255	2,277	2,299	2,437
Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England, etc.(3)	511	505	509	528	529	516	526	543	565	588	607
of which balances with Bank of England(3)	. .	289	287	295	271	242	229	. .	239	247	251
Money at call and short notice(4)	569	529	472	457	439	431	439	434	489	562	606
of which to money market	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	425	490	507
Treasury bills discounted	1,228	957	1,156	1,119	1,016	1,156	1,143	1,167	1,089	1,007	992
Other bills discounted(5)		105	63	87	114	114	148	110	134	142	233
of which United Kingdom commercial bills	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	115	121	180
Balances with other banks, items in transit, etc.(6)	244(7)	301	310	343	361	367	394	406	436	493	486
Treasury deposit receipts	247	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Special deposits with Bank of England(8)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	74	174
Investments	1,624	1,983	2,163	2,321	2,149	1,978	2,008	2,149	1,836	1,407	1,122
of which British government and government guaranteed securities	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	1,718	1,277	1,009
Advances to customers and other accounts(4)(5)	1,822(9)	1,776	1,666	1,731	1,941	1,820	1,868	1,923	2,522	3,123	3,357
Acceptances, endorsements, etc.	468	427	336	349	462	432	503	506	601	745	767
Outstanding advances to nationalised industries(10)	70	84	70	102	120	87	58	68	73	72	66
Assets as percentage of total deposits											
Total liquid assets	37·5	34·5	35·2	33·7	32·5	35·3	35·1	34·0	32·8	31·8	33·0
Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England, etc.	8·3	8·3	8·1	8·1	8·2	8·2	8·2	8·2	8·1	8·1	8·2
Money at call and short notice	9·2	8·7	7·6	7·0	6·8	6·8	6·8	6·5	7·0	7·8	8·2
Treasury bills discounted	19·9	15·7	18·5	17·2	15·7	18·4	17·8	17·6	15·7	13·9	13·4
Other bills discounted		1·7	1·0	1·3	1·8	1·8	2·3	1·7	1·9	2·0	3·1
Treasury deposit receipts	4·0	0·1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Investments	26·4	32·6	34·6	35·7	33·3	31·5	31·2	32·4	26·5	19·5	15·2
Advances to customers and other accounts	29·6(9)	29·2	26·6	26·6	30·1	28·9	29·0	29·0	36·4	43·2	45·4

Source: Committee of London Clearing Bankers and H.M. Treasury

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(1) From 1951 to 1958, averages of balances on the third Wednesday in the month except for 30 June and 31 December; from 1959, averages of balances on the third Wednesday in the month (except December 1960 and December 1961, second Wednesday). After 1960 the figures exclude the business of Lloyds Bank's Eastern branches.

(2) The only important items not included are bank premises and investments in affiliated banks and subsidiary companies.

(3) Before 1961 the total included Lloyds Bank's balances with Eastern Reserve Banks; up to October 1958 they were included in Balances with Bank of England.

(4) In October 1961, certain assets were re-classified and approximately £40 million was transferred to Money at call and short notice from Advances to customers and other accounts.

(5) From February 1961, Bills discounted include, and Advances to customers and other accounts exclude, re-financeable exports credit due for repayment within eighteen months.

(6) Balances with, and cheques in course of collection on, other banks in the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland and items in transit between offices of the same bank.

(7) Excluding eight banks' items in transit. The equivalent figure for 1952 is £239 million.

(8) The amounts of Special deposits are calculated as percentages of the latest available monthly total deposits of each bank (excluding for certain banks deposits with branches outside England and Wales). Calls were made as follows: on 28 April, 1960, 1% by 15 June; on 23 June 1960 a further ½% by 20 July and ½% by 17 August; on 25 July 1961, a further ½% by 16 August and ½% by 20 September.

(9) Including eight banks' items in transit. The equivalent figures for 1952 are £1,838 million (30·2%).

(10) From 1951 to 1956 averages of amounts outstanding at mid-March, end-June, mid-September and end-December; from 1957 averages of monthly figures.

TABLE 331

Scottish banks(1)

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Liabilities(2)											
Scottish bank notes outstanding(3)	74·2	80·0	88·5	93·9	100·0	107·1	114·3	116·9	118·1	122·1	124·5
Deposits:											
Total	744·3	736·1	740·3	787·9	774·5	724·4	740·2	747·3	776·4	789·7	805·9
Current accounts	358·9	355·5	362·8	387·4	368·4	334·4	334·4	313·7	330·9	346·5	344·1
Deposit accounts	317·3	319·7	314·1	326·4	325·3	318·6	329·2	353·4	371·2	372·8	378·3
Other accounts	68·2	60·9	63·3	74·1	80·9	71·4	76·6	80·2	74·2	70·4	83·6
Assets(4)											
Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England:											
Total	85·3	92·2	101·6	108·2	114·8	123·6	130·7	134·1	135·5	141·3	146·4
Cash in hand(5)	83·8	90·5	100·0	106·5	113·4	122·2	129·3	132·7	134·2	140·0	144·8
Balances with Bank of England	1·6	1·7	1·6	1·7	1·4	1·4	1·4	1·4	1·3	1·3	1·6
Balances with other banks, items in transit, etc.(6)	69·6	71·7	73·5	82·5	84·8	82·1	87·6	86·1	86·6	90·6	105·6
Money at call and short notice	53·5	77·3	65·0	57·9	55·2	57·0	58·1	60·7	68·7	62·5	66·3
Bills discounted(7):											
Total	11·1	15·1	15·9	18·6	23·4	30·2	25·4	32·2	27·5	28·1	30·3
United Kingdom Treasury bills	4·7	9·7	13·8	14·8	16·7	23·1	18·2	26·3	21·1	21·3	22·0
Other bills	6·4	5·4	2·2	3·8	6·8	7·1	7·2	5·9	6·3	6·8	8·3
Treasury deposit receipts	9·7	0·6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Special deposits with Bank of England(8)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3·9	9·5
Investments:											
Total	397·4	367·9	395·1	424·9	397·2	359·5	358·1	354·7	328·9	288·6	249·2
British government and government guaranteed securities(9)	384·0	356·1	383·1	410·9	376·8	342·5	343·2	337·8	302·3	256·5	223·7
Advances and other accounts(7):											
Total	217·3	217·8	205·3	216·6	224·1	203·3	217·8	219·1	271·3	331·8	361·1
Advances	212·7	208·5	196·1	206·0	212·0	195·3	209·3	209·9	..	..	..
Other accounts	4·6	9·3	9·3	10·7	12·1	8·0	8·5	9·1	..	..	..
Acceptances	45·4	44·4	36·5	41·3	34·4	39·0	40·6	45·0	52·1	59·8	59·3
Endorsements, etc.	15·8	17·2	12·8	14·0	12·8	13·0	12·5	12·2	9·9		
Outstanding advances to nationalised industries(10)	17·9	12·2	3·5	11·2	5·9	6·8	4·0	4·1	8·7	9·5	9·4

Source: Committee of Scottish Bank General Managers and H.M. Treasury

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(1) Averages of monthly figures which, before October 1960, related to dates varying from bank to bank between the middle and end of each month, and thereafter all related to the third Wednesday in each month (except December 1961, second Wednesday). The figures for British government and government guaranteed securities before 1961 are averages of quarterly figures (see footnote (9)). Figures for 1951 are averages of 10 months.

(2) Other than paid-up capital and reserves.

(3) Of which the "authorised" circulation was £2·7 million at all dates shown, the remainder being covered by Bank of England notes and coin.

(4) Other than bank and other premises and investments in subsidiaries.

(5) Including Bank of England notes held as cover for Scottish bank notes in excess of the "authorised" circulation and also banks' holdings of each other's notes.

(6) Balances with, and cheques in course of collection on, other banks in the United Kingdom and, before October 1961, the Republic of Ireland; and items in transit between offices of the same bank.

(7) From April 1961, Other bills discounted include, and Advances exclude, re-financeable export credits due for repayment within eighteen months.

(8) The amounts of Special deposits are calculated as percentages of the latest available monthly total deposits of each bank. Calls were made as follows: on 28 April, 1960, ½% by 15 June; on 23 June, 1960, a further ¼% by 20 July and ¼% by 17 August; on 25 July, 1961, a further ¼% by 16 August and ¼% by 20 September.

(9) From 1951 to 1958, averages of end–quarter figures; in 1959 and 1960, averages of figures on various dates in March, June, September and December (see footnote (1)); thereafter averages of monthly figures.

(10) Figures for 1951 to 1954 are at 31 December; for 1955 and 1956, averages of mid-March, end-June, mid-September and end-December; from 1957, averages of figures mainly for the third Wednesday in each month (except for 30 June and 31 December in 1957 and 1958).

Discount houses

TABLE 332

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Assets(1)											
Total	1,031	1,067	1,085	1,090	1,068	954	956	1,053	1,130	1,197	1,216
Cash in hand and at banks	7	8	9	9	9	8	10	10	11	11	10
United Kingdom Treasury bills discounted	624	702	606	618	652	523	585	594	635	574	533
Other bills discounted(2)	63	42	49	47	45	85	84	70	118	117	183
British government and government guaranteed securities(3)	314	291	383	373	307	294	223	321	322	440	449
Other assets	24	24	38	44	55	45	54	57	45	56	42
Borrowed funds(4)											
Total	992	1,028	1,048	1,051	1,014	909	903	1,007	1,077	1,139	1,153
Bank of England Banking Department	5	5	—	50	58	34	11	8	28	34	28
London clearing banks	555	495	459	452	459	454	474	519	544	631	675
Scottish banks	69	77	80	74	80	78	75	85	87	90	89
Overseas and foreign banks(5)(6)	247	340	395	345	257	212	201	263	256	244	232
Other sources(6)	116	111	114	131	160	132	142	131	162	140	130

(1) The figures are mainly as at 31 December but partly at other dates in December. From 1951 to 1955 they are partly estimated.
(2) Including local authority bills.
(3) At nominal values.
(4) Excluding capital and reserves. The figures are as at 31 December.
(5) Those banks whose main business is conducted outside the British Isles.
(6) Figures after 1958 differ slightly in coverage from those for earlier years.

Source: London Discount Market Association

Trustee Savings Banks: Special Investment Departments

TABLE 333

At 20 November in each year

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Liabilities											
Total	124·7	131·0	152·4	201·5	235·4	291·9	326·1	352·1	390·5	444·5	510·1
Deposits	115·7	122·4	143·7	192·6	226·2	282·8	316·8	342·6	380·5	434·0	499·0
Surpluses, reserves, etc.	9·0	8·6	8·7	8·9	9·2	9·1	9·3	9·5	10·0	10·5	11·1
Assets											
Total	124·7	131·0	152·4	201·5	235·4	291·9	326·1	352·1	390·5	444·5	510·1
British government securities	44·1	43·9	42·1	45·4	52·1	56·8	57·3	68·4	81·8	103·1	124·3
Dominion and Colonial government securities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2·7	6·5	8·3	11·8
Municipal local government and Northern Ireland stock	1·2	1·8	4·7	9·4	11·2	15·5	20·3	24·1	26·6	34·4	41·1
Loans to local authorities:											
For term of years	74·4	80·2	98·5	137·1	162·6	195·9	223·8	234·1	247·6	263·7	287·4
Temporary						13·6	13·6	10·7	14·7	20·7	29·4
Cash at bankers and in hand	3·3	3·3	5·1	6·8	6·2	5·6	5·6	6·1	7·1	7·1	7·7
Premises and other assets	1·7	1·8	2·0	2·8	3·3	4·5	5·5	6·0	6·2	7·2	8·4
Average rate of interest paid on deposits in the year	*2·45*	*2·59*	*2·72*	*2·83*	*2·87*	*3·28*	*3·55*	*3·77*	*3·83*	*3·96*	*4·16*
Mean nominal interest rates at 20 November	*2·62*	*2·75*	*2·92*	*2·94*	*3·15*	*3·61*	*3·81*	*3·95*	*4·00*	*4·20*	*4·49*

Source: Inspection Committee of Trustee Savings Banks

TABLE 334

Capital issues and redemptions in the United Kingdom(¹)

Total issues and redemptions

£ million

	Gross issues	Gross re-demp-tions	Issued *less* redemptions												
			Total				United Kingdom borrowers				Overseas borrowers				
			Total	Loan capi-tal	Prefer-ence shares	Ordin-ary shares	Total	Local authori-ties	Quoted public companies		Total	Com-mon-wealth	Other coun-tries	Public authori-ties	Public com-panies
								Quoted securi-ties	Quoted securi-ties	Un-quoted securi-ties					
1954	335·4	70·3	265·1	154·5	17·3	93·3	217·8	9·1	185·8	22·9	47·3	53·4	— 6·1	36·1	11·2
1955	355·1	80·3	274·8	113·0	16·7	145·1	271·4	2·1	215·5	53·8	3·4	16·0	—12·6	— 3·8	7·2
1956	305·0	36·2	268·8	108·6	7·8	152·4	258·5	36·6	205·2	16·7	10·3	19·5	— 9·2	1·8	8·5
1957	391·5	50·8	340·7	185·3	— 1·1	156·5	333·4	26·0	298·8	8·6	7·3	18·3	—11·0	1·7	5·6
1958	387·4	92·5	294·9	194·1	0·1	100·7	279·1	52·1	218·4	8·6	15·8	33·6	—17·8	12·8	3·0
1959	511·6	86·3	425·3	163·7	7·6	254·0	419·9	33·9	373·2	12·8	5·4	23·3	—17·9	— 4·3	9·7
1960	573·5	91·0	482·5	144·5	4·1	333·9	476·9	45·9	449·3	—18·3	5·6	5·5	0·1	5·5	0·1
1961	692·5	70·0	622·5	184·3	— 1·1	439·3	614·0	37·8	561·3	14·9	8·5	16·5	— 8·0	6·9	1·6

Issues, *less* redemptions, by United Kingdom quoted public companies

£ million

	All companies				Financial companies						Other companies			
	Total	Loan capi-tal	Prefer-ence shares	Ordin-ary shares	Total	Banks and dis-count houses	Hire pur-chase finance houses	Insur-ance com-panies	Invest-ment trust com-panies	Special finance agen-cies	Total	Loan capi-tal	Prefer-ence shares	Ordin-ary shares
1954	208·7	104·6	17·5	86·6	51·7	5·6	3·5	8·4	32·7	1·5	157·0	82·7	14·8	59·5
1955	269·3	109·4	16·8	143·1	32·8	2·5	1·5	4·2	24·6	—	236·5	104·5	15·1	116·9
1956	221·9	62·8	8·6	150·5	32·7	2·1	0·1	3·0	22·6	4·9	189·2	56·9	7·0	125·3
1957	307·4	156·6	—1·1	151·9	26·1	1·6	1·0	9·4	14·2	— 0·1	281·3	155·3	—1·4	127·4
1958	227·0	126·6	0·3	100·1	35·6	3·2	12·7	—	14·9	4·8	191·4	118·2	—	73·2
1959	386·0	127·5	7·7	250·8	135·1	53·9	13·1	20·0	32·8	15·3	250·9	109·4	2·1	139·4
1960	431·0	93·1	4·7	333·2	112·0	21·8	17·1	28·0	41·7	3·4	319·0	76·8	4·2	238·0
1961	576·2	138·0	—1·1	439·3	155·0	52·7	1·8	40·0	46·1	14·4	421·2	109·1	—1·2	313·3

Issues, *less* redemptions, by United Kingdom quoted public companies other than financial companies

£ million

	Total	Manufacturing industries										Public utili-ties, trans-port and com-muni-cation	Distri-butive trades	Pro-perty com-panies	Rest
		Total	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemi-cals and allied indus-tries	Metal manu-facture	Engin-eering, ship-build-ing and elec-trical goods	Vehicles	Textiles	Cloth-ing and foot-wear	Paper, print-ing and pub-lishing	Other				
1954	157·0	137·4	33·9	28·1	3·7	24·8	22·1	2·8	—	1·2	20·8	2·8	2·8	1·5	12·5
1955	236·5	174·5	19·1	15·3	3·0	74·2	15·5	0·2	1·1	15·5	30·6	12·9	16·1	20·4	12·6
1956	189·2	157·8	19·9	21·6	8·2	81·4	9·5	1·8	0·6	12·2	2·6	11·6	6·7	0·3	12·8
1957	281·3	261·7	10·2	63·4	57·2	63·7	33·0	0·5	0·2	16·8	16·7	4·0	2·2	1·1	12·3
1958	191·4	174·8	18·8	79·3	19·2	42·2	6·1	0·2	0·1	6·8	2·1	3·8	1·9	7·2	3·7
1959	250·9	144·7	34·0	18·5	13·2	40·7	20·0	3·2	1·1	6·1	7·9	17·6	29·8	33·9	24·9
1960	319·0	212·1	40·8	—3·0	45·5	58·5	18·4	9·5	1·0	25·1	16·3	12·7	20·6	33·6	40·0
1961	421·2	303·5	65·0	48·6	61·2	64·1	19·6	3·4	2·1	13·2	26·3	8·2	16·0	60·5	33·0

Source: Bank of England

(¹) The table has been substantially revised. A description of the differences between these estimates and those published previously is given in the Bank of England's *Quarterly Bulletin*, Volume I, No. 5 (December 1961).

The estimates relate to new money raised by issues of ordinary, preference and loan capital (public issues, offers for sale, issues by tender, placings and issues to shareholders and employees) by quoted public companies and local authorities in the United Kingdom and by overseas public companies and public authorities. Overseas public authorities include local authorities and international organisations. Mortgages, bank advances and any other loans redeemable in twelve months or less are excluded, as also are loans from United Kingdom government funds. Issues to shareholders are included only if the sole or principal share register is maintained in the United Kingdom. Estimates of issues are based on the prices at which securities are offered to the market. Subscriptions are recorded under the periods in which they are due to be paid. Redemptions relate to fixed interest securities of the kinds included as issues; conversions are included in the gross figures of both issues and redemptions.

The division between United Kingdom and overseas company borrowers is determined by the location of the registered office. United Kingdom local authorities include, in addition to local governments, such public bodies as water, dock and harbour boards. Special finance agencies are quoted public companies engaged in the provision of medium and long-term finance to industry (e.g. I.C.F.C.). The industrial classification in the third part of the table is according to the primary occupation of the borrowing company or group and is based on the *Standard Industrial Classification* (H.M.S.O. 1958).

Bank advances(¹)

TABLE 335

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total(²)	1,920·6	1,930·6	1,815·8	1,907·6	2,120·2	1,969·7	2,016·0	2,071·5	2,751·9	3,446·5	3,802·8
Agriculture	190·4	198·9	200·3	213·7	233·6	222·1	223·0	223·3	286·5	345·1	372·8
Fishing						3·3	4·4	5·3	6·2	8·7	10·4
Coal mining	4·2	2·2	1·8	1·8	1·2	0·8	0·8	1·0	1·6	1·1	0·7
Quarrying, etc.	4·9	5·0	4·7	5·3	5·7	4·3	4·8	9·3	9·3	8·1	9·6
Chemicals	26·3	35·1	25·9	27·0	31·0	33·2	31·9	32·7	35·5	40·2	52·3
Iron and steel and allied trades	17·3	30·9	55·0	48·8	30·2	39·9	56·0	50·3	66·8	81·5	96·2
Non-ferrous metals	6·0	5·3	4·6	6·3	8·4	8·6	9·3	9·2	9·5	12·8	16·1
Engineering, etc.	109·5	150·0	153·6	137·7	158·7	197·4	233·1	236·2	284·2	360·7	481·6
Cotton	11·8	18·0	13·6	14·0	21·8	20·0	26·5	25·0	22·7	24·4	24·4
Wool	37·0	20·7	24·9	28·9	30·7	29·0	42·6	38·5	42·8	48·9	56·6
Other textiles	50·6	56·1	42·8	45·7	47·4	41·9	45·6	47·5	51·4	65·9	78·4
Leather and rubber	21·5	19·1	15·2	17·3	18·0	17·0	17·5	19·2	20·8	28·3	30·3
Food, drink and tobacco	142·7	158·1	132·5	133·6	162·5	155·9	150·9	149·7	185·4	189·2	215·1
Builders and contacrors	70·6	66·4	60·9	61·3	72·2	68·8	64·2	67·1	97·0	140·5	167·2
Building materials	18·0	20·2	17·1	17·7	22·4	21·3	20·9	21·0	23·7	28·8	32·3
Public utilities (other than transport	74·8	96·4	86·6	120·5	163·0	94·5	56·8	65·8	79·2	83·0	77·4
Transport and communications	16·9	20·0	17·6	18·1	21·3	20·3	21·3	21·0	28·0	36·6	41·1
Shipping and shipbuilding	15·8	11·7	16·0	16·5	22·4	28·0	34·5	51·9	73·9	95·6	106·2
Retail trade	207·1	189·4	169·6	176·9	192·7	173·1	166·2	182·2	265·4	357·1	369·3
Unclassifiable industry and trade	121·2	125·2	107·9	113·0	133·6	130·4	131·8	139·8	173·1	214·5	245·4
Stockbrokers(³)	6·4	5·4	6·4	13·3	12·7	10·7	14·2	9·8	16·9	18·4	15·1
Hire purchase finance companies	200·2	177·6	179·1	15·1	38·6	28·7	31·4	32·0	89·1	138·6	138·6
Other financial				178·0	177·0	175·1	188·1	178·5	235·9	313·5	335·4
Local government authorities	91·7	78·0	78·3	89·0	90·9	80·7	83·0	79·3	92·1	87·9	91·4
Churches, charities, hospitals, etc.	12·7	13·2	13·0	12·6	13·6	12·7	13·0	13·8	16·5	17·9	18·8
Personal and professional	434·3	402·2	366·7	374·3	389·1	331·9	324·0	340·7	512·1	672·8	691·3
Entertainment	28·4	25·4	21·7	21·1	21·5	20·0	19·9	21·4	26·4	26·6	28·8

(¹) Averages of figures for February, May, August and November of each year of advances made by members banks of the British Bankers' Association through offices in Great Britain.

(²) Of which the average total for the London clearing banks only was £2,406·0 million in 1959, £3,011·6 million in 1960 and £3,286·9 million in 1961.

(³) Including, from 1954, certain short-term lendings (£3·5 million in 1954) previously not incorporated in this analysis.

Source: British Bankers' Association

Currency circulation

TABLE 336

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Notes and coin outstanding											
Total	1,617	1,717	1,824	1,925	2,068	2,199	2,301	2,379	2,454	2,571	2,676
Bank of England notes(1)	1,383·0	1,475·8	1,570·5	1,662·4	1,795·1	1,911·4	1,998·4	2,068·3	2,140·7	2,250·8	2,341·2
Scottish bank notes(2)	74·1	81·2	90·0	95·5	101·8	109·0	116·8	119·4	120·5	124·9	128·0
Northern Irish bank notes(2)	9·2	8·9	8·2	8·3	8·4	9·5	9·9	9·4	8·9	8·7	8·5
Estimated coin(3)	151	151	155	159	163	169	176	182	184	187	198
Held by banks											
Bank of England(1)(3)	41·5	42·2	40·8	34·5	37·5	38·4	34·5	35·6	37·1	41·0	35·8
Scottish banks(2)	77·7	85·3	94·4	100·3	107·0	114·4	122·0	124·9	126·6	131·4	135·4
Northern Irish banks(2)	8·9	8·8	8·4	8·6	8·8	9·7	10·1	9·9	9·5	9·4	9·7
London clearing banks(1)	197·5	210·8	218·3	230·2	257·6	271·1	292·6	303·9	312·1	326·7	344·5
Average estimated circulation with the public	1,291	1,370	1,462	1,551	1,657	1,765	1,842	1,905	1,969	2,062	2,151
Index 1954=100	*83·2*	*88·3*	*94·3*	*100·0*	*106·8*	*113·8*	*118·8*	*122·8*	*127·0*	*133·0*	*138·7*

(1) Average of Wednesdays.
(2) Average of Saturdays in the thirteen four-week periods as published in *The London Gazette* or in *The Belfast Gazette*, with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar year.
(3) Excluding coin in the Bank of England Issue Department.

Source: Bank of England

Securities quoted on the London Stock Exchange

TABLE 337

At last working day in March(1)

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total of all securities at market values	25,443	27,130	30,503	33,796	33,634	35,795	33,102	39,020	45,068	50,951	50,224
British Government and government guaranteed stocks(1):											
Nominal values	16,349	16,799	17,402	17,582	18,338	18,676	18,623	18,203	18,175	19,214	18,588
Market values	13,881	14,783	16,019	15,533	14,678	15,157	14,485	14,778	14,287	14,900	14,251
Other securities at market values:											
Corporation stocks, public boards, etc.	521	569	609	631	521	593	584	661	686	716	777
Dominion and foreign government and corporation stocks	820	870	988	986	938	943	892	993	946	886	836
Company securities:											
Total	10,221	10,908	12,887	16,646	17,497	19,102	17,141	22,588	29,149	34,450	34,359
Loan capital	..	..	850	931	842	898	976	1,133	1,226	1,287	1,477
Preference and preferred capital	..	..	1,495	1,530	1,360	1,299	1,206	1,269	1,356	1,281	1,273
Ordinary and deferred capital	..	..	9,642	12,792	13,426	14,992	13,579	18,618	25,045	30,046	29,845
Shares of no par value	829	796	900	1,394	1,869	1,913	1,379	1,568	1,522	1,835	1,764

(1) Excluding marketable unquoted securities; including all outstanding amounts of 4% Victory Bonds and 4% Funding Loan, 1960-90 (that is, amounts tendered for death duties and held by the National Debt Commissioners are included).

Source: Council of the Stock Exchange

Security prices and yields

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	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
British government securities(1)											
Short-dated(2):											
Average net price	98·2	96·3(2)	99·3	92·4(2)	91·2	97·4(2)	99·2	95·8(2)	96·8(2)	96·8	
Average redemption yield	2·98	3·03(2)	2·61	3·81(2)	4·67	5·15(2)	4·75	4·16(2)	5·44(2)	5·71	
Medium-dated(2):											
Average net price	..	..	98·3	90·9	78·3(2)	80·0	80·8	85·0(2)	82·2	90·2(2)	
Average redemption yield	..	..	3·19	4·11	5·14(2)	5·11	5·25	5·09(2)	5·78	6·33(2)	
Long-dated(2):											
Average net price	81·7	86·1	91·9	83·3	74·2	71·9	72·1	77·8(2)	72·8	68·9	
Average redemption yield	4·25	3·95	3·55	4·24	5·13	5·46	5·54	5·23(2)	5·77	6·27	
2½% Consols:											
Average net price	59·1	61·3	66·6	60·0	52·8	50·2	50·2	51·8	46·1	40·3	
Average flat yield	4·23	4·08	3·75	4·17	4·73	4·98	4·98	4·82	5·42	6·20	
January	4·09	4·26	3·90	3·83	4·53	4·60	5·27	4·73	5·15	5·75	6·52
February	4·12	4·25	3·91	3·98	4·61	4·58	5·18	4·72	5·16	5·84	6·27
March	4·21	4·17	3·89	3·99	4·65	4·63	5·13	4·82	5·28	5·87	6·21
April	4·15	4·16	3·80	3·98	4·61	4·68	4·96	4·83	5·35	5·95	6·19
May	4·27	4·12	3·72	4·11	4·66	4·83	5·03	4·87	5·33	5·98	6·15
June	4·42	4·08	3·78	4·15	4·74	4·94	4·97	4·83	5·55	6·24	6·19
July	4·43	4·13	3·69	4·18	4·79	5·06	4·95	4·74	5·64	6·49	5·98
August	4·30	4·12	3·66	4·34	4·80	5·09	4·89	4·76	5·60	6·59	5·86
September	4·19	4·00	3·66	4·48	4·86	5·32	4·87	4·85	5·48	6·47	5·61
October	4·27	3·93	3·66	4·30	4·79	5·44	4·77	4·93	5·52	6·40	
November	4·16	3·88	3·64	4·38	4·93	5·48	4·89	4·83	5·44	6·43	
December	4·21	3·89	3·76	4·39	4·90	5·41	4·89	4·99	5·63	6·56	
Industrial securities(3)											
Debentures:											
Price index	80·2	84·0	90·0	82·3	72·3	67·3	105·1	108·2	102·9	91·7	
Average yield	5·14	4·90	4·57	5·01	5·68	6·12	6·16	5·98	6·30	7·07	
Preference shares:											
Price index	84·7	88·5	93·9	86·3	76·3	72·4	100·9	104·7	100·5	88·5	
Average yield	5·36	5·13	4·84	5·29	5·99	6·33	6·31	6·08	6·34	7·24	
Ordinary shares:											
Price index	93·8	104·1	135·8	154·7	143·5	151·3	110·6	151·1	183·9	189·1	
Average yield	6·46	6·06	5·40	5·43	6·25	6·27	6·23	4·83	4·60	5·12	
January	6·18	6·22	5·65	5·02	5·90	6·09	6·88	5·36	4·00	4·81	5·59
February	6·24	6·03	5·60	5·45	6·25	6·14	7·25	5·27	4·12	4·63	5·43
March	6·53	5·94	5·73	5·58	6·31	6·16	6·85	5·27	4·18	4·47	5·65
April	6·30	6·14	5·61	5·55	5·90	5·86	6·60	5·10	4·55	4·50	5·48
May	6·83	6·44	5·51	5·29	6·20	5·86	6·60	4·94	4·60	4·64	5·95
June	7·05	6·42	5·56	5·10	6·25	5·85	6·28	4·97	4·80	5·07	6·05
July	6·63	6·25	5·48	5·07	6·27	5·85	6·25	5·09	4·87	5·21	5·82
August	6·35	6·08	5·20	5·45	6·17	6·00	5·91	4·69	4·69	5·44	5·43
September	6·37	5·92	5·14	5·52	6·22	6·56	5·72	4·81	4·73	5·57	5·57
October	6·35	5·79	4·96	5·75	6·31	6·96	5·57	4·23	4·73	5·74	
November	6·36	5·72	5·15	5·73	6·76	6·89	5·56	4·19	4·99	5·73	
December	6·29	5·76	5·24	5·64	6·48	7·02	5·25	3·98	4·99	5·63	

Source: Bank of England and Actuaries' Investment Index

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(1) Average of working days, excluding gross accrued interest and ignoring tax. In calculating the yields on securities with more than one maturity date, redemption is assumed at the latest date.

(2) Representative securities changed from time to time:— *Short-dated (about 4 years)* 2½% Exchequer stock, 1955 in 1952; 2½% Funding loan, 1956-61 in 1953 and 1954; 2% Exchequer stock, 1960 in 1955 and 1956; 4½% Conversion stock, 1962 in 1957 and 1958; 3% Exchequer stock 1962-63 in 1959; 4½% Conversion stock 1964 in 1960 and 1961. *Medium-dated (8 to 10 years)* 3% Savings bonds, 1955–65 in 1954 and 1955; 2½% Savings bonds, 1964-67 in 1956 to 1958; 3% Funding stock 1966-68 in 1959 and 1960; 5% Conversion stock, 1971 in 1961. *Long-dated (15-25 years)* 3% Savings bonds, 1965-75 in 1952 to 1958; 3½% Treasury stock, 1979-81 in 1959 to 1961.

(3) Calculated from prices on the last Tuesday of each month.
Yields are based on gross market prices without deduction of accrued interest for ordinary shares, but calculated after deduction of accrued interest for debentures and preference shares. The yields of fixed interest stocks have been calculated without allowance for redemption. Income tax is ignored in calculating the yields. Annual figures are arithmetic means of monthly figures.
Price indices up to 1957 are based on 29 December 1950=100. From 1958 they are calculated on a revised base, 31 December 1957=100. Annual figures are geometric means of monthly figures. The yields from preference and ordinary shares from 1958 are not strictly comparable with those for earlier years.

Money and bill rates

Bank rate and call money(¹)

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Rate per cent.

		Bank rate	Call money
1951	1 January—7 November	2·0	·5
	8 November—31 December	2·5	·75
1952	1 January—11 March	2·5	·75
	12 March—31 December	4·0	2·0
1953	1 January—16 September	4·0	2·0
	17 September—31 December	3·5	1·75
1954	1 January—12 May	3·5	1·75
	13 May—31 December	3·0	1·25
1955	1 January—26 January	3·0	1·25
	27 January—23 February	3·5	1·75
	24 February—31 December	4·5	2·75
1956	1 January—15 February	4·5	2·75
	16 February—31 December	5·5	3·75
1957	1 January—6 February	5·5	3·75
	7 February—18 September	5·0	3·25
	19 September—31 December	7·0	5·25
1958	1 January—19 March	7·0	5·25
	20 March—21 May	6·0	4·25
	22 May—18 June	5·5	3·75
	19 June—13 August	5·0	3·25
	14 August—19 November	4·5	2·75
	20 November—31 December	4·0	2·375
1959	1 January—31 December	4·0	2·375
1960	1 January—20 January	4·0	2·375
	21 January—22 June	5·0	3·375
	23 June—26 October	6·0	4·375
	27 October—7 December	5·5	3·875
	8 December—31 December	5·0	3·375
1961	1 January—25 July	5·0	3·375
	26 July—4 October	7·0	5·375
	5 October—1 November	6·5	4·875
	2 November—31 December	6·0	4·375
1962	1 January—7 March	6·0	4·375
	8 March—21 March	5·5	3·875
	22 March—25 April	5·0	3·375
	26 April—	4·5	2·875

Bills

Rate per cent.

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Three months' prime bank bills(²)												
January	·69	1·50	3·00	2·19	2·02	4·22	4·84	6·51	3·28	4·14	4·44	5·65
February	·69	1·50	3·00	2·15	2·58	4·77	4·44	6·17	3·23	4·69	4·48	5·65
March	·69	2·48	3·00	2·16	3·81	5·34	4·25	5·96	3·41	4·74	4·61	5·13
April	·69	3·00	3·00	2·17	3·83	5·27	4·18	5·47	3·40	4·80	4·63	4·50
May	·69	3·00	3·00	1·89	3·94	5·14	4·04	5·24	3·44	4·76	4·55	4·14
June	·69	3·00	3·00	1·66	3·99	5·20	4·08	4·64	3 54	5·03	4·64	3·99
July	·93	3·00	3·00	1·60	4·00	5·10	4·06	4·31	3·57	5·76	5·10	4·09
August	1·00	3·00	3·00	1·61	4·06	5·08	4·17	3·98	3·60	5·75	6·91	4·02
September	1·00	3·00	2·67	1·64	4·15	5·17	5·40	3·82	3·59	5·71	6·84	3·93
October	1·00	3·00	2·19	1·62	4·16	5·15	6·81	3·79	3·58	5·62	6·32	
November	1·38	3·00	2·19	1·62	4·21	5·08	6·77	3·67	3·55	4·98	5·67	
December	1·50	3·00	2·19	1·78	4·22	5·07	6·67	3·34	3·72	4·63	5·61	
Treasury bills(³)												
January	·512	·971	2·392	2·120	2·047	4·070	4·702	6·277	3·125	4·053	4·250	5·352
February	·514	·995	2·420	2·065	2·710	4·667	4·299	6·024	3·098	4·548	4·317	5·417
March	·512	2·010	2·400	2·102	3·796	5·179	4·075	5·775	3·296	4·590	4·478	4·862
April	·511	2·350	2·409	2·090	3·803	5·109	4·014	5·286	3·253	4·646	4 455	4·258
May	·514	2·374	2·379	1·789	3·918	4·952	3·845	5·014	3·333	4·584	4·386	3·935
June	·512	2·426	2·368	1·613	3·968	5·056	3·871	4·459	3·445	4·889	4·495	3·803
July	·512	2·463	2·353	1·574	3·970	5·011	3·846	4·149	3·456	5·581	5·121	3·902
August	·512	2·458	2·358	1·596	4·004	5·026	3·977	3·811	3 485	5·582	6·714	3·783
September	·514	2·485	2·271	1·632	4·070	5·108	5·439	3·649	3·483	5·534	6·604	3·688
October	·512	2·430	2·112	1·595	4·071	5·046	6·603	3·651	3·436	5·372	5·948	
November	·823	2·384	2·096	1·603	4·102	5·006	6·538	3·469	3·389	4·745	5·407	
December	·980	2·409	2·108	1·786	4·087	4·934	6·430	3·164	3·613	4·436	5·354	

Source: Bank of England

(¹) Clearing banks' minimum rate of interest charged for loans to the discount market.
(²) Discount market buying rate as quoted in *The Times*—average of working days.
(³) Weighted averages of discount rates at the weekly allotments of 91 day bills.

National savings(1)

Receipts, repayments and interest

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Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1951/52	1952/53	1953/54	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Receipts:											
Total	930·9	982·7	1,031·8	1,166·7	1,239·6	1,673·8	1,485·4	1,868·3	1,832·3	1,882·4	1,859·1
National savings certificates	155·5	160·8	155·4	182·8	181·3	335·2	211·7	358·4	244·3	234·2	173·9
Defence bonds	57·0	72·5	64·7	95·6	80·1	131·5	60·0	232·9	217·0	182·7	112·0
Post Office Savings Bank	341·9	346·2	352·6	374·8	408·5	455·1	455·1	454·4	505·7	510·8	532·4
Trustee savings banks:											
Ordinary departments	358·8	381·4	403·0	450·5	491·9	591·7	596·4	665·3	710·9	764·9	823·8
Special investment departments	17·7	21·8	56·1	63·0	77·8	93·7	75·6	77·0	96·2	111·4	145·4
Premium savings bonds (2)	—	—	—	—	—	66·6	86·6	80·3	58·2	78·4	71·6
Repayments:											
Total	1,099·3	1,187·3	1,170·7	1,175·9	1,381·3	1,680·1	1,598·9	1,688·5	1,594·6	1,702·8	1,847·8
National savings certificates:											
Principal	139·5	138·0	136·4	136·8	161·6	261·1	231·8	228·2	177·8	179·5	190·0
Accrued interest	37·1	39·6	40·5	42·1	51·7	94·5	81·8	86·8	63·6	63·9	66·1
Defence bonds											
Before maturity	71·4	83·2	64·4	44·5	58·6	127·0	82·5	115·0	69·9	77·2	90·3
On maturity	42·6	45·5	38·4	28·8	50·8	39·3	17·5	10·0	1·7	1·5	5·6
Post Office Savings Bank	438·0	463·1	440·2	433·8	485·9	495·8	519·0	506·4	505·2	523·9	548·6
Trustee savings banks:											
Ordinary departments	353·6	400·4	431·3	462·3	532·8	605·1	602·0	668·2	691·1	761·9	830·1
Special investment departments	17·1	17·5	19·5	27·6	39·9	57·0	59·0	61·7	64·6	72·8	87·6
Premium savings bonds	—	—	—	—	—	0·3	5·3	12·2	20·7	22·1	29·5
Interest accruing:											
On national savings certificates (estimated)	64·1	60·2	63·0	64·0	64·2	66·4	62·3	65·7	71·4	77·4	82·6
Credited to accounts in:											
Post Office Savings Bank	46·0	44·5	42·7	41·9	42·8	40·3	39·0	39·8	40·0	41·0	41·7
Trustee savings banks:											
Ordinary departments	18·9	20·0	19·5	20·0	19·6	20·1	19·5	19·5	19·8	20·8	21·6
Special investment departments	2·8	3·2	3·9	5·0	7·8	9·5	11·3	12·7	14·3	17·0	20·6

Amounts remaining invested

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Total (3)	6,094·3	6,020·9	6,008·7	6,126·2	6,123·6	6,253·7	6,273·3	6,585·8	6,964·7	7,300·9	7,481·2
National savings certificates:											
Principal	1,725·7	1,748·6	1,767·6	1,813·6	1,833·3	1,907·4	1,887·3	2,017·5	2,084·0	2,138·7	2,122·6
Accrued interest (estimated)	487·0	507·6	530·1	552·0	564·5	534·6	515·1	494·0	501·8	515·3	531·8
Defence bonds	877·2	821·3	783·2	806·2	776·9	742·1	702·1	810·0	955·4	1,059·4	1,075·5
Other securities on the Post Office register(4)	190·6	191·2	189·9	184·9	189·5	189·9	190·9	185·9	181·6	182·0	184·5
Post Office Savings Bank(5)	1,872·5	1,802·3	1,756·3	1,739·3	1,704·7	1,705·7	1,680·8	1,668·6	1,709·1	1,737·0	1,762·5
Trustee savings banks(5):											
Ordinary departments	823·5	824·4	815·8	823·5	802·3	809·0	822·9	839·5	879·1	902·9	918·2
Special investment departments	117·8	125·5	165·8	206·7	252·4	298·6	326·5	354·5	400·4	456·0	534·4
Premium savings bonds	—	—	—	—	—	66·4	147·7	215·8	253·3	309·6	351·7

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(1) The figures for the Post Office Savings Bank include Service release benefits and withdrawals from Service release benefit accounts.

(2) Started November 1956.

(3) Including securities on the Post Office register, which (except for Defence bonds) do not appear in the upper part of the table.

(4) Nominal value held (Post Office and Trustee Savings Banks sections).

(5) Including accrued interest to date.

Source: National Savings Committee, General Post Office and National Debt Office

Life assurance

Ordinary business

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£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Companies established in Great Britain											
All business :											
Income:											
Total	260,787	297,930	324,204	353,290	393,796	436,676	469,943	523,248	582,155	654,284	730,170
Premiums	188,560	212,604	234,197	253,453	278,625	305,565	328,728	355,408	387,480	422,884	460,514
Consideration for annuities	15,340	19,786	19,412	21,279	22,214	25,435	28,670	41,510	50,818	55,601	71,781
Interest, etc. (*less* tax)	55,518	62,356	68,658	76,177	85,926	97,857	110,022	123,287	139,385	163,156	189,553
Miscellaneous	1,369	3,184	1,937	2,381	7,031	7,819	2,523	3,043	4,472	12,642	8,322
Outgoings:											
Total	158,948	186,434	196,854	188,859	199,054	225,738	274,173	283,800	292,570	309,138	335,692
Claims paid and outstanding	92,456	93,574	96,869	100,418	104,641	116,480	129,919	132,798	144,274	144,865	152,173
Surrenders	17,903	21,515	26,027	30,029	31,301	33,647	40,398	46,757	47,992	49,839	58,479
Annuities	12,391	13,052	14,126	14,659	15,696	17,202	19,052	21,315	26,911	32,689	36,650
Cash bonuses and reduction of premiums	1,391	1,549	1,101	1,458	1,203	1,625	2,704	1,696	2,604	4,309	4,736
Commission	9,569	11,093	11,794	12,604	13,846	15,307	16,347	18,055	19,952	21,719	24,371
Expenses of management and transfers to staff pension funds	17,362	19,918	21,757	23,125	24,679	28,069	31,245	34,972	38,394	41,220	46,816
Shareholders' surplus and transfers to profit and loss account	1,490	2,824	1,868	2,157	3,717	1,830	4,719	3,280	2,064	4,928	3,210
Miscellaneous, including transfers to investment reserve, etc.	6,386	22,909	23,312	4,409	3,971	11,578	29,789	24,927	10,379	9,571	9,257
Life and annuity funds at end of year	1,674,604	1,786,628	1,913,979	2,078,309	2,273,051	2,484,408	2,681,031	2,906,724	3,211,448	3,556,593	3,951,064
Business within the United Kingdom:											
Income:											
Premiums	168,657	190,029	207,848	223,908	244,261	267,295	290,045	312,764	338,267	367,637	399,384
Consideration for annuities	14,526	19,029	18,528	19,920	21,288	24,167	27,474	40,511	49,555	53,728	68,570
Outgoings:											
Claims paid and outstanding	86,023	86,635	89,805	92,496	95,943	107,850	121,222	123,912	134,235	133,973	140,517
Surrenders	15,785	19,028	23,121	26,498	27,367	29,431	35,201	40,990	41,616	42,342	49,481
Annuities	11,741	12,323	13,271	13,698	14,624	15,988	17,702	19,836	25,072	30,692	34,298
Cash bonuses and reduction of premiums	1,250	1,377	941	1,263	968	1,309	2,266	1,049	1,450	1,947	1,524
Commission	7,893	9,125	9,591	10,175	11,129	12,277	13,332	14,505	15,888	17,219	19,366
Companies established out of Great Britain											
All business:											
Income: Total	881,631	629,191	669,275	710,236	800,461	884,965	856,599	946,824	972,596	1,018,207	1,152,880
Outgoings: Total	353,077	385,090	402,333	435,578	484,023	523,736	575,866	614,372	683,526	684,500	603,452
Funds at end of year	3,657,039	3,901,169	4,168,435	4,461,822	4,778,633	5,139,905	5,420,638	5,746,863	6,035,933	6,304,524	7,031,513
Business within the United Kingdom:											
Income:											
Premiums	12,864	14,185	15,419	16,712	17,501	18,835	20,400	22,217	23,949	25,733	28,356
Consideration for annuities	960	1,342	1,701	1,346	1,677	1,656	1,572	1,711	1,774	2,276	2,138
Outgoings:											
Claims paid and outstanding	7,303	6,944	6,588	6,578	7,638	8,447	8,766	8,601	9,192	9,768	10,258
Surrenders	1,420	1,676	2,037	2,204	2,361	2,571	2,672	3,075	3,375	3,260	3,644
Annuities	1,566	1,549	1,636	1,645	1,652	1,746	1,666	1,627	1,655	1,713	1,767
Cash bonuses and reduction of premiums	890	964	1,041	1,145	1,242	1,384	1,616	1,883	2,060	2,251	2,543
Commission	1,555	1,203	1,235	1,305	1,415	1,572	1,782	1,955	2,096	2,414	2,684

Source: Board of Trade

Life assurance

Industrial business

TABLE **341** *(continued)*

£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Companies established in Great Britain											
Income:											
Total	131,072	138,224	144,370	152,705	169,009	172,334	183,171	194,116	207,981	219,051	232,558
Premiums	103,474	108,211	111,972	116,641	120,941	127,408	134,496	140,125	146,559	153,465	160,962
Interest, etc. (gross)	27,395	29,985	32,384	35,547	39,933	44,888	48,655	53,119	58,026	63,870	71,436
Miscellaneous	203	28	14	517	8,134	38	20	872	3,396	1,716	160
Outgoings:											
Total	99,186	116,856	122,684	112,757	115,402	122,555	136,525	158,510	153,210	155,359	160,620
Claims paid and outstanding	49,435	56,026	56,354	57,529	56,974	59,935	67,214	74,422	75,033	75,881	77,427
Surrenders	8,517	9,587	10,359	10,806	11,033	12,642	14,317	16,887	19,515	20,597	21,095
Expenses of management	30,153	33,256	34,478	35,620	36,181	38,694	41,065	43,722	47,043	48,502	50,340
Shareholders' surplus	1,965	1,686	1,738	1,821	1,953	1,975	2,020	2,228	2,536	2,792	2,867
Miscellaneous (including income tax)	9,116	16,301	19,755	6,981	9,262	9,310	11,909	21,251	9,083	7,587	8,892
Industrial assurance funds at end of year	703,000	724,854	746,540	786,488	840,094	889,874	936,519	972,125	1,026,895	1,090,586	1,162,524

Source: Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner

New life assurances (ordinary business)

TABLE **342**

£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Companies established in Great Britain											
All business:											
Number of policies (Thousands)	*642*	*708*	*697*	*699*	*758*	*829*	*825*	*836*	*910*	*991*	*1,080*
Sum assured	580,988	686,192	712,122	749,891	872,916	1,004,893	1,096,656	1,179,021	1,483,222	1,701,774	2,039,393
Single premiums	3,774	3,925	3,788	4,600	5,200	6,144	4,925	4,410	4,790	6,182	6,764
Yearly renewal premiums	22,755	27,710	26,733	26,770	30,885	35,484	35,982	35,816	42,117	47,802	57,100
Business within the United Kingdom:											
Number of policies (Thousands)	*555*	*612*	*599*	*594*	*645*	*707*	*707*	*712*	*780*	*838*	*909*
Sum assured	505,389	592,905	606,918	626,995	734,067	845,215	913,455	966,981	1,208,861	1,377,724	1,626,272
Single premiums	3,272	3,412	3,278	3,869	4,541	5,250	4,177	3,717	4,064	5,276	5,978
Yearly renewal premiums	20,267	24,587	23,489	22,952	26,461	30,563	30,909	30,026	35,797	40,768	49,076
Companies established out of Great Britain											
Business within the United Kingdom:											
Number of policies (Thousands)	*35*	*37*	*37*	*37*	*43*	*48*	*54*	*62*	*68*	*73*	*104*
Sum assured	46,111	48,690	47,620	53,357	61,743	70,241	85,852	100,059	111,224	129,742	161,293
Single premiums	81	184	79	307	122	181	127	149	144	99	102
Yearly renewal premiums	1,811	2,325	1,801	1,929	2,108	2,355	2,625	2,926	3,096	3,335	3,965

Source: Board of Trade

Life assurances in force (ordinary business)(¹)

Companies established within Great Britain

TABLE 343

Number of assurances or annuities

Thousands

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Policies without profits											
Total	2,018	2,177	2,267	2,334	2,471	2,674	2,786	2,869	3,001	3,175	3,403
Whole life	441	451	455	467	478	510	528	538	561	577	570
Endowments and endowment assurances	1,144	1,272	1,353	1,375	1,443	1,534	1,590	1,638	1,672	1,713	1,831
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	5	6	6	6	5	5	6	6	6	5	6
Other	428	448	454	486	545	625	662	688	762	879	995
Policies with profits											
Total	5,499	5,565	5,652	5,672	5,717	5,851	5,815	5,862	5,952	6,088	6,310
Whole life	603	610	625	632	638	664	669	682	696	731	763
Endowments and endowment assurances	4,819	4,879	4,951	4,951	4,992	5,105	5,062	5,096	5,173	5,275	5,464
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	41	40	35	33	32	28	27	27	25	24	21
Other	36	36	41	56	55	54	57	57	58	59	62
Annuities											
Immediate	143	150	152	153	156	157	161	154	162	168	183
Deferred	729	820	872	910	966	1,044	1,111	635	794	835	881

Sum assured or annuity per annum

£ million

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Policies without profits											
Total	1,617·4	1,990·7	2,143·5	2,341·5	2,733·8	3,142·5	3,474·5	3,924·3	4,271·3	5,085·1	6,036·0
Whole life	326·0	349·3	362·1	383·2	410·8	465·7	497·2	521·1	576·5	620·6	681·8
Endowments and endowment assurances	611·4	803·7	888·5	945·0	1,145·5	1,326·0	1,445·2	1,586·8	1,674·9	1,877·2	2,116·5
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	3·2	3·6	3·7	3·8	4·2	4·8	5·1	5·2	5·3	5·4	7·0
Other	676·8	834·1	889·2	1,009·5	1,173·3	1,346·0	1,526·9	1,811·2	2,014·6	2,581·7	3,230·8
Policies with profits											
Total	2,220·5	2,352·0	2,512·7	2,612·0	2,750·7	3,053·0	3,172·0	3,384·6	3,744·3	4,062·0	4,611·6
Whole life	417·4	441·3	473·4	501·2	529·4	588·5	627·2	680·0	769·0	860·6	963·0
Endowments and endowment assurances	1,726·1	1,832·8	1,932·5	1,995·3	2,105·7	2,310·3	2,386·6	2,545·2	2,760·4	2,985·2	3,379·7
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	9·3	9·4	8·9	8·8	8·7	9·0	9·1	9·3	9·1	9·9	10·2
Other	67·7	68·5	97·9	106·7	106·9	145·2	149·1	150·1	205·8	206·1	258·6
Annuities											
Immediate	11·4	12·9	13·8	14·7	15·6	16·7	18·0	20·7	24·6	29·0	34·7
Deferred	80·5	130·8	150·8	175·0	192·3	232·5	262·1	275·7	349·8	382·9	451·5

(¹) The figures for each year show the total number and amount of the policies in force at the date of the last valuation of each company, which may have been at any time within the preceding five years. In the case of policies with profits the "sum assured" includes reversionary bonuses in force at the date of valuation but excludes any further bonuses allotted as a result of that valuation.

Source: Board of Trade

Insurance business other than life

Companies established within Great Britain

TABLE 344

£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Accident insurance business											
Income:											
Funds at beginning of year	9,663	9,843	10,749	11,873	14,110	14,767	16,803	17,704	19,332	20,913	22,404
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	10,466	12,965	14,516	16,646	17,642	19,043	21,599	23,542	25,956	28,606	31,598
Interest (*less* tax)	61	80	87	81	123	128	143	150	162	186	213
Miscellaneous(1)	39	23	39	582	160	128	142	308	441	505	237
Outgoings	20,229	22,911	25,392	29,182	32,035	34,066	38,687	41,704	45,889	50,209	54,453
Payments under policies(2)	4,642	5,413	6,358	7,551	8,363	9,027	10,362	11,518	13,262	14,385	15,768
Commission	2,360	2,668	3,032	3,388	3,559	3,852	4,295	4,668	4,999	5,547	5,986
Expenses of management	1,989	2,304	2,561	2,884	3,162	3,482	3,998	4,323	4,773	5,245	5,833
Miscellaneous(1)	1,398	1,772	1,571	1,446	2,174	1,872	2,325	1,840	1,948	2,598	2,232
Funds at end of year:											
Unexpired risks	4,503	4,638	5,205	6,010	6,363	6,834	7,738	8,360	9,290	10,308	11,419
Estimate for outstanding claims	2,287	2,624	2,963	4,016	4,298	4,715	5,378	6,146	6,390	6,697	7,349
Additional reserve	3,050	3,492	3,702	3,887	4,116	4,284	4,591	4,851	5,227	5,428	5,866
Capital redemption, sinking fund, etc., business											
Income:											
Funds at beginning of year	58,692	62,962	67,745	69,839	71,655	75,313	76,487	74,011	69,784	65,554	60,965
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	2,145	2,038	1,799	1,830	2,026	2,059	2,009	2,149	2,072	2,131	2,219
Consideration for annuities certain	6,120	7,576	4,995	5,728	7,598	5,807	3,068	928	944	1,615	1,728
Interest (*less* tax)	1,982	2,262	2,319	2,547	2,679	2,878	2,945	2,857	2,801	2,720	2,577
Miscellaneous(1)	22	144	18	32	183	164	41	42	7	34	74
Outgoings	68,961	74,981	76,877	79,976	84,140	86,221	84,550	79,987	75,609	72,055	67,563
Claims, maturities and surrenders	2,492	2,596	2,372	2,912	2,952	2,751	3,598	3,331	3,065	4,921	4,506
Annuities certain	2,978	3,588	4,183	4,558	5,049	5,603	5,941	5,810	5,498	5,217	4,852
Commission	74	98	68	67	96	76	52	30	30	37	55
Expenses of management	250	288	321	342	398	395	380	355	351	328	304
Miscellaneous(1)	373	666	403	442	332	909	568	741	1,111	586	762
Funds at end of year	62,794	67,745	69,530	71,655	75,313	76,487	74,011	69,721	65,554	60,965	57,084
Fire insurance business											
Income:											
Funds at beginning of year	97,901	108,563	118,906	126,095	129,147	129,271	156,018	162,706	167,685	169,557	175,856
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	168,477	190,520	202,660	205,500	209,868	218,914	249,759	260,532	266,375	277,876	286,724
Interest (*less* tax)	153	162	202	246	282	289	307	334	440	387	355
Miscellaneous(1)	3,854	2,478	482	703	454	676	2,489	3,308	1,641	2,555	2,190
Outgoings	270,385	301,723	322,250	332,544	339,751	349,150	408,573	426,879	436,140	450,376	465,125
Claims paid and outstanding	72,292	79,394	87,264	93,382	100,615	102,021	123,120	133,574	132,210	139,242	148,370
Commission	37,457	41,910	44,965	45,932	47,141	49,048	57,870	59,458	60,823	62,640	63,753
Expenses of management	31,635	36,181	39,863	41,939	43,767	46,492	53,311	55,270	57,213	58,724	60,416
Miscellaneous(1)	20,346	25,512	24,456	22,367	19,413	15,460	11,651	10,972	16,283	14,658	12,036
Funds at end of year:											
Unexpired risks	72,434	82,191	86,895	89,083	90,929	95,128	107,691	112,466	114,469	124,270	127,621
Additional reserve	36,221	36,535	38,807	39,841	37,886	41,001	54,930	55,139	55,142	50,841	52,929

(1) Including transfers to or from profit and loss account.
(2) Including medical and legal expenses.

Source: Board of Trade

Insurance business other than life

Companies established within Great Britain

TABLE 344 (*continued*)

£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Marine, aviation and transit insurance business											
Income:											
Funds at beginning of year	82,151	88,455	96,017	101,401	101,967	102,268	105,560	105,989	109,033	110,860	115,435
Premiums (*less* commission and re-insurances)	58,367	67,991	73,049	66,496	63,126	65,448	69,478	77,617	78,098	80,440	84,545
Interest (*less* tax) Miscellaneous(1)	989	839	905	1,230	1,044	648	740	691	1,007	958	1,043
Outgoings	141,507	157,285	169,971	169,127	166,138	168,364	175,778	184,298	188,138	192,257	201,022
Claims	40,074	47,317	54,982	54,973	49,240	49,251	54,602	60,124	64,549	63.892	61,280
Expenses of management	4,615	5,240	5,723	5,736	6,098	6,647	7,217	7,642	7,683	7,762	8,009
Miscellaneous(1)	8,271	9,302	8,247	6,831	8,530	9,329	7,967	7,264	5,056	5,168	7,004
Funds at end of year	88,547	95,426	101,019	101,587	102,270	103,137	105,992	109,267	110,850	115,435	124,729
Motor vehicle insurance business											
Income:											
Funds at beginning of year	39,047	43,682	50,532	59,782	66,039	70,198	80,100	87,908	101,206	111,605	118,122
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	102,708	119,420	142,156	155,279	165,126	180,505	210,138	240,132	266.698	283,823	307,538
Interest (*less* tax)	143	103	258	162	167	203	222	251	289	347	390
Miscellaneous(1)	1,744	6,235	4,167	980	970	4,960	13,146	13,818	11,439	4,907	6,674
Outgoings	143,642	169,441	197,113	216,203	232,302	255,866	303,606	342,108	379,632	400,681	432,724
Claims paid and outstanding	61,406	76,319	86,355	91,672	99,870	113,751	141,266	156,244	175,314	182,973	199,970
Commission	18,492	21,705	25,861	27,725	29,144	31,606	36,702	41,757	44,828	46,585	48,140
Expenses of management	17,323	19,635	22,864	24,630	26,716	29,880	35,418	40,323	44,630	47,752	51,439
Miscellaneous(1)	2,843	1,403	2,317	6,949	7,028	4,740	2,402	3,205	3,201	5,086	5,186
Funds at end of year:											
Unexpired risks	40,939	47,726	56,789	61,915	66,027	72,341	83,985	96,198	106,931	113,440	122,995
Additional reserve	2,639	2,653	2,926	3,312	3,517	3,548	3,833	4,382	4,728	4,846	4,994
Miscellaneous insurance business(2)											
Income:											
Funds at beginning of year	57,603	59,379	55,780	62,180	68,416	74,144	83,433	89,767	96,226	100,425	106,513
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	85,782	97,064	111,569	122,494	131,345	139,801	162,296	177,682	184,025	194,897	208,684
Interest (*less* tax)	181	212	220	766	294	361	420	458	358	414	465
Miscellaneous(1)	857	1,707	888	531	822	972	2,544	2,924	3,098	3,518	3,344
Outgoings	144,423	158,361	168,457	185,971	200,877	215,278	248,693	270,831	283,707	299,254	319,004
Claims paid and outstanding	44,993	52,149	59,166	66,031	70,271	74,247	88,733	99,095	106,847	112,866	121,133
Commission	14,805	16,808	19,373	20,937	22,445	23,917	28,069	30,717	31,671	33,783	35,681
Expenses of management	15,494	17,217	19,266	20,943	22,484	24,578	29,180	31,735	32,543	33,817	36,291
Miscellaneous(1)	9,520	8,863	8,473	9,695	12,090	12,948	12,974	12,892	12,356	12,146	12,420
Funds at end of year:											
Unexpired risks	44,428	48,709	45,820	50,355	54,261	58,785	67,496	73,576	76,623	81,453	86,954
Additional reserve	15,183	14,615	16,358	18,010	19,326	20,803	22,241	22,815	23,667	25,190	26,525

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(1) Including transfers to or from profit and loss account.
(2) Including employers' liability insurance.

Source: Board of Trade

Balance sheets

Assurance companies (life and other) established within Great Britain

TABLE **345**

£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Liabilities											
Total	3,370,295	3,589,682	3,809,183	4,086,841	4,436,546	4,822,936	5,206,634	5,579,891	5,998,675	6,554,227	7,155,958
Capital paid up	58,056	59,266	60,955	64,943	82,446	124,236	136,588	151,832	152,731	175,155	191,393
Life and annuity funds(¹)	2,377,604	2,511,482	2,660,519	2,864,797	3,113,146	3,374,281	3,618,417	3,893,829	4,238,343	4,647,180	5,113,588
Other insurance funds	373,284	406,664	431,616	454,017	464,830	492,394	538,308	563,957	582,402	603,358	633,072
General and investment reserve funds	153,101	175,467	186,957	194,862	218,749	235,025	256,508	373,265	276,646	320,057	341,624
Profit and loss	50,116	49,486	54,259	59,603	61,462	63,314	64,437	61,294	64,643	57,126	62,895
Outstanding claims:											
Life	14,514	14,154	13,567	13,298	14,497	14,880	16,273	18,112	19,180	20,301	22,859
General	150,413	168,097	192,165	206,404	232,500	247,656	296,563	331,392	356,304	388,278	426,236
Outstanding accounts, sundry creditors, etc.	193,207	205,066	209,145	228,917	248,916	271,150	279,540	286,209	308,427	342,773	364,291
Assets											
Total	3,370,295	3,589,682	3,809,183	4,086,841	4,436,546	4,822,936	5,206,634	5,579,891	5,998,675	6,554,227	7,155,958
Mortgages	258,454	310,922	362,391	395,864	430,301	505,755	594,274	658,450	715,749	773,650	885,822
Loans on public rates, municipal and county securities, public boards (United Kingdom)	96,816	99,782	98,836	98,468	101,656	109,383	131,246	139,446	161,980	193,427	195,759
Loans on policies and personal security	31,360	34,840	41,557	46,307	49,035	54,617	63,508	70,760	76,779	78,584	84,183
British government securities	1,166,597	1,139,551	1,145,504	1,212,716	1,247,143	1,232,551	1,215,854	1,195,079	1,232,197	1,255,954	1,325,327
Other Commonwealth governments, provincial and municipal securities	146,085	149,835	159,564	169,136	182,704	189,050	188,510	194,352	209,986	232,416	238,971
Foreign governments, provincial and municipal securities	184,926	195,913	209,288	217,237	218,965	222,134	244,024	236,536	234,535	243,266	249,444
Debentures	329,440	372,861	410,499	463,589	542,745	603,526	669,207	762,076	821,892	909,887	977,047
Stocks and shares, preference and guaranteed	256,695	265,883	264,378	279,146	311,839	335,082	347,564	355,076	355,717	365,186	367,841
Stocks and shares, ordinary	373,259	411,787	456,401	506,800	618,787	736,265	826,645	943,406	1,082,357	1,310,769	1,513,524
Land, house property, ground rent, office furniture, etc.	196,767	229,050	256,903	285,744	311,916	376,785	409,008	450,197	499,294	553,730	611,735
Life interests and reversions	6,577	6,539	6,845	7,056	7,053	8,077	7,426	7,423	7,266	7,299	6,976
Agents' balances, outstanding premiums, outstanding interest, accrued interest, etc.	204,910	238,340	251,963	260,405	279,411	312,029	360,486	407,931	440,697	466,324	512,783
Cash and stamps	117,418	133,225	143,543	140,658	131,292	134,496	144,156	148,910	150,168	154,838	178,482
Establishment expenses, purchase of business, etc.	991	1,154	1,511	3,715	3,699	3,186	4,726	10,249	10,059	8,897	8,064

(¹) Including industrial assurance funds.

Source: Board of Trade

Returns of industrial assurances taken up and discontinued

TABLE 346

Great Britain

Thousands

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Industrial assurance companies(¹)										
Paying:										
Assurances taken up during year	4,691	4,690	4,616	4,536	4,502	4,396	4,600	5,034	4,778	4,587
Assurances discontinued during year:										
Claims on death	1,383	1,189	1,203	1,145	1,179	1,146	1,110	1,128	1,092	1,033
Claims on maturity	812	845	805	756	704	764	880	857	813	793
Surrender for cash	1,016	1,098	1,076	1,022	996	1,041	1,229	1,357	1,363	1,343
Conversion to free policies:										
For full sums assured	313	328	348	354	428	400	395	427	558	588
For reduced sums assured	859	841	805	767	700	672	723	750	752	701
Forfeiture without grant of free policy or cash surrender value	878	858	849	810	773	730	764	764	817	786
Assurances in force at end of year	74,891	74,422	73,951	73,634	73,356	73,000	72,499	72,250	71,633	70,976
Free:										
Assurances converted to free policies during year	1,172	1,169	1,153	1,121	1,128	1,072	1,119	1,177	1,309	1,289
Assurances discontinued during year:										
Claims on death	456	395	419	408	443	449	433	468	481	474
Claims on maturity	69	67	69	106	48	49	63	62	54	48
Surrender for cash	728	690	689	663	593	583	569	600	641	589
Assurances in force at end of year	15,047	15,064	15,040	14,984	15,028	15,018	15,072	15,119	15,253	15,432
Collecting societies(²)										
Paying:										
Assurances taken up during year	1,468	1,419	1,400	1,349	1,279	1,276	1,247	1,387	1,301	1,219
Assurances discontinued during year:										
Claims on death	526	464	472	460	471	455	441	434	421	413
Claims on maturity	85	95	93	93	92	111	112	113	104	109
Surrender for cash	199	219	197	195	185	191	237	237	243	244
Conversion to free policies:										
For full sums assured	105	106	108	112	152	123	136	137	150	167
For reduced sums assured	329	338	340	319	318	339	359	376	393	350
Forfeiture without grant of free policy or cash surrender value	304	331	309	281	250	222	218	229	234	215
Assurances in force at end of year	25,813	25,677	25,570	25,453	25,257	25,069	24,812	24,672	24,423	24,142
Free:										
Assurances converted to free policies during year	434	443	448	432	470	462	495	513	543	517
Assurances discontinued during year:										
Claims on death	139	125	135	135	147	149	150	155	164	163
Claims on maturity	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
Surrender for cash	127	133	152	148	232	247	257	271	296	294
Assurances in force at end of year	6,591	6,774	6,941	7,083	7,167	7,228	7,316	7,408	7,488	7,549

(¹) Industrial asssurance companies incorporated in Great Britain.
(²) Collecting societies registered in Great Britain.

Source : Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner

Collecting societies

TABLE 347

Great Britain

£ thousand

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Income:											
Total	35,006	36,363	38,013	39,620	41,671	43,699	45,231	47,528	50,556	52,448	55,819
Premiums	28,242	29,331	30,383	31,409	32,707	34,087	34,950	36,178	37,467	38,939	41,204
Interest	6,722	6,952	7,568	8,114	8,811	9,480	10,192	11,224	12,398	13,345	14,533
Miscellaneous	41	80	62	98	153	133	89	126	691	164	82
Outgoings:											
Total	23,898	25,496	30,631	26,982	27,414	31,827	32,413	33,377	37,136	36,122	38,360
Claims	11,781	13,290	13,238	13,890	14,384	15,138	16,554	17,205	18,255	18,263	19,099
Cash bonuses	114	113	99	112	141	184	193	205	222	280	339
Surrenders	1,660	1,726	1,986	2,057	2,007	2,244	2,462	2,909	3,193	3,385	3,475
Expenses of management	9,423	9,628	10,631	9,969	10,276	11,686	11,135	11,405	12,416	12,652	13,323
Miscellaneous	921	739	4,676	953	606	2,574	2,069	1,654	3,050	1,542	2,124
Funds at end of year	187,646	197,881	205,232	217,863	232,105	243,957	256,767	270,910	284,296	300,625	318,086

Source: Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner

Friendly societies(1)

TABLE 348

Great Britain

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Number of societies, orders and branches(2)	15,226	14,353	13,734	13,172	12,677	12,380	12,048	11,756	11,473	11,210	10,814
Number of members(2) (Thousands)											
Total	6,980	6,794	6,715	6,511	6,442	6,372	6,318	6,227	6,131	6,055	
Societies without branches	5,006	4,931	4,923	4,796	4,788	4,779	4,780	4,739	4,702	4,682	4,622
Orders and branches	1,973	1,863	1,792	1,715	1,654	1,593	1,538	1,488	1,429	1,373	
Benefits paid (£ thousand)											
Sickness pay:											
Total	5,425	5,573	5,091	5,345	5,053	5,099	5,083	5,277	5,336	5,499	
Societies without branches	3,326	3,483	3,202	3,420	3,230	3,305	3,352	3,573	3,686	3,865	3,812
Orders and branches	2,098	2,090	1,889	1,925	1,823	1,794	1,731	1,704	1,650	1,634	
Sums at death:											
Total	1,846	1,997	1,828	1,915	1,869	1,942	2,000	1,950	2,057	2,058	
Societies without branches	1,270	1,381	1,273	1,355	1,335	1,393	1,461	1,447	1,529	1,549	1,559
Orders and branches	576	616	555	561	534	549	539	503	528	509	
Other benefits:											
Societies without branches	7,782	7,636	7,616	8,018	8,346	8,493	9,037	9,389	9,605	10,073	10,218
Total funds(2) (£ thousand)	209,770	212,238	216,519	220,884	224,452	225,955	231,780	233,700	238,041	243,710	

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

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(1) Excluding collecting societies.
(2) At end of year.

Building societies(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 349

Number and balance sheets

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961(2)
Societies on register (Number)	807	796	782	777	783	773	775	744	732	726	706
Share investors (Thousands)	2,359	2,471	2,619	2,802	3,019	3,234	3,424	3,608	3,817	3,910	4,120
Depositors (Thousands)	624	603	594	591	579	573	572	579	570	571	570
Borrowers (Thousands)	1,579	1,654	1,754	1,879	1,981	2,039	2,091	2,149	2,246	2,349	2,425
Liabilities and provisions (£ million):											
Total	1,282·9	1,400·7	1,559·3	1,777·2	1,969·6	2,128·7	2,306·7	2,504·5	2,779·5	3,027·1	3,283·2
Shares	1,057·0	1,186·1	1,338·4	1,535·1	1,732·3	1,909·3	2,085·0	2,268·6	2,523·0	2,720·9	2,920·6
Deposits	208·1	197·5	202·7	222·1	216·5	193·5	189·0	198·5	213·8	222·1	225·6
H.M. Government advances	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6·1	43·4	89·6
Other	17·8	17·2	18·2	20·0	20·9	25·9	32·7	37·4	36·6	40·7	47·4
Balance of profit and reserves (£ million)	74·1	77·4	83·3	90·1	95·7	101·4	107·8	116·8	127·7	139·3	153·2
Assets (£ million):											
Total	1,357·0	1,478·1	1,642·6	1,867·4	2,065·4	2,230·0	2,414·6	2,621·3	2,907·1	3,166·4	3,436·5
Mortgages	1,158·2	1,263·1	1,396·2	1,573·5	1,751·9	1,878·6	2,032·4	2,178·5	2,406·1	2,647·5	2,870·4
Investments	145·5	158·4	184·2	221·5	240·2	275·5	304·7	351·0	398·2	414·7	455·5
Cash	40·0	44·2	49·9	57·5	57·0	60·1	58·5	69·5	72·3	71·4	74·8
Other	13·4	12·4	12·3	14·8	16·3	16·0	19·1	22·3	30·5	32·9	35·9

Current transactions

£ million

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961(2)
Shares:											
Subscribed	192·1	239·3	269·4	333·0	377·3	378·2	393·1	435·5	535·7	519·0	555·4
Interest thereon	22·4	26·7	30·9	35·3	42·7	56·1	69·0	75·7	82·2	88·3	99·8
Withdrawn (including interest)	119·8	136·6	148·4	171·6	223·2	256·7	286·5	327·6	363·8	409·6	454·4
Deposits:											
Received	49·2	44·6	50·3	63·9	53·3	41·3	42·0	53·9	65·0	65·1	64·7
Interest thereon	3·4	3·6	3·7	4·0	4·4	5·0	5·4	5·6	5·9	6·4	7·0
Withdrawn (including interest)	50·0	58·9	48·7	48·4	63·1	69·3	51·8	50·0	55·7	63·2	68·0
Advances on mortgage:											
Advances	267·6	266·1	299·5	373·2	394·4	334·9	374·1	374·8	517·3	559·8	546·0
Repayments of principal	169·1	160·2	166·6	195·5	216·2	207·8	220·3	228·4	288·6	318·7	322·4
Interest	46·5	52·3	60·5	68·0	77·5	96·5	116·9	129·1	137·1	149·0	173·2
Management expenses	8·2	8·8	9·5	10·8	12·0	13·0	14·1	15·4	17·1	18·4	20·0
Rate of interest(3) (Percentage):											
Paid on shares	2·22	2·38	2·45	2·45	2·61	3·08	3·45	3·48	3·43	3·37	3·54
Paid on deposits	1·66	1·79	1·86	1·88	2·01	2·44	2·83	2·90	2·87	2·94	3·11
Received on mortgage advances	4·19	4·32	4·55	4·58	4·66	5·32	5·98	6·13	5·98	5·89	6·28

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

(1) The figures for each year relate to accounting years ending on any date between 1 February of that year and 31 January of the following year.

(2) Estimated.

(3) Based on the mean of the amounts outstanding at the end of the previous and the current year.

Industrial and provident societies(¹)

TABLE **350**

Great Britain

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of societies	6,246	6,365	6,415	6,438	6,442	6,434	6,409	6,511	6,765	7,021	7,117
Number of members (Thousands)	12,814	13,017	13,177	13,454	13,789	14,106	14,366	14,662	14,861	15,160	15,268
Assets (£ thousand)	725,051	728,390	750,416	796,884	840,952	881,114	916,423	941,889	991,148	1,047,976	1,103,743

(¹) The annual returns from which these figures are derived are, with a few exceptions, made up to dates varying between September of the year shown and January of the following year.

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

Co-operative trading societies(¹)

TABLE **351**

Great Britain

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number of societies											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	1,109	1,107	1,101	1,094	1,077	1,066	1,045	1,015	982	955	926
Principal wholesale societies(²)	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Other wholesale and productive societies	175	177	179	184	180	174	169	163	158	155	152
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	466	463	460	460	457	456	452	443	442	438	443
Number of members (Thousands)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	10,744·6	10,931·5	11,065·4	11,316·3	11,606·2	11,903·9	12,148·0	12,420·3	12,585·2	12,746·1	12,832·1
Principal wholesale societies(²)	1·5	1·5	1·5	1·4	1·4	1·4	1·4	1·3	1·3	1·2	1.2
Other wholesale and productive societies	57·5	58·0	57·8	58·4	59·0	56·2	54·6	53·8	53·1	52·3	52·0
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	243·3	250·7	257·9	270·2	287·5	301·5	314·6	329·6	337·4	348·2	355·9
Sales (£ million)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies(³)	649·8	704·2	747·9	774·4	825·4	888·9	954·3	976·3	998·9	1,007·6	1,018·6
Principal wholesale societies(²)	439·1	484·8	508·5	486·4	504·2	533·7	544·8	556·4	559·0	567·1	557·5
Other wholesale and productive societies	27·3	29·9	30·8	33·4	35·8	39·5	43·2	44·1	43·7	44·1	45·5
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	94·2	102·9	113·0	126·3	139·3	154·6	171·1	179·0	186·5	191·0	199·5
Share and loan capital(⁴) (£ thousand)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	339,758	335,737	336,622	342,353	351,963	359,984	360,979	360,250	365,250	368,687	371,072
Principal wholesale societies(²)	147,927	146,801	154,529	160,550	163,442	161,042	157,713	149,080	148,945	152,931	151,747
Other wholesale and productive societies	13,294	13,793	14,571	15,911	16,453	17,788	18,069	18,307	18,151	17,989	18,236
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	9,786	10,715	11,856	13,431	14,926	16,469	17,674	19,460	22,390	24,647	26,462
Salaries and wages (£ thousand)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	77,523	83,341	86,139	90,441	98,166	107,718	117,178	124,083	126,338	128,475	135,043
Principal wholesale societies(²)	22,155	22,743	23,890	25,768	28,333	30,424	32,098	38,587	33,560	35,067	36,898
Other wholesale and productive societies	4,750	4,990	5,342	5,762	6,210	7,102	7,523	7,948	7,896	8,118	8,499
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Value of goods produced(⁵) (£ thousand)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	75,642	87,614	93,685	92,193	96,411	111,478	118,966	112,970	110,069	106,157	80,046
Principal wholesale societies(²)	139,319	145,301	152,849	157,706	168,804	172,797	177,106	173,772	174,427	173,059	173,544
Other wholesale and productive societies	23,535	25,403	26,921	28,968	30,474	33,574	37,545	38,104	37,339	37,846	40,871
Agricultural and fishing trading societies(⁶)	53,495	59,334	63,189	68,308	71,837	79,964	92,239	94,758	91,249	92,493	93,885

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

(¹) These societies are registered under the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts and are included in Table 350. See also footnote (¹) to that table.

(²) Co-operative Wholesale Society Ltd., Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society Ltd., and English and Scottish Joint Co-operative Wholesale Society Ltd.

(³) These figures include the sale of goods purchased from the wholesale societies which are also included in the sales of those societies in this table.

(⁴) Including net balance disposable and reserves but excluding loans from non-members.

(⁵) As from 1961, milk processing is excluded from production.

(⁶) Value of produce sold.

Joint stock companies

TABLE 352

	Registered companies with a share capital in existence at the end of the year				Companies registered during the year		Companies entering into liquidation during the year(³)
	Public	Private	Public	Private	Number(¹)	Total nominal share capital(²)	
	Number		Paid up capital £ million			£ million	Number
1938	14,483	144,846	4,117	1,919	13,365	75·8	3,371
1950	12,032	238,154	3,921	2,233	14,049	76·3	3,326
1951	11,891	247,180	3,917	2,305	13,666	97·5	2,965
1952	11,695	254,021	3,995	2,369	12,415	53·4	3,326
1953	11,553	261,981	4,088	2,391	13,454	88·5	3,242
1954	11,457	272,497	4,188	2,473	16,020	78·4	3,386
1955	11,312	283,321	4,375	2,515	17,670	117·2	3,353
1956	11,217	294,392	4,462	2,588	17,760	77·2	3,415
1957	11,098	307,916	4,577	2,660	20,843	87·3	3,279
1958	11,035	322,490	4,649	2,678	22,577	73·9	3,640
1959	11,013	343,624	4,719	2,674	29,467	116·7	4,159
1960	10,911	367,767	4,781	2,721	34,620	119·4	4,547
1961	10,787	390,878	4,935	2,796	33,997	119·0	5,025

(¹) Including companies not having a share capital

(²) Excluding increases of capital after registration.

(³) The figures represent net totals—that is, deductions have been made in respect of voluntary liquidations stayed, winding-up orders subsequently made, etc.

Source: Board of Trade and Ministry of Commerce, Northern Ireland

Income and finance of quoted companies(¹)

TABLE 353

Appropriation of income

£ million

Accounts for 'year'(²)	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Number of companies	2,704	2,766	2,865	2,909	2,879	2,892	2,913	2,931	2,879	2,815	2,714	2,618
Trading profit (before depreciation and other provisions)	1,045	1,254	1,487	1,330	1,477	1,667	1,809	1,869	1,952	1,983	2,258	2,491
less Provision for depreciation	151	169	190	209	234	268	305	347	393	443	486	538
less Other provisions	16	22	22	11	19	13	17	20	22	20	27	22
Trading profit	877	1,062	1,276	1,110	1,224	1,386	1,487	1,502	1,538	1,520	1,745	1,930
plus Income from investments	32	36	39	39	39	46	53	61	68	78	86	103
plus Other income	15	20	11	10	7	6	6	9	5	8	9	10
less Interest on long-term liabilities	16	18	22	25	27	32	37	44	53	61	67	70
Net income (before taxation)	908	1,100	1,304	1,134	1,243	1,406	1,509	1,528	1,557	1,545	1,773	1,973
less Taxation	487	596	746	684	733	752	777	803	821	761	812	921
Net income (after taxation)	420	504	558	450	509	654	732	725	736	783	961	1,052
plus Prior year adjustments:												
Tax	8	12	9	18	38	30	40	28	26	27	51	26
Other	5	5	7	7	6	8	8	6	9	7	6	8
Disposable income	433	521	573	475	553	692	780	759	771	817	1,018	1,085
less Dividends (net):												
Ordinary	124	137	141	149	176	215	237	244	271	281	384	422
Preference, etc.	28	29	28	27	28	29	30	31	31	31	34	36
less Share due to minority interest	11	12	14	12	13	16	19	20	21	22	25	28
Balance retained in reserves	270	344	391	287	336	432	493	465	448	483	574	600

(¹) The figures relate almost entirely to quoted companies engaged mainly in manufacturing, distribution, construction and certain miscellaneous services. They exclude companies whose main interests are in agriculture, shipping, insurance, banking and finance, property companies and those operating wholly or mainly abroad. About 30 subsidiaries of overseas companies operating in the United Kingdom but not quoted on a United Kingdom stock exchange are included because of their importance. More detailed information about these figures is given in *Economic Trends* for April 1962.

(²) The 'year' is, for each company included, its accounting year which ended between 6 April of the year shown and 5 April of the following year.

Source: Board of Trade

Income and finance of quoted companies(1)

Balance sheet summary

TABLE 354

£ million

Balance sheet at end of year(2)	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Fixed assets:													
Tangible fixed assets, net	2,232	2,453	2,739	3,000	3,250	3,521	3,912	4,391	5,008	5,649	6,196	6,713	7,394
Goodwill, etc.	317	316	310	307	300	264	268	274	286	273	255	293	374
Trade investments	219	227	253	254	267	232	241	256	287	315	348	419	502
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries ...						41	37	38	43	31	57	58	59
Total fixed assets	2,769	2,995	3,302	3,562	3,816	4,057	4,459	4,958	5,624	6,268	6,856	7,483	8,328
Current assets:													
Stocks and work in progress	2,013	2,144	2,406	3,055	3,071	3,062	3,287	3,663	4,010	4,226	4,155	4,266	4,883
Trade debtors	1,246	1,354	1,562	1,841	1,899	1,982	2,199	2,503	2,667	2,841	2,853	3,234	3,631
Other debtors						16	10	14	12	13	21	27	51
Marketable securities ...	303	298	297	324	334	364	352	472	472	492	519	641	612
Tax reserve certificates	211	204	221	213	199	246	310	251	230	212	225	225	226
Cash	598	642	702	653	729	861	859	736	661	660	705	765	683
Total current assets	4,371	4,642	5,188	6,086	6,231	6,532	7,018	7,638	8,051	8,443	8,477	9,159	10,087
less Current liabilities:													
Bank overdrafts and loans	240	254	287	396	357	314	335	393	463	510	489	561	737
Trade creditors............	1,051	1,122	1,270	1,534	1,528	1,517	1,694	1,934	2,091	2,240	2,252	2,461	2,819
Other creditors						78	77	75	79	81	86	114	125
Dividends and interest due	98	99	110	110	119	140	166	183	188	200	213	283	312
Current taxation	527	541	563	701	678	678	670	697	758	760	733	697	795
Provisions	127	115	114	112	102	100	97	99	108	115	111	118	133
Total current liabilities ...	2,043	2,132	2,344	2,852	2,784	2,828	3,040	3,381	3,687	3,906	3,884	4,233	4,920
Net current assets	2,329	2,510	2,844	3,235	3,447	3,704	3,978	4,257	4,364	4,537	4,594	4,926	5,167
Total net assets...............	5,098	5,506	6,146	6,796	7,264	7,761	8,437	9,215	9,988	10,805	11,449	12,409	13,495
less Future tax reserves ...	328	330	400	480	509	553	600	614	609	616	577	631	686
less Long-term loans.........	429	481	563	634	682	737	842	931	1,048	1,212	1,294	1,372	1,400
less Minority interest in subsidiaries...........	208	223	226	243	251	263	294	302	338	343	352	397	426
Shareholders' interest in total net assets	4,133	4,472	4,956	5,439	5,822	6,208	6,701	7,368	7,993	8,633	9,226	10,009	10,984
Represented by:													
Issued share capital:													
Ordinary shares	1,326	1,416	1,483	1,594	1,768	1,956	2,332	2,614	2,824	3,057	3,371	3,728	4,165
Preference, etc., shares	815	838	854	864	861	874	918	945	951	957	953	958	968
Capital and revenue reserves	1,992	2,218	2,620	2,981	3,193	3,378	3,451	3,810	4,218	4,619	4,902	5,323	5,850
Contracts for capital expenditure not provided for	199	205	222	293	248	234	417	632	710	659	546	535	787
Accumulated depreciation on fixed assets	1,067	1,182	1,247	1,398	1,554	1,729	1,852	2,067	2,352	2,645	2,859	3,206	3,594

See corresponding footnotes on page 295.

Source: Board of Trade

Income and finance of quoted companies(¹)

TABLE 355

Sources and uses of capital funds

£ million

Accounts for 'year'(²)	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Sources of funds												
Receipts from issues of:												
Long-term loans	47	86	68	47	53	86	83	112	154	85	70	36
Ordinary shares	41	57	77	96	63	65	157	161	245	159	263	408
Preference, etc., shares	29	16	15	2	13	24	29	9	28	11	19	25
Total loan and share capital issued	116	159	160	145	130	175	269	282	427	254	352	469
Increase in amount owing to:												
Banks	20	41	118	−29	−36	29	65	78	52	18	68	169
Trade creditors	79	156	265	1	67	192	243	165	165	46	206	361
Other creditors						−11	−12	−5	−7	3	28	19
Addition to accruals:												
Tax	29	41	144	−6	19	3	33	74	5	−15	−37	98
Dividends and interest	4	13	3	11	23	26	17	6	15	14	68	30
Total increase in credit received	132	252	531	−24	73	240	347	318	230	66	332	677
Balance retained in reserves	270	344	391	287	336	432	493	465	448	483	574	600
Provisions out of income for depreciation, etc.	168	192	211	220	253	281	322	367	415	463	513	560
Additions to future tax reserves	12	81	86	35	50	54	18	−10	15	−32	55	58
Total additions to reserves and provisions	450	616	688	542	639	767	833	822	879	914	1,142	1,218
Increase in liability to minority shareholders	15	8	7	5	4	3	−8	19	−6	2	−11	−1
Surplus on disposal of fixed assets	14	18	48	26	39	46	35	24	20	33	63	64
Other receipts on capital account	9	6	6	7	7	5	6	4	4	3	3	7
Total of other sources	37	33	61	38	49	54	33	47	18	38	55	70
Total sources of funds	735	1,061	1,440	700	890	1,236	1,483	1,468	1,553	1,271	1,881	2,434
Uses of funds												
Expenditure on:												
Tangible fixed assets	341	364	427	433	466	583	715	902	940	949	925	1,147
Goodwill and other intangibles	8	4	5	2	5	4	4	4	7	3	18	32
Trade investments	9	15	15	13	−5	10	21	25	31	35	68	76
Total expenditure on fixed assets	357	384	446	448	465	597	740	932	978	987	1,011	1,255
Increase in value of:												
Stocks	152	293	659	33	−2	235	374	346	233	−1	84	635
Trade debtors	125	230	290	70	107	230	304	173	179	69	374	405
Other debtors						−9	1	−5	−1	7	6	18
Total increase in stocks and debtors	277	523	949	102	105	455	679	514	410	76	464	1,058
Expenditure out of provisions	29	25	25	21	19	14	15	15	18	20	20	19
Other expenditure on capital account	9	14	11	8	14	18	12	10	13	11	23	16
Expenditure on acquisition of subsidiaries	47	35	32	36	82	114	97	119	128	121	277	338
Adjustments due to consolidation	4	14	11	15	2	−5	3	−15	−1	−25	−78	−145
Total of other uses	88	89	78	80	117	142	127	128	157	127	241	227
Total uses of funds	723	996	1,474	630	687	1,194	1,547	1,574	1,546	1,190	1,717	2,541
Balance represented by:												
Increase in holdings of:												
Marketable securities	−1	6	36	13	29	−18	117	−6	18	19	107	−31
Tax reserve certificates	−7	15	−11	−11	50	66	−57	−21	−19	13	−2	—
Cash	35	53	−57	69	125	−6	−125	−76	1	44	58	−79
Residual and other adjustments	−14	−9	−1	—	—	—	1	−2	7	5	1	3
Total balancing items	12	65	−33	70	203	41	−64	−105	8	81	165	−107

See corresponding footnotes on page 295.

Source: Board of Trade

INSOLVENCY

Bankruptcies, etc.

England and Wales

TABLE 356

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Bankruptcies, etc. (Number)											
Debtors adjudicated bankrupt	1,789	1,987	2,179	2,142	2,119	2,081	2,030	2,215	2,277	2,767	3,482
Compositions and schemes of arrangement	8	21	15	6	10	13	2	10	3	7	3
Administration orders of deceased debtors' estates	19	35	28	28	34	42	29	25	21	27	36
Liabilities (£ thousand)											
Debtors adjudicated bankrupt	4,817	6,374	6,493	6,533	6,893	6,444	6,164	7,656	7,250	10,415	14,503
Compositions and schemes of arrangement	20	64	95	13	10	53	1	71	40	10	12
Administration orders of deceased debtors' estates	130	238	368	182	123	171	218	619	406	196	326
Assets (£ thousand)											
Debtors adjudicated bankrupt	1,468	1,681	2,433	2,172	1,852	1,994	2,224	1,959	2,182	2,087	2,576
Compositions and schemes of arrangement	15	11	52	1	3	34	—	12	10	3	3
Administration orders of deceased debtors' estates	27	80	93	42	49	78	126	77	101	32	169

Source: Board of Trade

Deeds of arrangement

England and Wales

TABLE 357

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Number registered											
Assignments of property to trustees for benefit of creditors	247	281	286	301	286	308	296	259	243	258	285
Other deeds of arrangement	14	20	16	14	15	17	17	17	12	18	14
Liabilities (£ thousand)											
Assignments of property to trustees for benefit of creditors	1,020	1,161	1,042	1,275	1,792	1,329	1,337	1,482	1,377	1,603	1,832
Other deeds of arrangement	100	92	57	101	51	70	108	56	41	74	98
Assets (£ thousand)											
Assignments of property to trustees for benefit of creditors	666	657	539	646	773	804	747	887	691	771	878
Other deeds of arrangement	74	44	14	24	19	85	41	23	7	39	25

Source: Board of Trade

Sequestrations (bankruptcies)

Scotland

TABLE 358

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Sequestrations(¹)(²) (Number)	80	125	92	90	100	77	99	85	89	82	106
Liabilities (£ thousand)	265	713	594	601	641	543	530	486	565	816	1,440
Assets (£ thousand)	80	158	116	198	177	133	127	160	195	173	295

(¹) In Scotland private trust deeds are not registered with the Accountant and particulars of them are not available. The only deeds of arrangement with creditors registered are those terminating sequestrations.

(²) Sequestrations awarded but not brought into operation are excluded from these figures.

Source: The Accountant of Court, Edinburgh

Bankruptcies, etc. (¹)

Northern Ireland

TABLE 359

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Bankruptcies, etc. (Number)											
Bankruptcies	23	24	21	16	21	27	22	22	21	21	46
Deeds of arrangement	2	4	—	3	1	2	3	—	3	1	2
Arrangements under the control of the court	5	13	10	13	10	16	13	17	8	21	22
Liabilities (²) (£ thousand)											
Bankruptcies	56	52	84	36	51	72	67	205	91	88	205
Deeds of arrangement	38	13	—	11	3	3	7	—	9	2	7
Arrangements under the control of the court	13	87	26	44	80	94	54	82	30	103	131
Assets (²) (£ thousand)											
Bankruptcies	18	24	30	13	27	37	18	109	57	15	45
Deeds of arrangement	29	4	—	3	2	2	3	—	4	1	5
Arrangements under the control of the court	3	34	8	17	42	53	24	82	9	28	43

(¹) Excluding insolvent estates of deceased persons administered in bankruptcy. In 1959, there were 4 such cases involving £59,000 disclosed liabilities and £48,000 disclosed assets, and in 1961 one case involving £11,200 disclosed liabilities and £1,700 disclosed assets.

(²) Disclosed by debtor.

Source: Ministry of Commerce

XIV. PRICES

Interim index of retail prices

TABLE 360

Indices for main groups(¹)

	All items		Food	Rent and rates	Clothing	Fuel and light	Household durable goods	Miscellaneous goods	Services	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco
	17 June 1947 = 100										
Weights	*1,000*		*348*	*88*	*97*	*65*	*71*	*35*	*79*	*217*	
1948 Monthly averages	108		108·2	99·5	109·3	110·9	107·9	109·7	104·7	109·1	
1949 Monthly averages	111		114·1	100·0	117·7	113·0	108·5	112·1	105·4	108·3	
1950 Monthly averages	114		122·7	101·1	119·8	116·5	112·3	113·1	108·4	105·1	
1951 Monthly averages	125		136·3	103·3	138·3	128·0	132·1	128·2	117·9	106·3	
1952 January 15	132		149·7	104·2	147·1	140·1	136·6	137·3	123·9	108·5	
	17 June 1947=100	15 January 1952 = 100									
Weights	*1,000*		*399*	*72*	*98*	*66*	*62*	*44*	*91*	*78*	*90*
1952 Monthly averages	136	102·6	105·4	102·2	97·7	101·3	98·6	102·5	103·8	100·7	100·0
1953 Monthly averages	140	105·8	111·3	107·7	95·6	106·5	96·1	100·9	108·2	101·2	100·3
1954 Monthly averages	143	107·7	114·2	111·7	96·2	111·3	95·3	100·0	110·6	101·6	100·3
1955 Monthly averages	149	112·6	122·8	115·0	96·5	117·6	96·8	101·9	115·1	102·8	100·9
1956 January 17	153·4	115·8	125·4	117·9	98·7	127·6	102·5	106·6	119·1	103·1	102·9

(¹) There are some differences in the constitution of the main groups before and after 15 January 1952, and more important differences in the constitution of the main groups in the Index of Retail Prices shown in Table 361 as compared with the Interim Index.

Source: Ministry of Labour

TABLE 361

Index of retail prices(¹)

	All items		Food	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Durable household goods	Clothing and footwear	Transport and vehicles	Miscellaneous goods	Services
	17 January 1956 = 100											
Weights	*1,000*		*350*	*71*	*80*	*87*	*55*	*66*	*106*	*68*	*59*	*58*
1956 Monthly averages	102·0		102·2	101·3	103·5	102·8	101·3	101·0	100·6	102·1	102·4	103·5
1957 Monthly averages	105·8		104·9	104·3	106·1	110·1	107·9	101·1	102·2	110·2	107·7	109·4
1958 Monthly averages	109·0		107·1	105·8	107·8	121·7	113·3	100·5	103·0	112·9	113·0	114·5
1959 Monthly averages	109·6		108·2	100·0	107·9	127·8	114·5	98·5	102·6	114·7	113·5	116·1
1960 Monthly averages	110·7		107·4	98·2	111·9	131·7	117·3	98·3	103·9	118·1	115·0	120·1
1961 Monthly averages	114·5		109·1	102·5	117·7	137·6	124·7	100·3	105·6	123·0	124·3	126·2
1960 March 15 ...	109·7		106·8	98·1	108·1	129·5	119·1	97·6	103·6	116·3	114·2	118·1
June 14 ...	110·9		108·9	98·0	113·1	132·1	112·4	97·6	103·8	118·3	114·7	118·9
September 13	110·5		106·1	98·2	113·1	132·5	113·5	98·9	104·2	119·2	115·3	122·2
December 13	112·2		108·1	98·3	113·1	133·6	125·4	99·4	104·6	119·6	116·5	123·4
1961 March 14 ...	112·7		107·4	98·4	113·1	134·7	126·1	99·5	105·2	120·9	123·8	124·2
June 13 ...	114·6		111·4	99·0	114·4	137·8	121·7	100·0	105·5	122·3	124·2	125·4
September 12	115·5		108·5	106·9	123·6	138·7	122·4	101·0	106·0	123·9	126·2	128·1
December 12	117·1		110·2	108·0	123·6	140·3	130·4	101·4	106·4	126·5	127·4	129·9
1962 January 16...	117·5		110·7	108·2	123·6	140·6	130·6	102·1	106·6	126·7	128·2	130·1
	17 Jan. 1956=100	16 January 1962 = 100										
Weights	*1,000*		*319*	*64*	*79*	*102*	*62*	*64*	*98*	*92*	*64*	*56*
1962 March 13 ..	118·1	100·5	100·9	100·0	100·0	100·5	100·5	100·5	100·1	100·4	100·2	101·1
June 19 ...	120·9	102·9	106·4	100·0	100·0	103·9	100·1	99·8	102·6	101·3	100·3	102·0

(¹) The Index of Retail Prices replaced the Interim Index from January 1956. A new set of weights was introduced, based on ascertained consumption in 1953–54, valued at January 1956 prices. Revised weights were introduced in January 1962, based on ascertained consumption in the three years ended June 1961, valued at January 1962 prices.

Source: Minisry of Labour

Index numbers of wholesale prices

TABLE 362

Materials purchased by broad sectors of industry

	1958 S.I.C. Minimum List Headings	Annual averages 1954=100						
		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Basic materials and fuel used in manufacturing industry	Orders III to XVI	103·0	106·7	107·4	100·8	101·7	101·8	100·6
Basic materials		102·7	105·3	105·3	97·1	98·4	98·5	96·4
Fuel		106·1	116·9	123·4	129·0	127·5	127·6	133·0
Materials and fuel used in the food manufacturing industries	211 to 229	97·8	100·1	97·3	96·7	98·6	96·1	93·0
Materials and fuel used in the chemicals and allied industries	263 to 277	104·2	109·0	112·4	107·3	107·5	107·5	107·5
Materials and fuel used in the mechanical engineering industries	331 to 349 (excluding 342)	110·2	116·5	121·9	123·5	124·5	126·2	128·1
Materials and fuel used in the electrical machinery industry	361	110·2	114·3	114·9	114·5	115·6	116·9	118·3
Materials and fuel used in the textile industries	Order X	96·0	98·0	103·1	88·7	88·1	91·6	92·9
Materials and fuel used in the timber industries	Order XIV	104·6	105·4	107·7	104·3	100·9	107·9	111·3
Materials and fuel used in the paper industries	Order XV	106·3	110·8	111·1	107·4	104·1	105·2	108·4
Construction materials	Order XVII	104·7	109·5	113·7	114·2	113·4	115·1	118·2
House building materials	Part of Order XVII	105·2	109·4	112·3	111·9	111·0	114·0	118·0

Output of broad sectors of industry

	1958 S.I.C. Minimum List Headings	Annual averages 1954=100						
		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
All manufactured products:								
Total sales	Orders III to XVI	103·4	106·7	110·2	111·0	111·4	113·1	115·7
Home market sales		102·6	107·0	110·4	111·1	111·5	113·0	116·0
Products of the food manufacturing industries:	211 to 229							
Home market sales		102·1	105·8	107·1	104·9	106·9	106·9	107·2
Chemicals and allied industries:	263 to 277							
Total sales		99·9	102·9	105·9	104·6	105·3	104·4	103·1
Home market sales		99·5	103·1	106·5	105·6	106·6	106·0	105·1
Iron and steel industries:	311 and 312							
Total sales		104·0	112·1	123·9	127·7	125·4	125·6	126·1
Home market sales		104·7	112·8	125·2	129·9	129·0	128·5	129·7
Textile industries other than clothing:	Order X							
Total sales		98·3	98·1	101·1	98·9	96·5	101·4	104·3
Home market sales		97·7	97·5	100·9	97·9	96·0	100·8	103·3
Clothing and footwear: Home market sales	Order XII	100·1	101·7	104·4	105·5	105·2	107·1	108·9
Timber industries: Home market sales	Order XIV	103·2	106·7	107·9	106·5	104·9	108·0	110·4
Paper industries: Home market sales	481 to 483	104·9	109·2	110·3	109·7	107·6	107·6	109·8
New construction(¹)	Order XVII	106	110	114	115	113	114	118

Commodities produced in the United Kingdom

	1958 S.I.C. Minimum List Heading	Annual averages 1954=100						
		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Coal	101	109·4	124·4	133·7	137·6	135·4	137·4	144·9
Slates	102/2	107·4	116·4	128·9	133·5	136·1	137·6	140·3
Salt(²)	109/3	104·7	108·2	108·5	107·8	107·0	104·8	107·7
Flour	211/1	102·6	109·2	108·3	104·9	102·8	104·1	108·3
Sugar, refined	216	103·5	109·2	114·3	105·1	108·6	110·9	108·8
Chocolate and sugar confectionery	217	100·1	98·5	99·3	100·4	101·9	101·9	101·8
Beer	231	100·5	101·8	104·5	105·1	95·5	92·1	96·5
Tobacco and cigarettes	240	100·5	106·1	108·3	109·9	109·9	114·0	120·6
Hard coke	261	116·1	129·9	140·5	147·6	147·6	151·7	163·8
Motor spirit, standard grade (including duty)	262	100·5	103·3	112·5	101·7	102·8	102·8	105·6
Medium fuel oil (950 secs.)	262	101·8	111·0	133·3	114·6	116·1	119·4	133·9
Dyestuffs	271/1	102·7	109·5	111·1	110·7	109·0	107·2	106·7
Disinfectants	271/2	103·6	109·4	112·2	112·9	113·4	113·7	113·9
Insecticides, weed killers and fungicides(³)	271/2	98·6	104·1	101·7	99·1	98·9	93·7	89·7

Source: Board of Trade

(¹) Index of building costs.
(²) Series after 1958 is not strictly comparable with earlier years.
(³) Revised series.

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TABLE 362 (*continued*)

Commodities produced in the United Kingdom (*continued*)

	1958 S.I.C. Minimum List Heading	Annual averages 1954=100						
		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
General chemicals	271/3	101·8	105·1	108·0	107·7	106·7	105·0	103·9
Acetone, B.S. 509 – 1950		92·8	92·6	95·8	95·8	95·8	90·7	87·1
Aluminium sulphate (14 per cent. Al_2O_3)		106·8	111·1	113·6	113·6	111·9	111·4	111·4
Caustic soda liquor, 100° TW		102·2	107·7	112·2	116·3	121·0	121·0	121·0
Liquid chlorine, pure		100·4	104·2	108·0	110·8	107·3	103·9	97·0
Methanol, refined		101·7	106·2	107·6	107·6	106·1	100·6	95·3
Nitric acid, concentrated, 95/96 per cent.		102·9	107·6	107·6	107·6	107·6	107·6	107·6
Pharmaceutical chemicals(1)		98·7	87·8	86·8	86·1	84·3	82·5	80·3
Soda ash, light, f.o.r. works		102·6	109·0	113·5	117·7	119·6	119·6	117·0
Sodium cyanide, 96/98 per cent.		100·3	102·2	104·5	107·6	110·3	110·3	109·4
Sulphuric acid, B.O.V.		110·1	112·1	114·2	103·3	99·3	98·6	97·2
Titanium dioxide, 'Anatase' type		105·0	113·4	123·2	122·2	121·6	121·6	121·2
Titanium dioxide, 'Rutile' type		104·0	110·2	116·7	115·2	114·3	113·9	113·6
Trichlorethylene, metal degreasing		102·1	106·6	109·5	110·9	110·9	108·6	107·1
Tri-tolyl phosphate		104·2	104·2	104·2	104·2	104·2	104·2	107·2
Urea, technically pure		101·7	104·1	105·3	106·6	106·6	101·5	99·6
Pigments and earth colours, inorganic		103·6	109·3	110·7	110·5	109·9	111·3	116·1
Pharmaceutical preparations(1)	272/1	99·1	98·8	100·0	100·5	99·2	98·6	98·1
Toilet preparations	272/2	101·6	105·6	107·7	111·5	113·5	115·1	119·1
Explosives, private sector	273	101·6	109·7	112·0	113·1	113·9	112·1	112·2
Paint for building and decorating	274	99·3	102·8	108·6	109·0	108·7	108·3	110·5
Soap	275/2	97·7	107·5	115·5	122·1	127·9	128·9	129·9
Soapless detergents		92·7	96·7	101·9	103·3	103·9	103·5	100·7
Candles		100·0	102·2	108·3	110·0	110·0	110·0	110·0
Glycerine		93·2	82·9	71·3	71·2	81·4	85·3	71·8
Synthetic resins and plastic materials(1)	276	97·0	95·3	92·8	91·8	88·1	86·0	81·4
Cellulose acetate sheet, commercial clear transparent		100·5	104·9	104·9	104·9	104·9	104·9	104·9
Polyvinyl chloride—granular polymer		99·1	97·5	96·9	90·5	79·7	79·7	77·1
Polishes	277/1	100·2	102·1	113·6	117·0	117·7	123·7	128·0
Steel sheets	311/2	104·6	112·5	124·6	128·1	126·8	126·4	126·7
Tinplate	311/2	102·9	109·7	116·4	117·8	115·6	114·0	114·5
Other steel goods (excluding tubes)	311/2	104·3	112·7	125·9	130·4	129·2	128·8	129·9
Steel tubes	312	105·8	113·1	123·7	130·5	130·7	130·8	133·9
Iron castings	313/3 and 313/4	107·7	116·8	126·9	131·0	130·6	134·3	139·7
Aluminium and aluminium alloy products: Castings	321	109·6	116·2	118·5	118·5	121·4	128·3	128·7
Brass ingots, 65/35, B.S.S. 1400: B. 3, delivered	322	128·8	125·8	96·1	81·4	92·5	101·6	104·7
Photographic paper and films, etc.	351/1	101·5	105·0	105·9	109·0	108·5	110·6	117·5
Spectacles, etc.	351/3	100·5	100·8	103·3	105·7	107·8	110·3	112·8
Dental goods	351/4	105·0	108·4	109·4	112·2	116·1	118·4	123·7
Radio receivers	364/2	99·7	97·2	95·0	93·3	92·4	92·2	..
Television receivers	364/2	99·1	95·5	90·8	89·6	88·4	88·1	..
Radiograms	364/2	98·7	96·6	93·1	93·6	92·7	92·5	..
Gramophone records	364/2	101·6	104·5	107·9	110·7	110·7	110·9	113·1
Domestic electrical appliances	365	101·2	101·4	102·4	104·1	104·2	103·1	102·0
Electric vacuum cleaners		100·0	103·0	106·1	108·4	105·2	104·5	105·1
Electric cookers		105·6	108·3	111·8	114·4	114·0	111·6	112·4
Electric fires		104·9	106·6	105·1	103·5	104·5	105·6	106·5
Electric refrigerators		99·5	94·8	96·1	97·1	97·9	95·3	85·9
Electric washing machines		100·0	100·0	98·5	100·6	102·9	102·9	103·4
Perambulators, etc.	389	102·9	108·0	111·2	112·4	111·4	113·9	116·5
Tools and implements	391	108·2	117·3	122·4	127·9	127·0	131·2	137·6
Cutlery	392	103·6	110·7	122·3	123·4	124·1	124·9	127·1
Spoons and forks	396	110·0	116·9	118·3	120·2	120·3	122·2	127·0
Domestic hollow-ware	399/6	109·0	114·0	120·2	123·2	123·9	130·3	136·0
Galvanised cisterns, tanks and cylinders	399/6	110·8	116·4	119·8	112·6	115·8	125·7	132·7
Rayon and acetate filament and staple fibres	411	100·0	100·0	103·8	103·9	102·6	101·7	102·5
Cotton yarn	412	98·5	101·0	100·6	93·8	85·8	99·5	98·8
Spun rayon yarns	412	95·1	95·3	99·6	98·3	94·0	99·5	99·1
Irish linen yarns (wetspun)	412	98·9	93·9	95·2	93·5	89·3	100·9	101·2
Cotton cloth	413	98·2	96·8	98·1	95·2	90·0	103·7	106·6
Rayon and acetate fabric(2)	413	97·1	97·1	100·2	100·6	104·9	112·0	114·3
Linen	413	98·8	96·5	97·9	95·1	93·3	99·8	103·1
Wool tops	414/1	88·4	90·1	102·2	75·4	77·7	77·7	78·6
Worsted yarns	414/2	93·2	95·6	105·9	85·2	86·4	87·2	89·1
Serge cloth	414/5	92·2	92·6	101·4	88·6	86·3	88·5	90·0
Jute yarn	415	95·5	94·8	101·8	98·0	96·2	122·6	138·8
Jute piece-goods	415	96·7	94·3	98·4	97·1	95·7	117·6	130·7
Rope, twine and net	416	97·7	99·9	101·9	101·8	106·2	112·7	112·9
Hosiery and other knitted goods	417	97·1	95·0	98·2	96·3	93·7	94·2	95·0
Carpets and rugs	419	101·0	103·7	107·4	108·6	108·6	110·7	113·8
Narrow fabrics	421	103·1	106·0	108·2	108·4	107·0	108·8	112·6
Canvas goods and sacks	422/2	96·2	92·0	92·3	93·7	92·7	96·2	107·7
Coir mats and matting	429/2	101·4	104·6	108·9	109·0	109·4	111·3	120·6

(1) Revised series.
(2) Revised series from 1959.

Source: Board of Trade

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Commodities produced in the United Kingdom *(continued)*

	1958 S.I.C. Minimum List Heading	Annual averages 1954=100						
		1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Leather for footwear	431/1	93·7	94·8	96·6	92·3	113·5	108·6	107·2
Travel goods	432	100·7	102·9	104·3	107·1	110·7	113·9	116·9
Goods of leather or substitute materials, other than travel goods	432	100·2	105·0	105·7	107·3	109·9	112·8	115·0
Made-up clothing	441-449	99·8	101·2	104·4	105·6	104·4	106·0	108·2
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	442	101·0	103·5	107·9	109·4	107·1	108·9	110·4
Women's and girls' light outerwear	445/1	99·4	100·3	103·6	105·6	104·9	105·3	105·8
Footwear (excluding rubber)	450	100·1	102·1	103·4	103·9	106·6	109·8	110·1
Refractory goods, including bricks	461/1	105·7	113·9	121·4	123·9	127·2	128·1	136·5
Non-refractory goods, including bricks	461/2	103·1	106·8	110·0	110·1	110·6	114·8	121·7
Building bricks, common, other than fletton, ex-works		104·5	109·3	111·3	111·6	113·2	118·0	123·9
Building bricks, fletton, common, delivered		100·8	101·7	104·5	105·2	105·2	107·7	117·1
Electrical porcelain(1)	462/1	101·5	106·8	111·7	111·7	111·7	115·4	119·8
China and earthenware	462/2, 462/3	105·3	108·0	109·2	115·0	115·1	118·7	127·3
Glass (other than containers)	463/1	102·3	110·2	116·2	120·0	121·4	121·7	124·3
Glass containers	463/2	100·0	108·1	113·0	116·5	116·5	116·5	118·9
Cement, delivered	464	102·3	106·8	111·8	115·3	115·3	113·4	118·1
Abrasive paper and cloth	469/1	100·0	100·6	103·8	104·9	106·5	115·2	122·8
Cast stone and cast concrete products	469/2	101·4	102·3	103·8	103·2	102·5	103·3	106·2
Joinery	471/2	102·8	105·9	108·0	105·2	106·5	109·6	112·9
Domestic furniture	472	101·6	105·2	107·4	109·7	109·6	112·1	113·7
Bedding, etc.	473	99·1	100·9	102·5	102·4	101·7	103·6	105·9
Wooden boxes, packing cases and crates, etc.	475/2	104·3	112·7	112·3	110·1	106·7	109·4	113·8
Cork sheet	479/1	98·2	96·3	96·3	96·5	91·9	88·0	89·0
Paper and board	481	104·5	109·1	110·6	110·8	108·8	108·6	109·8
Cardboard boxes, cartons and fibreboard packing cases	482	105·0	109·3	110·1	107·6	104·5	104·6	107·2
Wallpaper	483/1	109·2	111·0	113·9	119·8	119·8	120·2	124·8
Paper bags	483/2	104·7	103·5	105·8	106·4	103·1	105·8	111·9
Manufactured stationery	483/3	105·2	111·7	111·3	111·2	111·5	112·3	114·7
Rubber tyres and tubes	491/1	115·9	123·8	128·0	122·7	120·4	124·0	122·7
Rubber goods (other than tyres and tubes)	491/2	108·0	115·1	114·5	111·7	109·1	116·2	118·1
Rubber footwear		104·1	113·2	115·0	117·5	119·4	125·9	126·5
Linoleum and felt base	492	100·6	109·3	112·7	116·1	116·9	120·6	128·1
Brushes and brooms	493	100·3	103·4	104·3	107·7	108·6	115·2	125·3
Toys and games	494/1	103·4	107·5	109·8	110·6	110·9	112·4	114·6
Sports equipment	494/2	107·8	115·3	116·4	118·4	119·1	120·0	125·5
Pens and pencils	495/1	104·6	107·4	109·1	110·0	110·1	109·8	111·2
Other stationers' goods	495/2	105·8	112·2	117·0	124·0	124·0	124·8	125·5
Plastic mouldings	496	100·5	102·2	102·5	103·3	102·7	102·8	102·1

(1) Series after 1959 is not strictly comparable with earlier years.

Commodities wholly or partly imported into the United Kingdom

	Annual averages 1954=100						
	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Pyrites, c.i.f., United Kingdom ports	105·6	104·7	99·5	76·3	66·9	63·0	62·6
Sulphur, crude (for acid making), c.i.f.	110·6	111·4	107·9	82·2	77·8	75·5	71·9
Palm oil, c.i.f., in bulk	97·3	112·9	112·3	100·3	107·5	98·7	100·4
Linseed oil, crude, naked, ex-works	125·3	167·5	144·9	136·2	126·7	134·9	144·8
Whale oil, acid, soft, naked, ex-works	141·7	163·9	175·1	157·8	123·6	115·9	95·3
Copper, ex-ship, wharf or warehouse	141·5	132·4	88·3	79·4	95·6	99·0	92·3
Aluminium, virgin ingot, delivered	107·1	122·0	126·3	118·2	115·5	119·2	119·2
Lead, ex-ship, wharf or warehouse	109·8	120·6	100·2	75·5	73·4	74·8	66·6
Zinc, ex-ship, wharf or warehouse	115·9	124·9	104·4	84·2	104·9	114·1	99·3
Nickel, refined, delivered	106·7	107·8	123·3	123·3	123·3	123·3	129·5
Tin, ingot, min. 99·75 per cent	102·8	109·5	104·9	102·1	109·1	110·7	123·3
Cotton, raw(1)	95·9	95·1	90·7	76·8	68·6	75·0	74·8
Wool, raw	89·1	90·6	101·1	72·4	76·6	76·3	76·2
Jute, raw, 'mill lightnings', c.i.f. Dundee	96·3	98·9	113·6	102·8	99·6	142·3	173·4
Sisal, East Africa No. 1 grade, c.i.f. London	94·4	91·3	83·9	84·4	104·5	119·4	108·2
Silk, raw, delivered mill	93·5	90·4	90·0	80·7	81·2	92·8	105·4
Coir yarn, c.i.f., United Kingdom ports	118·1	125·2	118·8	114·0	120·2	129·7	152·4
Hides and skins	90·6	89·0	89·2	88·0	129·4	105·8	102·6
Imported softwood (delivered to consumers)	108·6	109·5	109·7	102·1	95·4	104·5	106·7
Imported hardwood (ex-yard or wharf)	104·4	103·9	105·5	104·0	103·8	109·5	112·7(2)
Woodpulp, imported	104·9	109·5	107·7	101·9	97·0	98·3	100·3
Rubber, No. 1 R.S.S., one month future	166·6	143·4	131·6	118·2	148·1	158·0	122·8

Source: Board of Trade

(1) Series after 1957 is not strictly comparable with earlier years.

(2) Revised series not strictly comparable with earlier years.

Annual average wholesale prices for selected commodities(1)

TABLE 363

	Unit of sale	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Commodities produced in the United Kingdom									
Slates, roofing, 1st quality, 16 in. by 8 in., Penrhyn or Portmadoc d/d London stations(2)(3)	£ per 1,000	34·09	37·09	38·69	40·32	41·70	42·62	42·62	42·78
Motor spirit, standard grade, outer zone price (incl. duty), minimum 200 gall. loads(2)	d. per gall.	45·24	45·48	46·75	50·91	46·01	46·50	46·50	47·80
Chemicals:									
Calcium carbide, conforms to B.S.S. 642—1951, high grade, 4 tons and over d/d(2)	£ per ton	36·20	37·79	39·89	40·89	43·25	43·25	43·25	43·25
Pure benzole, B.S.S. 135A—1950, bulk, minimum lots of 200 galls. d/d(2)	s. per gall.	5·22	5·33	5·41	5·73	5·58	5·58	5·58	5·64
Sulphuric acid R.O.V. 94/95 per cent. f.o.r. works, minimum tank loads 5/6 tons(2)	£ per ton	9·57	10·10	10·14	10·37	9·76	9·51	9·26	. .
Sulphuric acid, 100 per cent., ex-works, in tankers	£ per ton	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	8·14
Synthetic resins and plastic materials:									
Phenol-formaldehyde moulding powder, contracts 50/99 tons over 12 months(3)	d. per lb.	17·72	17·50	19·00	17·37	18·54	18·50	18·50	18·50
Polystyrene thermo-plastic moulding powder crystals, d/d U.K.(2)	s. per lb.	2·83	2·66	2·58	2·58	2·58	2·21	2·06	1·69
Urea formaldehyde moulding powder, wood meal type, d/d U.K. and f.o.b. export(2)	s. per lb.	1·29	1·29	1·29	1·29	1·29	1·29	1·29	1·29
Iron and steel:									
Strip mill steel sheets. Uncoated cold reduced sheets 48 ins. by 10 ft. by 20 G, normal bending general purpose quality, 25 tons delivered England	£ per ton	41·75	43·12	46·01	51·21	53·05	52·22	51·80	52·08
Galvanized steel sheets, basis corrugated, 12/3 in. corrugation by 6 ft. by 20 G. 10 tons delivered England	£ per ton	48·96	53·06	57·72	63·74	63·51	63·88	64·66	64·16
Steel billets for drop forgings. Soft basic quality C.08/·33 per cent—4 ins. 25 tons, d/d Midlands	£ per ton	29·93	31·12	34·49	38·00	39·57	39·06	38·70	38·45
Non-alloy steel forging ingots up to 0·6 per cent. C.d/d(2)	£ per ton	23·94	25·82	28·34	31·44	32·69	32·04	31·62	31·82
Steel wire rods, soft basic quality C.08/·25 per cent., 5 G. 50 tons, d/d basis zones(3)	£ per ton	31·92	32·88	35·49	39·67	41·94	41·12	40·60	40·82
Heavy steel rails, flat bottom, basis quality, 109 lbs. per yard. 500 tons, f.o.r.	£ per ton	31·14	33·07	36·40	40·67	41·87	41·46	41·25	41·47
Heavy plates, mild steel, basis quality, ½ in. by 6 ft. by 20 ft. 25 tons, d/d N.E. coast(2)	£ per ton	30·76	31·95	34·71	40·59	42·22	41·52	40·65	40·82
Heavy steel joists, basis quality, 12 ins. by 6 ins. 25 tons, d/d N.E. coast	£ per ton	28·96	30·04	32·87	38·54	39·75	39·33	38·23	38·33
Re-rolled steel bars, quality C.05/·25 per cent., T.G. 2 ins. 10 tons d/d N.E. coast	£ per ton	32·47	33·05	35·42	39·26	41·07	40·70	40·50	40·72
Alloy steel black bars (machining). Quality E.N. 110 H.T. 1½ ins. 5 tons d/d	£ per ton	76·53	81·51	86·34	94·89	98·05	97·57	96·88	97·36
Foundry and forge pig iron, No. 3 Class 2. 500 ton lots, d/d Birmingham(2)	£ per ton	14·32	15·87	17·09	20·19	20·91	20·91	20·96	21·56

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Source: Board of Trade

Annual average wholesale prices for selected commodities(¹)

TABLE 363 *(continued)*

	Unit of sale	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Textiles:									
Rayon staple fibre, viscose, 1½ den., 17/16 in. bright, d/d(²)	d. per lb.	24·00	24·00	24·00	24·00	24·00	23·06	22·75	22·75
Cotton—American yarn, 30's mule weft. Spinner's selling price	d. per lb.	52·13	52·37	51·93	50·88	49·65	45·26	50·39	52·38
Linen yarn, 120's line weft. Producer's selling price for bundle of 60,000 yards(²)	s. per bundle	24·75	24·75	23·58	24·66	24·59	24·62	27·98	27·83
Rayon fabric, dress cloth, plain, 38½ ins. 90 yds. by 44 32's spun viscose/16's spun viscose(²)	d. per yd.	19·96	18·34	17·86	18·75	18·75	19·12	22·50	24·01
Light linen: 40 ins. linen pillowing. Producer's selling price(²)	d. per yd.	68·50	68·50	68·50	69·17	68·83	66·62	71·17	73·72
MN/1 sail canvas. Producer's selling price(²)	d. per yd.	64·68	62·75	57·69	56·41	50·97	47·83	53·52	57·33
18 oz. tarpaulin cloth. Producer's selling price(²)	d. per yd.	54·85	52·95	48·26	47·24	43·73	42·06	48·06	51·83
Wool—British blackface clip. Realized auction price(²)	d. per lb.	52·81	57·09	54·98	53·26	43·01	48·31	49·79	49·21
Wool—Tops, colonial oil combed 64's. Average price to home trade(²)	d. per lb.	138·87	117·01	121·40	137·91	101·24	102·50	100·69	102·44
Wool yarn, worsted weaving 2—48's average 64's. Price to home trade(²)	s. per lb.	16·96	15·53	16·09	17·73	14·46	14·43	14·31	14·70
Wool yarn, hosiery, 2—20's 48's carded, colonial, white. Price to home trade(²)	s. per lb.	9·43	9·34	9·49	10·26	8·05	8·57	8·91	8·91
Hides and skins:									
Ox and heifer hides, 70/79 lb., average of 1st clear and 1st warbled maximum and minimum London and Manchester(²)	d. per lb.	15·54	14·11	14·02	13·25	11·28	18·12	14·31	13·91
Cow hides, 59 lb. and under, average of 1st clear and 1st warbled maximum and minimum, London and Manchester(²)	d. per lb.	16·44	13·63	13·17	13·06	12·00	20·02	15·16	14·62
Calfskins, 8 lb. and under, average of 1st and 2nd class maximum and minimum, London and Manchester(²)	d. per lb.	50·88	56·12	46·23	43·72	51·89	66·77	51·80	54·08
Bricks:									
Standard basic (refractory) bricks, 2½ in. d/d(²)	£ per 1,000	142·71	141·71	151·44	184·21	183·96	179·94	179·69	182·83
Common bricks, 2⅝ in. fletton, d/d site London, south of Thames(²)	s. per 1,000	113·50	114·00	115·00	118·13	119·00	119·00	121·83	132·50
Common bricks, 2⅝ in. other than fletton. Ex-works, all districts of Scotland	s. per 1,000	116·74	122·20	126·25	129·25	130·67	128·46	129·00	129·00
Stock bricks, common, nominal 2⅝ in. Ex-works, Kent and Essex(²)	s. per 1,000	94·35	97·33	98·50	98·50	98·50	100·65	108·92	118·50
Glass sheet, 24 oz. ordinary glazing quality. Lots of over 600 ft. super d/d(²)	s. per 200 sq. ft.	78·78	87·50	95·00	105·66	111·00	115·57	116·38	122·42
Glass G.G. ¼ in. polished plate in cut squares up to 5 ft. super(²)	s. per ft. super	4·42	4·42	4·60	4·92	5·25	5·42	5·58	5·58
Cement, ordinary Portland. d/d London (Charing Cross) in non-returnable packages, minimum 6 ton loads(²)	s. per ton	96·25	98·58	103·00	108·25	112·00	112·00	110·17	114·48
Paper:									
M.G. envelope paper, card No. 3, sheets and reels. Nett delivered	£ per ton	76·00	82·00	86·00	87·71	88·00	88·00	83·00	85·75
M.G. Kraft, 19 lbs. D.C. and above, reels. Price for less than 5 tons and not less than 1 ton. d/d U.K.(²)	£ per ton	88·75	92·25	96·50	96·71	98·00	94·18	91·45	91·69
Newsprint, machine finished in reels, 14 lbs. demy 500's d/d U.K.(²)	£ per ton	51·49	53·74	58·50	59·75	60·00	58·62	58·50	58·50
Paper bags, pure Kraft, D.C. 16 lbs. 8½ in. by 8½ in., quantities under 10,000 d/d(²)	s. per 1,000	15·75	16·44	17·00	17·79	17·92	16·75	16·86	17·63
Rubber tyres and tubes:									
Giant tyre cover, 34 by 7 heavy duty. Dealer's key price(²)	£ each	17·47	20·11	21·10	23·08	22·11	21·74	22·36	22·29
Car tyre cover, 5·00-16, standard. Dealer's key price(²)	£ each	3·90	4·49	4·93	5·46	5·23	5·03	4·92	4·89
Giant tube, 34 by 7, heavy duty. Dealer's key price(²)	£ each	1·49	1·79	1·89	2·06	1·98	1·96	2·01	1·98
Car tube, 5·00-16, standard. Dealer's key price(²)	s. each	13·30	15·83	16·68	18·25	17·56	16·68	16·42	16·38

Source: Board of Trade

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Annual average wholesale prices for selected commodities(1)

TABLE 363 (*continued*)

	Unit of sale	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Commodities wholly or partly imported into the United Kingdom									
Aluminium virgin ingot, d/d(2)	£ per ton	156·00	167·00	190·30	197·00	184·34	180·24	186·00	186·00
Copper, ex-ship, wharf or warehouse. London Metal Exchange price(2)	£ per ton	249·35	352·28	329·08	219·64	197·85	237·83	246·00	229·75
Lead, ex-ship, wharf or warehouse, London, excluding duty or premium(2)	£ per ton	96·45	105·86	116·31	96·66	72·78	70·78	72·15	64·21
Nickel, refined. 1 ton and over, d/d(2)	£ per ton	486·60	519·00	524·61	600·00	600·00	600·00	600·00	630·00
Tin, ingot, min. 99·75 per cent., ex-ship, wharf or warehouse(2)	£ per ton	720·33	740·63	788·66	755·20	735·30	785·71	794·04	889·05
Zinc, ex-ship, wharf or warehouse London, excluding duty or premium(2)	£ per ton	78·27	90·67	97·71	81·58	65·90	82·23	89·29	77·73
Linseed oil, crude, naked, ex-works(2)	£ per ton	82·21	103·05	137·68	119·10	111·96	104·15	110·91	119·04
Palm oil, c.i.f., in bulk, Nigerian 12/14 per cent(2)	£ per ton	70·11	68·00(4)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Palm oil, crude, c.i.f., in bulk, Nigerian 5 per cent.(2)	£ per ton	..	80·17(5)	93·13	92·66	82·78	88·71	81·41	82·81
Rubber, raw, No. 1 R.S.S., one month future, London, average buyers' and sellers' prices(2)	d. per lb.	20·02	33·34	28·72	26·35	23·67	29·65	31·63	24·59
Cotton—American middling 15/16 in., spot Liverpool(2)	d. per lb.	32·96	31·80	26·96	25·36	24·25	21·45	21·64	23·27
Cotton linters—American 1st cuts, c.i.f. U.K. port(2)	d. per lb. gross wt.	8·68	8·19	8·20	9·53	8·05	7·15	7·35	6·53
Wool—merino, clean scoured 64's, d/d U.K.(2)	d. per lb.	128	107	113	125	89	91	89	90
Wool—fine crossbred, dominion clean scoured 58's, d/d U.K.(2)	d. per lb.	108	92	93	108	78	80	78	80
Wool—coarse medium and crossbred, dominion clean scoured 50's. d/d U.K.(2)	d. per lb.	77	75	75	83	59	68	70	70
Jute, raw, 'Mill Lightnings,' c.i.f. Dundee	£ per ton	93·13	89·65	92·07	105·82	95·78	92·71	132·50	161·49
East African sisal No. 1 grade, c.i.f. London(2)	£ per ton	85·70	80·91	78·25	71·92	72·29	89·56	102·31	92·71
Douglas fir (Merchantable), c.i.f. London:									
Small sizes	£ per std.	75·38	86·58	93·33	88·58	71·25	85·75	84·25	77·00
Large sizes	£ per std.	77·75	91·25	100·00	93·50	75·75	87·75	87·67	79·42
Swedish redwood, c.i.f., London:									
Unsorted	£ per std.	91·50	99·56	95·96	95·21	89·52	90·96	100·21	99·26
Fifths	£ per std.	81·63	89·27	81·63	80·08	71·35	68·25	79·77	78·41
Chemical woodpulp, sulphite, bleached, c.i.f. East Coast. 3 months payment basis(2)	£ per ton	58·38	59·56	60·52	59·75	57·38	55·00	55·50	55·14
Chemical woodpulp, sulphite, unbleached, strong, c.i.f. East Coast. 3 months payment basis(2)	£ per ton	47·25	50·15	52·00	50·08	47·25	45·00	45·92	48·00
Mechanical woodpulp, wet and dry, unbleached, c.i.f. East Coast, 3 months payment basis(2)	£ per ton	27·50	29·79	33·15	32·50	29·63	28·50	28·50	28·50

Source: Board of Trade

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(1) Commodities are listed by industries (as defined in the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*), whose principal products they are.
(2) Prices for 1950–1953 were published in the *Annual Abstract of Statistics* No. 95, 1958.
(3) Terms of sale revised during 1959.
(4) January—February.
(5) March—December.

TABLE 364

Index numbers of tramp shipping freights

	Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
							1952=100						
Voyage charter													
All items(¹):													
1953	77·5	79·3	80·0	83·2	85·6	82·2	73·8	75·8	73·9	73·9	77·5	73·8	71·5
1954	86·1	71·9	77·6	77·4	75·8	77·4	77·6	79·7	80·1	90·6	99·5	110·4	115·5
1955	127·7	115·1	119·8	113·7	110·2	122·6	128·0	130·0	129·9	138·1	148·9	135·5	140·1
1956	157·0	144·3	140·2	147·2	151·6	162·2	155·5	155·2	157·9	156·1	153·6	171·4	189·4
1957	112·7	173·7	167·6	145·5	134·3	116·6	109·9	101·9	86·9	81·6	80·7	82·3	71·6
1958	67·1	64·9	64·0	63·3	62·7	64·6	66·5	66·6	65·0	65·7	70·4	76·4	74·6
1959	71·9	70·3	68·2	65·1	68·6	64·6	69·2	69·7	69·6	71·0	80·4	83·1	82·5
1960	74·2	82·1	77·1	72·9	76·1	72·4	72·0	71·2	71·4	73·8	70·2	74·7	76·7
							1960=100						
1960	100·0	106·6	104·6	102·5	105·4	102·8	95·6	91·3	93·3	96·5	94·7	99·8	105·3
1961	106·8	103·7	106·0	103·2	106·9	111·3	108·7	105·8	107·2	110·6	108·0	109·3	101·2
1962		96·9	95·2	96·9	99·4	97·9	84·4	78·4	79·4				
Coal:													
1960	100·0	104·6	101·5	97·5	97·2	100·0	100·0	99·5	100·6	100·0	98·4	99·7	100·0
1961	110·4	99·8	99·0	99·7	114·3	110·8	121·5	107·4	113·5	121·2	117·9	116·2	103·1
1962		94·1	91·3	89·6	99·2	92·6	75·6	72·0	74·8				
Grain:													
1960	100·0	107·8	108·6	106·7	108·3	103·8	90·6	86·9	92·8	97·9	92·6	98·1	106·9
1961	106·2	107·2	108·3	105·5	107·0	108·5	102·9	106·3	108·0	106·3	107·9	106·6	99·6
1962		97·7	96·8	101·4	105·6	101·0	84·4	79·1	80·8				
Sugar:													
1960	100·0	106·7	104·2	101·2	106·0	101·6	96·3	91·0	91·2	95·8	94·9	104·1	109·1
1961	112·1	104·0	108·4	104·1	110·9	115·8	117·8	109·1	116·1	121·7	103·6	116·2	117·4
1962		103·7	103·5	108·0	105·2	107·6	91·1	86·2	82·5				
Ore:													
1960	100·0	111·6	110·8	109·4	112·2	108·0	99·5	83·7	81·3	88·4	88·4	94·5	99·0
1961	100·2	100·7	105·5	101·1	101·4	98·8	97·6	97·2	95·1	95·2	107·8	108·6	93·0
1962		81·1	82·7	85·3	86·4	83·8	75·3	69·5	68·8				
Fertilizer:													
1960	100·0	101·2	96·6	95·8	101·0	105·8	103·7	100·3	98·8	97·5	98·8	97·8	99·3
1961	108·4	102·6	103·9	101·5	108·3	129·0	121·0	112·3	100·0	112·6	104·2	103·3	102·0
1962		104·6	102·8	101·1	101·8	107·5	95·9	—	—				
Timber:													
1960	100·0	106·8	101·1	99·0	104·7	97·6	91·5	91·6	93·5	97·0	96·9	105·7	114·9
1961	103·2	103·7	106·9	104·0	98·4	106·5	98·6	100·4	105·0	108·7	107·9	105·7	92·8
1962		96·0	88·5	88·1	88·8	87·2	80·5	80·9	86·6				
Sulphur:													
1960	100·0	104·8	104·8	103·8	103·8	—	93·2	—	97·3	93·5	—	—	98·5
1961	107·3	97·3	—	—	105·8	—	104·8	—	114·8	114·8	—	118·5	94·8
1962		94·8	—	87·4	91·8								
							1952=100						
Time charter													
1953	60·6	59·8	61·5	64·8	69·7	65·5	61·6	57·4	59·0	56·4	56·3	58·0	57·8
1954	71·7	58·3	62·0	63·4	65·5	59·0	64·2	59·9	61·9	71·8	84·0	101·8	109·0
1955	129·8	114·6	123·8	113·8	102·3	124·2	135·4	145·8	137·0	142·2	151·2	135·5	132·2
1956	172·9	138·0	148·2	150·0	171·5	190·0	169·4	167·1	176·6	174·2	191·8	191·3	207·2
1957	120·2	216·3	203·7	165·6	164·6	117·9	111·8	93·8	74·2	82·7	78·9	70·4	63·0
1958	55·5	61·1	54·4	51·8	—	—	50·6	60·1	55·1	52·7	54·2	59·6	55·8
1959	55·6	53·1	50·6	53·6	52·8	56·7	50·2	52·3	55·5	55·4	58·4	63·4	65·6
1960	65·4	65·4	71·1	68·2	68·8	69·0	63·4	64·6	63·1	65·6	59·4	62·4	64·4
							1960=100						
1960	100·0	101·9	101·1	107·4	106·9	104·8	102·7	96·0	91·4	94·3	96·4	95·2	101·9
1961	111·6	106·1	105·3	109·5	113·7	117·1	111·2	109·0	117·9	118·3	120·4	111·2	99·4
1962		102·7	95·6	97·3	97·7	101·9	91·4	81·3	82·9				

(¹) The weights used in calculating the "All items" index (1960=100) are: Coal 125, Grain 316, Sugar 150, Ore 112, Fertilizer 132, Timber 135, Sulphur 30.

Source: Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom

Index numbers of agricultural prices(¹)

Agricultural products (based on prices after addition of subsidy, where payable)(²)

TABLE 365

Average of 1954/55–1956/57 (July–June years) = 100

	Weights	Harvest (July-June) year averages(³)							
		1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
All products	1,000	99·7	102·2	98·1	101·6	101·2	96·4	93·5	97·4
Farm crops	187	98·6	106·6	94·9	112·6	117·0	96·9	93·6	105·5
Fatstock	318	99·7	98·7	101·6	98·0	100·0	99·3	98·1	99·1
Livestock products and poultry	409	100·7	101·8	97·5	96·7	95·4	92·1	90·2	86·1
Fruit and vegetables	86	97·8	107·4	94·7	113·7	98·1	104·8	91·8	126·6
Wheat	56	103·4	98·7	98·0	92·5	91·1	89·0	88·0	87·2
Barley	41	104·1	94·7	101·2	103·7	103·9	100·2	101·2	96·8
Oats	9	103·4	95·2	101·5	113·8	112·4	110·7	107·2	109·7
Potatoes: early	6	82·9	129·6	87·5	150·6	137·9	132·2	107·0	128·5
main crop	48	89·8	130·1	80·1	145·9	166·2	92·8	85·2	132·0
Sugar beet	22	98·2	99·6	102·2	101·7	102·8	102·2	101·5	100·2
Hops	5	96·3	89·9	113·9	90·6	88·3	105·7	100·5	115·8
Cattle (clean)	110	98·6	97·3	104·1	106·8	107·3	106·3	106·8	113·6
Cows	26	105·6	102·1	92·3	94·1	117·6	113·8	104·7	91·1
Calves	5	99·5	101·1	99·4	105·4	113·0	110·7	96·1	92·0
Lambs	26	103·5	95·4	101·2	103·9	103·3	101·6	102·5	101·3
Hoggets	11	96·9	96·8	106·2	104·5	104·6	104·4	103·4	104·6
Sheep, other (clean)	5	104·5	95·3	100·1	105·0	104·8	105·4	102·6	105·9
Ewes	3	105·1	98·0	97·0	102·1	97·0	93·8	97·6	94·1
Pigs (clean): bacon-factory	63	98·6	100·4	101·0	89·4	89·8	86·7	84·8	85·5
other	63	101·0	98·7	100·3	89·6	87·6	89·8	90·2	90·3
Sows	6	78·7	108·9	112·5	83·1	93·0	106·7	102·6	84·0
Milk	259	101·1	102·0	96·9	95·4	98·3	95·7	92·3	90·5
Eggs	110	99·6	100·5	99·9	99·7	89·1	84·2	87·0	78·6
Poultry	28	101·0	106·2	92·8	97·0	94·8	89·6	83·3	73·2
Wool	12	100·2	100·6	99·1	97·2	92·9	93·3	91·7	91·0
Fruit, outdoor: total	28·0	93·6	108·5	97·9	131·7	101·8	104·8	91·2	152·7
Dessert apples	9·8	92·4	108·6	99·0	120·0	100·8	102·6	79·3	150·2
Cooking apples	5·5	96·1	120·3	83·6	143·3	73·2	77·5	59·8	210·0
Plums	1·7	101·7	105·8	92·4	181·8	201·1	143·1	186·2	186·0
Pears	2·1	93·2	112·5	94·4	172·3	74·0	108·8	79·4	143·4
Cherries	1·7	99·2	105·1	95·8	132·2	93·2	155·9	106·8	143·2
Strawberries	3·3	102·0	94·6	103·5	114·5	110·8	102·7	121·8	120·0
Raspberries	1·8	76·6	112·5	110·8	117·4	104·3	101·1	62·8	82·0
Blackcurrants	1·4	79·6	97·7	122·7	118·9	123·5	118·2	120·5	107·0
Gooseberries	0·7	90·0	95·7	114·3	104·3	111·4	112·9	141·4	134·0
Vegetables, outdoor: total	41·0	101·0	110·6	88·3	105·1	93·4	108·9	89·1	114·3
Brussels sprouts	5·5	104·6	117·5	77·9	95·9	102·3	102·0	93·1	118·0
Spring cabbage and greens	3·9	90·2	148·5	61·3	102·2	81·1	142·0	104·0	120·1
Cabbage: summer, autumn, winter	2·4	106·1	116·8	77·1	99·3	93·0	109·9	89·5	119·9
Savoy cabbage	1·2	89·4	145·4	65·1	79·9	91·4	105·7	71·9	114·2
Cauliflower and broccoli	6·0	98·0	100·5	101·5	99·5	96·5	100·7	102·7	105·6
Carrots	2·9	131·3	90·1	78·6	126·5	88·7	100·1	71·1	143·0
Beetroot	1·0	122·2	102·7	75·2	78·5	74·9	100·9	69·8	101·0
Onions: green	1·2	107·1	73·6	119·4	124·3	81·8	120·2	72·0	143·1
dry bulb	0·5	95·4	107·2	97·4	94·2	77·3	116·0	76·2	106·9
Beans	2·2	98·1	98·1	103·9	79·0	73·2	84·9	57·1	114·2
Peas: green, for marketing	3·3	100·0	87·2	112·8	153·9	105·2	125·7	102·6	112·8
green, for canning and freezing	2·5	96·6	99·9	103·6	108·0	105·1	116·2	111·2	113·0
harvested dry	3·8	109·9	107·5	82·6	82·2	102·1	83·8	64·5	61·0
Lettuce	3·6	82·6	132·6	84·9	114·7	85·4	118·3	90·1	136·0
Rhubarb	1·0	84·0	108·0	108·0	132·0	103·2	127·2	105·6	141·6
Indoor fruit and vegetables: total	17·0	96·8	98·1	105·1	104·9	103·4	94·8	99·5	113·4
Tomatoes	9·8	95·9	95·3	108·7	108·6	107·8	92·9	103·1	116·4
Cucumbers	3·4	93·2	99·8	107·1	103·4	109·3	102·0	99·8	110·8
Lettuce	1·6	109·0	104·7	86·3	101·1	85·7	100·8	89·2	133·1
Mushrooms	2·2	97·7	102·9	99·4	93·7	87·5	88·0	90·8	89·5

See footnotes on page 309.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Index number of agricultural prices

Cereals and fatstock (based on market prices)(⁴)

TABLE **365** (*continued*)

Average of 1954/55–1956/57 (July–June years)=100

	Harvest (July–June) year averages(³)							
	1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Cereals:								
Wheat	96·6	101·8	101·6	88·1	91·6	91·2	84·5	96·2
Barley	103·5	95·7	100·8	88·9	92·6	85·8	81·7	83·8
Oats	106·5	96·1	97·4	95·1	95·7	92·7	80·5	84·8
Fatstock:								
Cattle (clean)	107·3	102·9	89·8	96·8	114·9	113·3	103·6	99·3
Lambs	102·3	99·6	98·1	99·4	98·6	75·4	92·1	72·4
Hoggets	95·5	96·1	108·4	91·5	86·4	107·5	88·5	94·1
Sheep, (other) clean	97·7	103·2	99·0	99·9	99·5	75·6	91·5	71·0
Pigs (clean): bacon-factory	85·8	108·6	105·6	94·0	98·2	99·3	96·9	80·4
other	84·5	107·1	108·3	95·6	99·8	107·4	107·6	92·8

Agricultural materials

Average of 1954/55–1956/57 (July–June years)=100

	Weights	Harvest (July-June) year averages							
		1954/55	1955/56	1956/57	1957/58	1958/59	1959/60	1960/61	1961/62
Feedingstuffs:									
Whole wheat	8	97·5	101·3	101·1	87·7	91·4	90·7	83·9	95·1
Whole barley	2	104·8	97·7	97·5	87·6	91·9	85·7	78·4	87·9
Wheat offals	6	100·3	100·2	99·5	86·8	91·0	88·6	82·5	89·3
Barley meal	4	101·1	99·1	99·8	85·6	90·5	87·5	82·9	90·8
Maize meal	2	100·2	97·9	102·0	83·3	82·4	82·7	79·8	81·6
Dried beet pulp	2	88·3	103·4	108·4	103·4	103·4	103·4	103·4	91·0
White fish meal	1	98·2	99·2	102·6	103·4	104·1	96·8	79·4	93·1
All 'straight' feedingstuffs	25	98·8	100·2	100·9	88·7	91·9	89·9	84·0	91·0
Compound feedingstuffs(⁴)	75	98·3	99·6	102·0	90·2	89·8	91·1	88·2	89·7
All feedingstuffs	100	98·4	99·8	101·7	89·8	90·3	90·8	87·2	90·0
Fertilizers(⁵)(⁶)	91·5	97·8	101·6	100·6	95·8	91·9	89·2	86·7	87·4
Lime(⁶)	8·5	109·1	93·4	97·5	100·3	96·1	93·8	90·8	
Fertilizers and lime(⁶)	100·0	98·8	100·9	100·3	96·2	92·3	89·6	87·0	
Fuel	—	94·7	96·8	108·5	103·4	104·2	104·9	105·6	

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

(¹) The United Kingdom index numbers of agricultural prices (1954/55—1956/57=100) supersede the former England and Wales series (1936–38=100); a description of the new indices was published in *Economic Trends*, February 1962.

(²) The prices for cereals and fatstock include payments made to producers under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme and the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme respectively. For milk, eggs and wool, the prices are those paid to producers by the marketing boards concerned; for sugar beet, they are the prices paid to growers by the British Sugar Corporation. Producer prices for potatoes are sometimes "supported" on the market by the Potato Marketing Board with the aid of Exchequer contributions.

(³) Calendar-year indices for products are published in *Agricultural Statistics* (*UK*).

(⁴) The market prices for cereals and fatstock exclude payments made to producers under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme and the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme respectively.

(⁵) Based on manufacturers' list prices.

(⁶) Based on net prices to farmer after deduction of subsidy.

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For convenience, the last year to which an annual departmental publication refers is shown in brackets after its title.

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I. Area and climate...	1	Ordnance Survey Department	Departmental records and reports on the census of population (England and Wales (1931), Scotland (1931) and Northern Ireland (1937)).
	2–5	Air Ministry (Meteorological Office)	Monthly weather reports.
II. Population and vital statistics			
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	12	Government Actuary's Department	England and Wales: Registrar General's quarterly return of births, deaths and marriages, etc. (December 1961).
	16	Home Office	Aliens and British protected persons (Naturalisation) return (1961).
	17	Home Office	Departmental records.
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	49	National Assistance Board and National Assistance Board, Northern Ireland	Great Britain: Appropriation Account and annual report of the National Assistance Board (1961). Northern Ireland: Annual report of the National Assistance Board (1961).
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